



# Halam Church of England Primary School

*Life in all its fullness*

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Friday, 20 September

Dear Parents and Carers,

Please could I start with a request to everyone to name all of their child's clothing (especially coats and jumpers) – we have lots of lost property already this term!



## **Terrific Assembly Awards**

Well done this week to:

**Cherry Class:** Harrison for trying hard in class now he is Y1.  
Charlotte for her super attitude in reading.  
Polly for her excellent maths skills.

**Maple Class:** Ned for practising his spellings so much.  
Alice for listening really attentively on the visit to the Mosque.

**Oak Class:** Oliver for his thoughtful piece of work about our identity.  
Thomas for his brilliant contributions during the visit to the Mosque.

**Head Team Award:** Edward E for doing all of his work in class.

**Lunchtime "Good Manners" Awards:** Thomas & Bella

**Best attendance this week:** Maple 99%

**Housepoints:** First – **Ruby** (41)  
Second – **Sapphire** (28)  
Third – **Emerald** (27)



**Birthdays:** Aston



**Certificates from Home:** Mia – moving up a level in Ice-Skating



## **Individual Photographs – Monday morning**

On Monday, (23<sup>rd</sup> September) "Saul Isaac Photography" will be in school to take individual photographs of the children, they will also take group photographs with siblings who are in school. If you would like family groups including siblings who are not at our school then please come to Main Reception at 8.15am.



## **Dates for the diary**

**Monday, 23 September**

**Tuesday, 1 October**

**Wednesday, 2 October**

**Wednesday, 9 October**

**Monday, 14 October**

**Wednesday, 16 October**

**Friday, 20 October**

Individual & Family Photographs

Harvest Festival in St Michael the Archangel's Church – 9.15am

Children's Flu Immunisations in school

Open Evening for children due to start in September 2025

Whole school "Campfire" 5pm – 7pm (more details to follow)

Parents' Evening (more details to follow)

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Break up for half term

<b>Monday, 4 November</b>	School re-opens for staff and pupils
<b>Friday, 8 November</b>	PTFA Autumn Ball (3.30pm – 5pm)
<b>Monday, 11 November</b>	Anti-bullying Week
<b>Tuesday, 12 November</b>	Odd Socks Day
<b>Wednesday, 13 November</b>	PTFA meeting 7.30pm in school
<b>Tuesday, 19 November</b>	Bags2School collection
<b>Wednesday, 20 November</b>	Open Evening for children due to start in September 2025
<b>Friday, 22 November</b>	PTFA non-uniform day
<b>Monday, 2 December</b>	School Christmas Concerts – 2pm & 6pm
<b>Wednesday, 4 December</b>	Christmas Jumper & Craft Day
<b>Monday, 9 December</b>	Whole school visit to the pantomime in Newark (“Aladdin”)
<b>Wednesday, 11 December</b>	Carols & Mince Pies – 2pm
<b>Friday, 13 December</b>	PTFA Winter Fair – 3.30pm – 5pm
<b>Tuesday, 17 December</b>	Christmas Service in St Michael the Archangel's Church– 9.15am
<b>Thursday, 19 December</b>	Christmas Party Day in school
<b>Friday, 20 December</b>	Break up for the Christmas Holidays
<b>Monday, 6 January</b>	School re-opens for the Spring Term 2025

Thank you all for your continued support.

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Executive Headteacher

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