



3rd October 2025

Dear parents and carers,

Congratulations to our Year 2 children who took part in the Aldro Football festival. The children had to play four matches against teams from local schools. They all played so well and with great resilience as it was a very hot afternoon! The children received a medal for participating and had a celebratory match tea. Well done to the Year 2 Puttenham team – you represented the school well and made us very proud. Thank you to all the parents and carers for coming to watch and cheer on the children.



Thank you to PSA for organising the Macmillan coffee morning and to you all for your kind cake donations. The PSA also carried out their annual AGM last Friday. I would like to thank Tarin and the PSA team for all their hard work. Without you all we would not have such wonderful events organised throughout the year and the money you donate for the school. Last year each class had a new interactive whiteboard installed and new air conditioning unit. They also donated for provisions for the forest school and a whole show theatre show. Many thanks again for your time and effort.

Last Friday, Mrs Dynan and I carried out an early reading and writing session. Thank you to all those who attended. Please see the website for a copy of the PowerPoint we used and useful Read, Write Inc resources. <https://www.puttenhamschool.co.uk/curriculum/how-we-teach-reading>



Please can all children wear their school jumper/cardigan on Monday as it is school photos day.

We look forward to seeing you at the harvest celebration next Tuesday. Please see the box below regarding donations.

Have a lovely weekend.

Miss De Filippis

Harvest Festival



We will be having our Harvest Festival assembly on **Tuesday 7th October at 9.00am** in the front playground. The assembly will be for 20 minutes and all parents are welcome to join us. We will be supporting the Godalming and villages community store again this year

<https://godalmingcommunitystore.org/>. On their latest shopping list they are particularly asking for tinned meatballs, tinned hot dogs, tinned corned beef, stock cubes, UHT semi skimmed milk, sugar, cooking oil, blackcurrant squash, mayonnaise, tomato ketchup and men's deodorant, but they

appreciate any donations they receive (no perishables). Please can your child bring a donation on Tuesday morning. Thank you.

2026 – 2027 TERM DATES

Please see our website for the 2026-2027 term dates. Please note there will be a 2 week half term in October. Our Inset days will be added once they have been confirmed.

Headteacher's awards and house points Stars of the week

Hedgehog class: Arthur and Vivienne

Rabbit class: Orla and Yifan

Fox class: Marley and Darcey

Values award: Joshua for Love
Robbie for Wisdom

Lunchtime stars: Arthur (Hedgehog) and Cole

House points: Rabbit class

Well done to you all!

KEY DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES

SCHOOL PHOTOS

Monday 6th October

HARVEST FESTIVAL

Tuesday 7th October 9.00am
(parents/carers are welcome)

PSA MUFTI DAY (BOTTLES)

Thursday 16th October

COME AND SEE MY LEARNING

Monday 20th October 2.30pm

PARENT TEACHER MEETINGS

Tuesday 21st October 3.15pm – 6.00pm
Thursday 23rd October 4.00pm – 7.00pm
(How to book your slot will be sent next week)

INSET DAY

Friday 24th October

HALF TERM

Monday 27th October – Friday 31st October

RECEPTION & JUNIOR SCHOOL APPLICATIONS

3rd November 2025 – 15th January 2026

INSET DAY

Monday 3rd November

Holy Trinity Church
Director of Music | Nick Graham

Be a Chorister for an afternoon

Join the Holy Trinity Choristers for an afternoon in the choir! Play singing games, try on robes, make new friends, and give a **performance of evensong at 6pm**

The Holy Trinity choristers sing on **Thursdays and Sundays every week** and receive a **free musical education**, including singing lessons. Join our choir now to sing at Christmas carol services, Civic Services for the Mayor, and trips to major Cathedrals. There is no cost and no audition.

Sign up for **free** at [HT-choristers-2025.eventbrite.co.uk](https://ht-choristers-2025.eventbrite.co.uk)
Contact music@holytrinityguildford.org.uk



Boys, aged 6-13 Sunday 12 th October, 4-7pm	Girls, aged 6-13 Sunday 16 th November, 4-7pm
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Holy Trinity Church, Guildford High Street, GU1 3RR



MUFTI DAY!

THURSDAY 16TH OCTOBER

FOR OUR CHRISTMAS FAIR
TOMBOLA!

PLEASE DONATE A BOTTLE
(ALCOHOL OR SOFT DRINK) FOR
YOUR CHILD TO WEAR NON
UNIFORM

A BOX WILL BE AT BOTH SCHOOL
GATES AT DROP OFF

THANK YOU,
THE PSA TEAM

Do I need to keep my child off school?

Chicken Pox Until all spots have crusted over.	Conjunctivitis No need to stay off but school or nursery should be informed.	Diarrhoea & Vomiting 48 hours from last episode.	Glandular Fever No need to stay off but school or nursery should be informed.	Hand, foot & mouth No need to stay off but school or nursery should be informed.	Impetigo Until lesions are crusted & healed or 48 Hours after commencing antibiotics.
Measles or German Measles 4 days from onset of rash.	Mumps 5 days from onset of swelling.	Scabies Until after first treatment.	Scarlet Fever 24 hours after commencing antibiotics.	Slapped Cheek No need to stay off but school or nursery should be informed.	Whooping Cough 48 Hours after commencing antibiotics.
	Flu Until recovered.	Head Lice No need to stay off but school or nursery should be informed.	Threadworms No need to stay off but school or nursery should be informed.	Tonsillitis No need to stay off but school or nursery should be informed.	