



'Our school, our church, our community'

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Elsecar Holy Trinity is a **nurturing, inclusive**, Church school where everyone is **valued** as a child of God. We warmly **welcome** people of all faiths/worldviews and backgrounds, fostering **respect, compassion** and **forgiveness**. Rooted in **faith, family** and **community**, we aim to **grow** together in love, developing **wisdom, knowledge** and **aspirations** for a **brighter future**.

This week



As we head into the final week before the half-term break, there's a real sense of energy and accomplishment across the school. It's been a busy few weeks filled with learning, creativity, and community spirit, and we're so proud of everything our pupils and staff have achieved. With just one more week to go, let's keep the momentum going and finish this half-term on a high note!

Attendance Matters

Top Attendance Awarded to:

EYFS – 98%

Whole School Attendance

This week: 96.02%

This year: 94.53%

Attendance target: 96%

Every Day Counts



Dates for the diary



Wednesday 22nd and 23rd October

Parent's Evening

24th October

School closes for half term

Monday 3rd November

Inset Day

Tuesday 4th November

Children return to school

Monday 10th November

Anti-Bullying Week

Tuesday 11th November

Remembrance Day

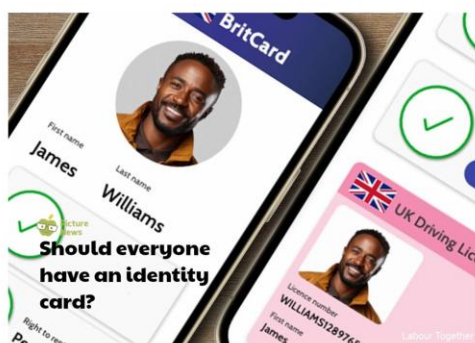
Friday 14th November

Children In Need

Friday 21st November

Flu Vaccinations

British Values



Rule of Law

New Laws can sometimes mean changes for everyone. If digital ID cards become law, people will need to follow the new rules. It's important that laws are fair and help everyone feel safe and supported.

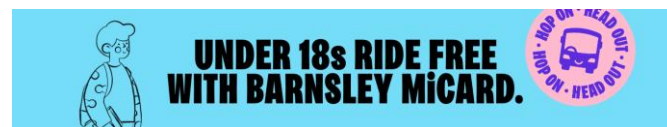
'Harvesting Good Attendance'

Win a Family pass to Cineworld and a hamper of tasty Treats!

Will you be in the draw?



Barnsley MiCard Travel Pass



The Barnsley MiCard Travel Pass is available to children and young people aged 5 to 18 years old living in Barnsley. You can apply using the link below

<https://www.travelsouthyorkshire.com/en-gb/ticketsandpasses/barnsley-micard>

Children and young people can benefit from free bus travel anywhere within South Yorkshire, from 7am to 9pm, seven days a week, as long as the journey starts or finishes in Barnsley local authority area.

Spotlight this week!

Y5

Year 5 have had a great half term so far and have a great attitude towards their learning. In RE we have been answering the important question about how God shows that he is loving and holy. We have explored songs, passages from the Bible as well as looking in detail as to what is in a church and what it represents. The children have really enjoyed learning all about this as well as embedding some important vocabulary! In maths, we have explored a variety of units including addition, subtraction, multiplication and division where the children have applied their learning brilliantly. Finally, we have loved applying the knowledge we have learnt from our visit to Jorvik to our learning in class, it's amazing what the children can remember. Some wonderful learning so far...

Every fortnight children will be taking part in the 'The Big Debate' to help develop their oracy skills. This week's question was,

Should we always be kind, even to people who are unkind to us?



The Pantry is Coming to School!

We're pleased to let you know that The Pantry will be in school next Thursday from 3:30pm to 6:00pm in the school hall. They'll be offering samples for parents to try and will be available to answer any questions you may have.

Come along and see what's on offer!

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