

Springhill Catholic Primary School

25th September 2026

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Together we will do our best for Jesus

"The water that I will give them will become a spring of water within, welling up to eternal life." - John 4:14

Dear Parents and Carers,

The weather has been wonderful this week and the children have enjoyed being outside.

New Parent Tours:

If you have a child starting in Year R next September, we have some parent tours you are welcome to join. You can book a place on one of these on the school website [here](#)

Rotary Shoeboxes:

A huge thanks to all of those who have taken a Rotary Shoebox, please remember to follow closely the guidance in the leaflet. Feel free to send them into school before the collection date as we will make a display with them.

Harvest Festival:

On Monday 5th October, we will be celebrating the Harvest Festival in school. We collect food and other items to help families in need in our school. Our school food bank is running short of the items below and we'd love children to bring in these items (please only send them in on Monday 5th October as the children bring the items into Harvest prayers with them).

- Tinned meals (e.g. curry, meatballs, macaroni cheese, spaghetti bolognese)
- Tea bags and instant coffee
- Cereals (e.g. porridge, cornflakes, Frosties, Weetabix)
- Snacking items such as crisps, chocolate biscuits, jammie dodgers.
- Cooking sauces / Pasta sauces
- Tinned vegetables (e.g. peas, carrots, sweetcorn, tomatoes) / Tinned fruit
- Packets of lentils or similar
- Noodles / Pasta / Packets of rice
- Longlife milk
- Rice pudding / custard
- Sweets / Chocolate (without nuts)
- Toiletries (e.g. toothpaste, toothbrushes, shampoo, conditioner, shower/bath gel, deodorant)

All items will be gratefully received.

Internet Safety:

Awareness of how to keep children safe online is essential for school and home. We have another parent online event where you can find further information on how to keep your child safe online taking place on Wednesday 30th September 2026, 4pm – 4.45pm. We highly recommend that parents attend where possible. Here is the link to attend: https://teams.microsoft.com/j/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_NWU4NmM0MzktZjdjYS00NzhhlWJINmItYWQwYmViYTA3N2U0%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%22dcdb1ea5-3b10-49a2-bf8f-5fd59edcd762%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%225772fa8f-9814-4199-aef2-9195804f833e%22%7d

Have a wonderful weekend.

Kind regards,
Mrs Ashworth
Head Teacher

Winning house this week



Working together to improve
attendance

Target 97% and above

Year Group Summary
w/c: 21/09/2026

Year F - 97.34%

Year 1 - 97.42%

Year 2 - 96.15%

Year 3 - 98.67%

Year 4 - 98.26%

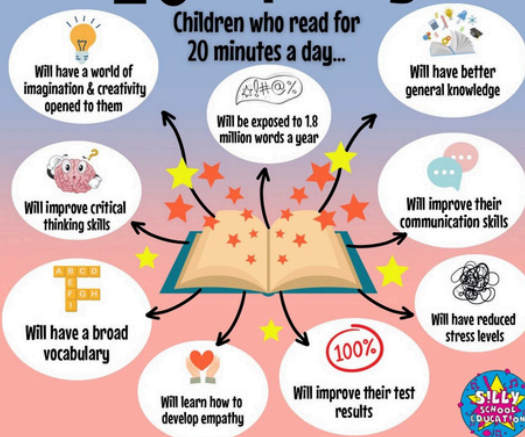
Year 5 - 97.42%

Year 6 - 97.59%



20 is plenty!

Children who read for
20 minutes a day...



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Diary dates:

Parents' Association AGM - Thursday 1st October 6.30-7.30pm Afterschool Club Hut

Census day - Thursday 1st October

The **School calendar** with dates of all school events is available to view on the school website [here](#)

Lunch Menu:

Next Thursday, there will be a change to the usual lunch menu - instead there will be a "Favourite Dinners" menu.

We would like to encourage all children in Foundation, Year 1 and Year 2 to have a school dinner next Thursday as a census is made on this day. The number of meals ordered on this day by children in these year groups directly affects the funding that the school receives, which, in turn, will benefit your child.

This also provides an opportunity for as many children as possible to try a school dinner with their friends (school meals are provided free of charge for all children within Foundation Stage, Year 1 and Year 2). If your child is concerned about not liking parts of the meal for this day they are welcome to bring in their packed lunch as well, safe in the knowledge that they can eat their packed lunch but try any parts of the school meal they might like to taste.

The favourite dinners day meal choices for Thursday will be:

- BLUE: Chicken nuggets
- YELLOW: Cheese and tomato pizza
- PURPLE: Jacket potato
- ORANGE: Bacon, lettuce and tomato wrap

All children with special menus will have the choice from their usual options

Please use the link below to place an order for one of the above choices by 4.00pm on Tuesday.

Favourite Dinner Day - Thursday 1 October 2026 – Fill in form

WEEK 1 —Week commencing 28th Sept—**CENSUS DAY Thursday 1st October**

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Yellow choice	 Lasagne & garlic bread finger	 Cheese & tomato pizza with potato	 Sausage roll with potato	 Margherita pizza, potato wedges & sweetcorn	 Cheese & bean quesadilla with chips
Blue Choice	 Chicken nuggets with potato	 Chicken paella	 Sweet potato & chickpea curry with white & brown rice	 Chicken nuggets, potato wedges & sweetcorn	 Fish fingers & chips
Purple Choice		 Jacket potato with a choice of cheese or baked beans filling		 Jacket potato with a choice of cheese or baked beans filling	
Orange choice (Cold picnic)	 Tuna mayo bap	 Sausage baguette with pizza finger	 Cheese bap with cheese straws	 Bacon, lettuce and tomato wrap	 Cheese bap with cheese straws
Dessert	Shortbread	Fresh fruit platter	Rice crispie cake	Choice of cold desserts	St Clement's sponge

A reminder that we are an Allergy Aware school

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Sport News:

We are now up and running with our sports fixtures, all of which have been football so far. Our boys' team played two competitive matches against Bassett Green Primary and Hamble Junior, respectively, playing well but losing both games. They then took part in a four-way tournament with St Francis Primary, Merdon Junior and St Swithun Wells Catholic Primary where they finished joint third, before registering their first victory of the school year this week when they beat Holy Family Catholic Primary, a victory which was matched by the U11 girls' team against the same school. Well done to all the players in all of these matches.

Do you have any spare football boots, trainers and shinpads which are no longer used by your family? Please bring them into the school reception (marked FAO Mr Cowap) or ask your child to give them directly to Mr Cowap.



The Springhill TTRS Competition

Results!



Most Valuable Players in Each House:

Houses		Most Valuable player	Second Most Valuable player	Third Most Valuable player
1 st 73,355 points	St Bakhita	Kamso	Anderson	Rylan
2 nd 37,258 points	St Maximilian	Estelle	Hailey	Yvette
3 rd 29,250 points	St Teresa	Luigi	Diana	Jason

Well done to all the players above for working extremely hard.

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Head Teacher Award

Mia - Year 5

Teacher Award

FCL	Eliza	Lachlan
FDH	Eleonor	Daniel S
FEL	Grace	Idas
1JH	Mia	Evani
1SR	Emma	Lola
1KG	David	Emma
2DB	Nivansh	Beatriz
2LW	Andrii	Davina
2TM	Aster	Liz
3EW	Emily	Ivo
3EO	Alicja	Nkem
3NC	Sasha	Lukas
4MD	Jason	Atlanta
4MR	Daniel	Hayley
4SW	Ava	Ian
5BW	Ella	Ivan
5LP	Yasmine	Tola
5PA	Anthony	Ava
6LK	Andy	Lia
6JP	Estelle	Charlie
6JS	Daniel	Grace M

Oracy Award

FCL	Nitara	
FDH	Joel	
FEL	Dany	
1JH	Emilia	
1SR	Jayden A	
1KG	Nel	
2DB	Isiah	
2LW	Nathan	
2TM	Joe	
3EW	Magnus	
3EO	Thomas	
3NC	Zach	
4MD	Mylah	
4MR	Vanessa	
4SW	Joe	
5BW	Basil	
5LP	Charlie	Mason
5PA	Bassie	
6LK	Connor	
6JP	Finlay	
6JS	Stan	



Doing Our Best for Jesus Certificates

FCL	Leia
FDH	Anna
FEL	Anna
1JH	Dorotka
1SR	Jayden C
1KG	Ellise
2LW	Jayden
2DB	Cara
2TM	Grace
3EO	Theo
3EW	Evelina
3NC	Rysha
4MR	Seun
4SW	Oliwia
4MD	Eden
5LP	Aaron
5BW	Aria
5PA	William
6LK	Aleena
6JP	Grejs
6JS	Henry

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Parents' Association:

AGM – Thursday 1st October 6.30-7.30pm

This is a great opportunity to hear about the work of the committee, learn about plans for the year ahead, and get involved in supporting our school community.

We hope to see as many members as possible there. Everyone is welcome! 😊

PARENT SOCIAL & AGM



Thursday 1st October | 6.30 – 7.30pm | Afterschool Club Hut

COME AND JOIN US!

Whether you're new to Springhill or have been here for years, we'd love you to join us for a relaxed evening with the Parents' Association.

- 👋 Meet other parents and carers
- 📅 Find out about the events we run throughout the year
- 💡 Hear about our plans for the year ahead
- ❤️ Discover different ways you can get involved
- 🍹 Drinks and light refreshments provided



No experience, commitment or volunteering required, you're welcome to simply come along and find out more.

OUR AGM

We'll also hold our short Annual General Meeting and elect this year's PA committee.

All committee roles formally stand down at the AGM each year and nominations reopen. Current committee members can stand again, and any parent or carer can put themselves forward.

WHAT ROLES ARE AVAILABLE?

- ★ **CHAIR:** Help lead the PA, chair meetings and coordinate activities.
- ★ **CO-CHAIR:** Support the Chair and help keep things running smoothly.
- 💰 **TREASURER:** Look after the PA's finances and financial records.
- 📅 **SECRETARY:** Help organise meetings, communications and minutes.
- 🎉 **EVENTS & FUNDRAISING:** Help plan events, fundraising and opportunities.

You don't need previous experience – just enthusiasm and a willingness to help.

Not looking for a committee role? There are lots of ways to help throughout the year, simply come along to meet everyone and find out more.

Everyone is welcome!



COME ALONG ✨ GET INVOLVED ✨ HELP SHAPE THE YEAR AHEAD

Contact us: info@springhillpa.uk

Springhill Parents' and Friends' Association

C/o Springhill Catholic Primary School

Registered Charity Number 1147247.

Raise funds with shopping: <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/springhillcatholic/>

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Netball Club:

Key Stage 2 Netball Club - Don't Miss Out!

A reminder that places are still available for the Key Stage 2 Netball Club which takes place every **Friday from 3:15pm to 4:15pm.**

Netball is a fantastic way for children to develop teamwork, coordination, confidence and fitness while having fun with their friends. Whether your child is new to the sport or already enjoys playing, all abilities are welcome.

If you would like your child to take part, please ensure they are signed up as soon as possible. We would love to see as many pupils involved as possible!

For further information, please follow the link below:

<https://www.playsportsjuniors.co.uk/>

Polish Club:



POLISH CLUB



SPEAK. LEARN. CONNECT

Sign up your child for the Polish Club in Autumn !!
Lessons take place on Fridays from 3.15pm to 4.15 pm,
in 2 groups:

Proficient and Fluent
Teacher: Agnieszka Wojcik
Contact: a.wojcikpolishclub@gmail.com

Beginner and Intermediate
Teacher: Ewelina Zalewska
Contact: ewelina.j.zalewska@gmail.com

BEGINNER FRIENDLY

Please contact the teacher to sign up!



COST: £7 PER SESSION PER CHILD, PAID UPFRONT FOR THE HALF TERM.
FOR DETAILS, PLEASE CONTACT THE TEACHERS.

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Cooking & Nutrition Club:

There are spaces still available at the **Cooking & Nutrition Club** during Autumn 1 with trial options available.

Autumn 2 is now available to book via the link below:
<https://l-w-t.classforkids.io/term/59>

Computing Club:

**SPRINGHILL CATHOLIC
PRIMARY SCHOOL**
AFTER-SCHOOL CLUB WEEKLY SCHEDULE
ACADEMIC YEAR - 2026/2027

DAY	SESSION	TIME
MON	 L.W.T. COOKING & NUTRITION KS1 & KS2	15:15-17:10

BOOK A TRIAL

SCAN QR CODE

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Contact us for more information and support with the payment procedures.

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**AFTER SCHOOL
CLUB**



WE PREPARE CHILDREN FOR A TECHNOLOGY DRIVEN FUTURE THROUGH EXTRA-CURRICULAR EDUCATION AT AFTER SCHOOL SESSIONS, WEEKEND ACADEMIES, HOLIDAY CAMPS AND IN SCHOOL LESSONS.

The Activities
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AND MUCH MORE!

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James Beattie Football Academy will be running a 2-day football camp at Places Leisure, Eastleigh during October Half Term.

JAMES BEATTIE FOOTBALL ACADEMY

OCTOBER HALF TERM CAMP

YEAR 1 TO YEAR 8

MON 26TH - TUES 27TH
8:30AM - 2:30PM PLACES LEISURE, EASTLEIGH

FULL CAMP £45 **SINGLE DAY £25**

BOOK YOUR SPACE HERE

BROWSE OUR SHOP

Any queries, contact info@jamesbeattiefootballacademy.com

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EVERY FRIDAY 7-8PM



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TO REGISTER, CONTACT CHANTELE: ccastle@eastleighfc.com

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Church News:

St Joseph's & St Edmund's



Weekly newsletter available to view at: <https://www.southamptoncitycentrecatholics.org/newsletter>

Immaculate Conception Church



Regular weekly activities:

Monday - Cooking with Confidence 11 am – 1 pm, Church Hall kitchen
Tuesday - Tea & Coffee after 10 am Mass – Church Hall
Thursday - Maintaining the parish gardens – from 10:30 am
Thursday - Multicultural group – 10:30 am in the Church Hall
Sunday - Refreshments after 10.30 am Mass - Church Hall

Weekly newsletter available to view at: <https://www.immaculateconception.church/newsletter>

Springhill is a diverse community which we are proud of. If English is not your first language - you can copy and paste school emails and newsletters into google translate and they will be changed to your preferred language:
<https://translate.google.co.uk/>