



St Clement's & St John's Infant School Newsletter



November 2025

Thought for the month



~Empowering children with God's Hope for the future, Compassion for others and the Courage to act.~

Message from our Headteacher Mr Woodward



What a great Autumn term we have had. The children have enjoyed Learning new things, developing skills and making new friends. Christmas is fast approaching. If you need any support over the holidays, please do ask.

Welcome to those of you who have joined our school recently, it is wonderful that you are a part of our St Clement's family.

Facebook page

We will use it to share information and celebrate children's learning.

www.facebook.com/St-Clements-and-St-Johns-CE-Infant-School-Authorised-140884496621883/



Times of the Day



School Starts at:
8:45am



School Ends at:
3:10pm



Well done to all the children reading so much at home. Remember to read at least 3 times a week and record it in home reading diaries.

It is great seeing so many children receive their rainbow award badges.



Diary Dates

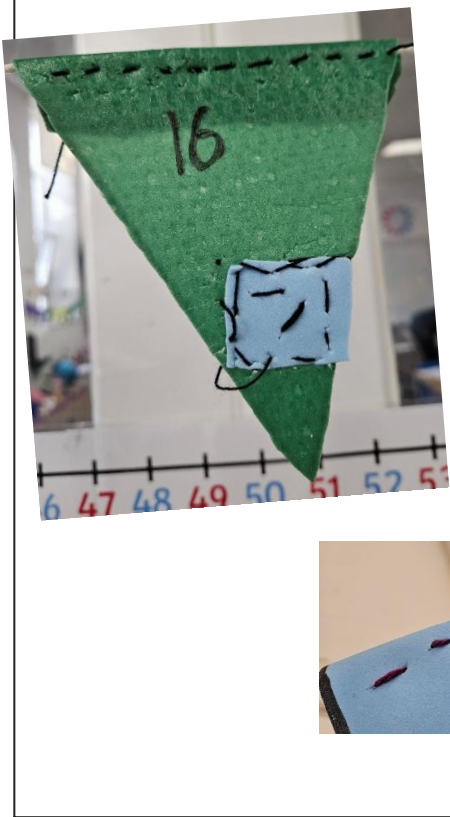
Thursday 4 th Dec 2025	Family Worship at Church. 2.30pm	Thursday 18 th Dec	End of Term Church Service at St Clement's Church. 2.15pm
Thursday 11 th Dec	Christmas Jumper Day Family Worship at Church. 2.30pm	Friday 19 th Dec	Christmas Class Parties. Children wear non-uniform. School finishes at 1.15pm
Monday 15 th Dec	Seahorse and Octopus Christmas Story Experience. 2pm	Tuesday 6 th Jan 2026	Children's first day back to school 8.45am

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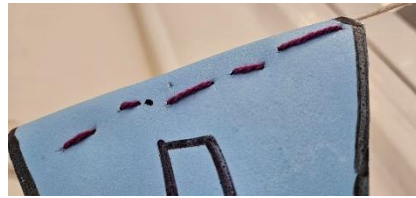
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Great Learning to share

Year 2 have been busy learning to sew. It was tricky and the children worked so hard, persevering and trying their best.

We are so proud of your hard work. The class bunting looks great!



Parent Coffee Morning

Wednesday 28th January
Please do come along.



Coats

Please make sure your child has a **NAMED COAT** at school each day. The weather is getting wetter and colder, but the children do still go outside as much as



Christmas is coming!

Christmas can be great fun, but can also feel overwhelming

For support, contact

- Care for the Family: 029 2081 0800
- Family Lives Helpline: 0808 800 2222
- Samaritans: 116 123 (Free, 24/7)

Thank you so much for all the generous donations for Children in Need. We smashed our target! Well done.

St Clement's Infant & Bethany Junior Schools fundraiser for BBC Children in Need



View gallery
Change cover

101 **£254** raised of £250 target by 42 supporters

Give Now

Share

St Clement's and St John's Infant and Bethany Junior Schools is raising money for BBC Children in Need

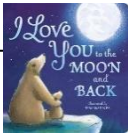
Challenge Yourself 2025
Campaign by BBC Children in Need (RCN 802052 (England, Wales) SC039557 (Scotland))
Right now we are only able to fund 1 in 6 vital support organisations. To mark 2025, get sponsored to do a

Spirituality space

Our vision is

Empowering children with God's **Hope** for the future, **Compassion** for others and the **Courage** to act.

Let us know where we are doing this!
Everyone needs encouragement!



Bedtime books

All books need to be returned on:

Friday 5th December

No new books will be given until next term once classes receive their new boxes.

Any child whose book is not returned will be issued with a letter asking for payment so that a new book can be purchased.

Thank you for your support.

Please complete the CLP parent survey emailed to you.



This helps us be the very best Trust and school for your child, and school community.

Christmas **JUMPER DAY**



Thursday 11th December

- Wear a Christmas related accessory (jumper, hairband, tinsel etc.)
- You don't need to buy anything.
- You can just wear an accessory.
- Making something together is even better
- You do need to wear school uniform with the accessory.
- A letter with details for fundraising will be emailed to you soon.

THE
LIGHT SHINES
IN THE DARKNESS

CHRISTMAS @ ST CLEMENT'S

Step into the Light
Friday 12th December 7pm
An evening of worship

Family Nativity
Sunday 14th December 10am
Come as your favourite Nativity character and join in as we retell the story of the first Christmas

Community Carols
Friday 19th December 5.30 for 6
Doors open at 5.30 for hot chocolate, sausage rolls and mince pies,
Carol service starts at 6pm

Midnight Carols
Wednesday 24th December 11pm
Reflective service with Holy Communion

Christmas Day
Thursday 25th December 10am
Family service on Christmas morning. Come and join the fun!

COUCH TO 5K

Meet Ups

Join others across Boscombe as you take on the Couch to 5K programme.

This plan mixes running and walking and gradually builds your fitness so you can run 5km in just 9 weeks.

It's free and everyone is welcome!

Meet in Boscombe
Tuesdays @ 9:15am **and/or**
Wednesdays @ 6:30pm
Starts Tuesday 14 January 2026

For meeting point details and to book your spot, please contact
Jess at 07794 457121 or Claire at 07704 103840.