



St George's School Bourton

A Church of England School

*work together, play together
learn together ... shine!*

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September Attendance

Rainbow	Blue	Silver	Gold
98.1%	98.5%	97.5%	97.1%

I would like to extend our thanks to everyone who gives their time and money so generously to our school. We have a brilliant group of volunteer readers and helpers in school, fantastic help with swimming sessions, clubs and fixtures, and a great number of parents who support the PTFA in fundraising and providing experiences for our children. Projects such as the new library and the phasing in of new touchscreen boards couldn't happen without your fabulous support for our school. Many life-long friendships are made through being involved in primary school volunteering and we are delighted that so many of you are so involved in our mission to constantly improve our school. Please keep up the great work, and reach out to others who may be new to our school community to get them involved in helping us get the very best we can for our children.

If there is an event you would like to organise for the PTFA, a form has been developed for you to explain your idea. It will be emailed to you and available on the school website very soon.

Additional Teaching Assistant post

We are looking for someone who would be able to cover for Teaching Assistants and Lunchtime staff when they are on training courses or absent for another reason. The work would be paid at the Teaching Assistant rate, it is a good route in to our line of work.

We have an immediate need for someone to work from 3.15-4.15pm on Fridays this term, and would add in other hours when the need arises.

If you are interested in this work, please come and have a chat with Mr Salisbury.

Harvest Festival – This Thursday at 2.15pm, followed by sale of produce in the Hall at about 3pm

A reminder to send the children with a Harvest gift on Thursday, and to bring some money at the end of the day to buy some of the produce.

The parish Harvest Festival is in St George's church this year, at 10am on Sunday 8th October.

Dress up as a book character day – This Friday (6th October)

Please help your children decide on a book character for our dressing up day on Friday. If they can bring the book as well please name it and send it in too.

PTFA Matchbox challenge – started on Monday 2nd October

Please take part in the matchbox challenge and find some willing sponsors for your children. I have challenged the children to beat my total of 20 items which I shared with them in assembly on Monday.

Non Uniform Day – Autumn Party – Friday 20th October

The last day of this half term will be a Non Uniform Day, where children can dress in Autumn colours or other 'home clothes' for £1 towards the PTFA. Plans are being made for an Autumn Party for all the children and parents from 3.15-5pm that evening. More details about the party will follow soon.

M. Salisbury