

# April 2026 Newsletter

## Singleton Church of England Primary School

“Passion for Learning .....Passion for life”

Christian Value – Friendship

“A true Friend shows love at all times.” Proverbs 17:17

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back to the summer term. We hope you all enjoyed a restful Easter break and are feeling refreshed for the busy and exciting months ahead.

Before the holiday, we ended the Spring term with a wonderfully reflective Easter Open Afternoon. This year’s event centred around a Stations of the Cross experience in the New Hall, beautifully supported by the children’s classroom artwork and the crafts created with families on the day. It was a meaningful opportunity for our school community to explore the Easter Story together.

MAD Week was another standout moment of the term, inspired by the colourful world of Seussical the Musical. The children embraced the imagination, energy, and creativity of the theme, producing fantastic art, drama, and music throughout the week. Our thanks go to Mrs Millward for her organisation and to Miss Natasha from Performing Arts in Education for her inspiring workshops. World Book Day was, as always, a joyful celebration of reading. The children thoroughly enjoyed the day, and their costumes were once again imaginative, vibrant, and full of character.

As we begin the summer term, please keep an eye on the diary dates — we have many exciting events ahead, and we look forward to sharing them with you.

### Opening Times

<b>Monday</b>	<b>7.30 am - 8.40am</b>	<b>3:15 – 5:30 pm</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>7.30 am - 8.40am</b>	<b>3:15 – 5:30 pm</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>7.30 am - 8.40am</b>	<b>3:15 – 5:30 pm</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>7.30 am - 8.40am</b>	<b>3:15 – 5:30 pm</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>7.30 am - 8.40am</b>	<b>3:15 – 5:30 pm</b>



Acorns  
Breakfast and Afterschool Club

**Booking** for Acorns closes at 7 p.m. for the following day. This helps to manage staff and ratios. Without booking the day before, the children will be unable to attend. All booking information and links are on the school website. Please be aware that fees are subject to change. Acorns offer a 10% discount for siblings. This will automatically be deducted upon booking.

### Important Information:

Acorns has its own Facebook page – please have a look at all the wonderful activities that they provide. The feedback from our children is that the club is “amazing”. We agree with them!!!

For any further enquiries, contact details are as follows:

- Sarah Goldie TEL: 07860816175
- EMAIL: [sarahgoldie\\_uk@outlook.com](mailto:sarahgoldie_uk@outlook.com)

### Current Fees

<b>Before School Breakfast Club</b>	7.30 am - 8.45 am	£5.45 per child (includes breakfast)
<b>After School Club – full session</b>	3.15 pm - 5.30 pm	£10.45 per child (includes snack)
<b>After School Club – early session</b>	3.15 pm - 4.15 pm	£5.45 per child (no snack)
<b>After School Club following an extra-curriculum activity</b>	4.15pm - 5.30 pm	£5.95 per child (includes snack)



### School Office

If you need to contact school for any reason then the office opening hours are as follows: -

<b>Monday</b>	<b>8.00am - 3.45pm</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>8.00am - 3.45 pm</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>8.00am - 3.45 pm</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>8.00am - 3.45 pm</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>8.00am - 3.15 pm</b>

Tel (01253) 882226

**Please note that the office is closed for lunch between**

**12:00 and 1:00pm (Mon-Thurs)**  
**12:00 and 1:30pm (Fri)**

**The phone will not be answered at this time as the office staff are not available.**

### Dinner Money

School Dinners need to be paid for in advance; at the beginning of a School Term.

**Dinner money for next term will be £87.00 - please pay this via ParentPay.**

If you decide that you no longer want your child to have a school lunch you must give the office a **weeks’** notice as all food is ordered a week in advance.

### Absence

If your child is absent from school, each Morning that your child is absent please inform the School Office by **9am. This can be done by leaving a message** on the answerphone or calling into the School Office.



## Extra-Curricular Activities

### Information about PE and extracurricular activities

- **Additional Kit:** Please ensure your child has an additional kit for any after-school activity, as their P.E. kit must not be worn.
- **Correct Kit for Sports:** For sports like football and hockey, children must have the correct kit (e.g., football boots, shin pads, waterproof clothing). If unsure, please ask Mrs. James.
- **Club Supervision:** Mr Rawcliffe will oversee the clubs provided by 3<sup>rd</sup> party providers and ensure children are handed over to parents/carers at the end of the session.
- **Collection Point:** All children attending extracurricular clubs should be collected from Class 1's door.
- **Pick-Up Time:** Please pick up your child promptly at 4:15 pm after clubs.
- **Payment:** Ensure you pay for clubs in advance. If payment is not made, your child will not be booked on the course.
- **Sports Grant:** We will continue to supplement the cost of extracurricular activities with the Sports Grant this year.



The overall attendance for **March** was

96%

For more information about attendance and holidays in term time, please check out the school website.

If you need support with attendance and punctuality please contact Miss Manns, our Family Learning Mentor



Happy Birthday to the following children

**April**

6<sup>th</sup> Malayka  
8<sup>th</sup> Harvey S  
18<sup>th</sup> Arthur  
27<sup>th</sup> Harry F  
28<sup>th</sup> Lily  
30<sup>th</sup> Maia

## EXTRA-CURRICULAR CLUBS FROM MONDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> APRIL – THURSDAY 21<sup>ST</sup> MAY 2026

	Lower School (FS/Y1/Y2)	Upper School (Y3/4/5/6)
<b>Monday</b>	Brass (lunchtime) Y2 £20 Dance FS/Y1-2 £9	Brass (lunchtime) Y3-6 £20 Rounders Y4-5 £9 Numeracy Booster Class Y6
<b>Tuesday</b>	Athletics Y1-2 £12	Athletics Y3 £12 Cricket Y4-5 £12 Literacy Booster Class Y6
<b>Wednesday</b>	Tennis Y2 £15 <i>No tennis 20<sup>th</sup> May as coach away</i>	Netball Y4-6 £12 Tennis Y3 £15
<b>Thursday</b>		Basketball Y3-6 £12 Athletics Y4-6 £12
<b>Friday</b>	Singing (lunchtime) Y1-2 £20	Singing (lunchtime) Y3-6 £20

### Payment Information for Extra-Curricular Clubs

- **Club Information:** Ms. Stansfield will inform parents about the available clubs before the new term. Places are allocated on a first-come, first-served basis. Sporting clubs are provided by third-party providers.
- **Payment System:** All payments are now made via the 'Parent Pay' system.
- **Advance Payment:** Clubs must be paid for in advance as per our payment policy.
- **Non-Refundable:** Payments are non-refundable. If a child is absent due to illness or a behavioural incident, no refund will be given as coaches still need to be paid.
- **Refunds for Cancellations:** If a coach cancels a session, a full refund will be provided as we are not charged in such instances.

#### Important notice

Please note there will be **no Clubs** on the following dates

- **Monday 13<sup>th</sup> April to Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> April – 1<sup>st</sup> week of term**
  - **Monday 4<sup>th</sup> May (Bank Holiday)**
- **Monday 11<sup>th</sup>, Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup>, Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup>, Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> (SATS week)**
  - **Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> May – No Tennis**



## Parish and Community links



### Family Communion

Our Family Communion service is held every Sunday at 9.30am. On the first Sunday of the month this is followed by coffee and biscuits served in church.

### Children

Junior Church runs on the second Sunday of every month at 09:30am. (Contact Fiona Small for information; 07913901015)

**StChads@5** - a new monthly service, held at St Chad's Church in Poulton on the third Sunday of the month. The service is aimed at young people and families, with contemporary music and an informal feel, and provides an alternative time for those who find Sunday mornings difficult. You are invited for drinks and cake from 4:30 pm with a 45-minute service beginning at 5:00 pm. We would love to see you!"

Children are both welcomed and encouraged at all our services.

## Sickness

### Is my child well enough to be in school?

Please ensure that your child is 100 percent well enough to be in School and last the school day. Regarding any sickness bugs; our Policy is that you keep your child off for 48 hours after the last bout of sickness. This stops bugs being spread around the school to other Children and Staff. We appreciate your support with this and ask that you please do not send your child in if they are unwell.

## Y6 Booster Classes

**This year the KS2 SATs will take place as follows: -**

The key stage 2 tests are timetabled from Monday 11th May to Thursday 14th May 2026.

### Key Stage 2 SATs Timetable 2026:

- **Monday, 11 May 2026:** English Grammar, Punctuation & Spelling (Papers 1 & 2).
- **Tuesday, 12 May 2026:** English Reading.
- **Wednesday, 13 May 2026:** Mathematics (Paper 1: Arithmetic & Paper 2: Reasoning).
- **Thursday, 14 May 2026:** Mathematics (Paper 3: Reasoning).

We will be running Booster classes from January in Literacy and Numeracy every Monday and Tuesday. We ask that all Y6 children attend these. The children will be given additional specific SATs related homework and there will be an expectation that they also use BBC bitesize. BBC bitesize should be used for 10 - 15 mins a day, it offers a range of videos, quizzes and games for the children to watch and learn from. The children should pick topics that they feel less confident with. Please click the link below: -

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zrybvk7>

## CARE AWARDS

**March 2026**

### Foundation

**Oliver, Roman, Jules**

### Class 1

**Margot, Roma, Cooper, Etta, Ellie, Layla**

### Class 2

**Maia, Violet, Matilda, Alice Y**

### Class 3

**Harris, Charlotte, Arianna, Evie, Imogen, Tehya-Mae**

### Office reminders

**Please remember to let the office know if you change your address, email or phone number**

### **YEAR 6 ONLY**

**If your child has been offered a place at an alternative school to the one offered by Lancashire County Council, please remember to let the LCC school know that you no longer require the place.**

### **Class 2 Swimming**

**If your child wishes to wear goggles for school swimming lessons, please call at the office to sign a consent form if you have not already completed one.**

## Diary Dates and Holidays

### HOLIDAYS 2025 /2026

#### Autumn Term 2025

Open: Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> September 2025  
 Half Term: Monday 27<sup>th</sup> October – Friday 31<sup>st</sup> October 2025  
 Closes: Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December 2025

#### Spring Term 2026

Open: Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> January 2026  
 Half Term: Monday 16<sup>th</sup> February – Friday 20<sup>th</sup> February 2026  
 Closes: Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March 2026

#### Summer Term 2026

Open: Monday 13<sup>th</sup> April 2026  
 May Day: Monday 4<sup>th</sup> May 2026  
 Half Term: Monday 25<sup>th</sup> May – Friday 29<sup>th</sup> May 2026  
 Closes: Friday 17<sup>th</sup> July 2026

**Total number of openings – 190 days**

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#### Autumn Term 2026

Open: Friday 4<sup>th</sup> September 2026  
 Half Term: Monday 26<sup>th</sup> October – Friday 30<sup>th</sup> October 2026  
 Closes: Friday 18<sup>th</sup> December 2026

#### Spring Term 2027

Open: Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> January 2027  
 Half Term: Monday 15<sup>th</sup> February – Friday 19<sup>th</sup> February 2027  
 Closes: Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> March 2027

#### Summer Term 2027

Open: Monday 12<sup>th</sup> April 2027  
 May Day: Monday 3<sup>th</sup> May 2027  
 Half Term: Monday 31<sup>st</sup> May – Friday 4<sup>th</sup> June 2027  
 Closes: Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2027

**Total number of openings – 190 days**

#### Inset days

1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2025  
 5<sup>th</sup> January 2026  
 20<sup>th</sup> July 2026

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1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2026  
 4<sup>th</sup> January 2027  
 21<sup>st</sup> July 2027

## Dates for your Diary - (3 months in advance)

### April 2026

13<sup>th</sup> – School Opens  
 13<sup>th</sup> – No Extra Curricular Clubs this week  
 13<sup>th</sup> - Year 6 Maths Booster Class 3.15-4.15pm.  
 14<sup>th</sup> - Year 6 English Booster Class 3.15-4.15pm.  
 15<sup>th</sup> – **Swimming Starts:** Class 2.  
 20<sup>th</sup> – Clubs start today  
 20<sup>th</sup> - Year 6 Maths Booster Class 3.15-4.15pm.  
 21<sup>st</sup> - Year 6 English Booster Class 3.15-4.15pm.  
 24<sup>th</sup> – **Non uniform day** – Bring a bottle  
 24<sup>th</sup> – School Nurse parent drop in session 1-2pm  
 27<sup>th</sup> - Year 6 Maths Booster Class 3.15-4.15pm.  
 28<sup>th</sup> - Year 6 English Booster Class 3.15-4.15pm.  
 29<sup>th</sup> – Swimming – Class 2

### May 2026

1<sup>st</sup> – Learning Mentor drop in 2.15-3pm  
 4<sup>th</sup> - Bank Holiday – School Closed  
 5<sup>th</sup> – Last Y6 English Booster Class  
 6<sup>th</sup> - Swimming Class 2  
 13<sup>th</sup> – **NO swimming** for Y3/4 this week  
 W/B 11<sup>th</sup> May – KS2 SATs (Mon – Thurs)  
 W/B 11<sup>th</sup> May – No Clubs this week  
 15<sup>th</sup> – Non uniform day – tombola prize  
 W/B 18<sup>th</sup> – Auditions for Panto this week  
 20<sup>th</sup> – No Tennis today  
 20<sup>th</sup> – Swimming Class 2  
 20<sup>th</sup> - Induction Evening - New Starters 2025  
 (Foundation Class) **Parents Only** at 6pm.  
 21<sup>st</sup> - Worship in Church 8:50am – **All Welcome.**  
 22<sup>nd</sup> – School closes 3:15pm

### June 2026

1<sup>st</sup> – School Opens  
 3<sup>rd</sup> – Swimming Class 2  
 W/B 1<sup>st</sup> - Y4 Multiplication Checks start this week  
 5<sup>th</sup> – **Foundation Induction** Morning 9-11.30am  
 W/B 8<sup>th</sup> – Phonics Screening for Y1 this week  
 10<sup>th</sup> – Swimming Class 2  
 12<sup>th</sup> – **Foundation Induction** Morning 9-11.30am  
 16<sup>th</sup> -Sports Day 1:15pm (No Clubs afterschool)  
 17<sup>th</sup> – Swimming Class 2  
 19<sup>th</sup> – **FOSS Non-Uniform Day:** Chocolate and sweet donations  
 19<sup>th</sup> – Learning Mentor Parent Drop-in session  
 2:15pm – **All Welcome.**  
 23<sup>rd</sup> – Reserve Sports Day (No Clubs afterschool)  
 24<sup>th</sup> – Swimming Class 2

Please note that we try to inform you of diary dates/changes to dates well in advance so that you can plan. We will not necessarily send out specific letters for every individual event as dates and times are quite clearly indicated in the monthly newsletter which gives up to 3 months' notice. Miss Stansfield usually does try to send out reminder texts/Facebook notices as additional support to parents, but this may not always happen during busy periods.



## FOSS (Friends of Singleton School) Updates



Up and coming events	
Event	Date and time
Non-uniform day – Bring a bottle	Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> April
Non-uniform day -Tombola prize	Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> May
Non-uniform day - Sweets and Chocolate raffle	Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> June

FOSS will be running a Summer Event - date to be confirmed.

All members of the school community are invited. More information will follow nearer to the event, but FOSS, the staff and the JLT will run a few stalls and refreshments.

If you can help in any way with FOSS, please email [friendsofingleton@outlook.com](mailto:friendsofingleton@outlook.com)

Facebook link <https://www.facebook.com/groups/1451922088447440>

If you can help FOSS in any way, please email [hannah.reed2304@outlook.com](mailto:hannah.reed2304@outlook.com)

Facebook link <https://www.facebook.com/groups/1451922088447440>

### Upcoming Parent Drop-In Session

We are excited to invite you to a special drop-in session with Miss Manns on **Friday, 1st May at 2:15pm**. This session is designed to be a supportive and informal gathering where you can enjoy tea, coffee, and a chat with Miss Manns and other parents.

### What to Expect:

- Complimentary tea and biscuits
- Resources and information on various topics including:
  - Behaviour
  - Resilience
  - Stress
  - Anxiety
  - Early Help
  - SEND (Special Educational Needs and Disabilities)

**Everyone is welcome!** If there is a specific topic you would like more information on or need support with, please let us know. We aim to make this workshop as responsive to your needs as possible.

We look forward to seeing you there and working together to support our children.

**Please let the office know if you can attend.**

## FOSS FUNDRAISING – SCHOOL'S WISH LIST

- **Cabins for Schools** – outdoor sensory spaces and for quieter break time options
- **IPADS**
- **Outdoor Sheds** for the Playtime toys



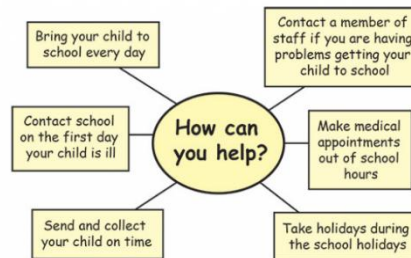
# The Importance of Good Attendance

Attendance during one school year	Equals days absent	Which is approximately weeks absent	Which is this is the number of lessons missed
95%	9 days	2 weeks	50 lessons
90%	19 days	4 weeks	100 lessons
80%	38 days	8 weeks	200 lessons
70%	57 days	11.5 weeks	290 lessons



## Your children get 14 weeks holiday a year!

There are **38 weeks** in the year when schools are open, and **14 weeks (175 days)** when families can visit family overseas; go on holiday; travel; pupils can work, take educational trips, attend non urgent medical appointments....**Is your request for leave exceptional?**



### When a Child Arrives Late:

- It interrupts concentration.
- It wastes valuable learning time.
- The teacher repeats information / instructions whilst others have to wait.
- The late child is at an immediate disadvantage because they may have missed important teaching points, missed discussions where ideas are shared and will be generally unsettled.
- Children feel stressed and anxious about having to walk into their lessons late, some children find being late very distressing.

### A Polite Reminder About Drop-Off and Collection Times:

- Parents are expected to drop off and collect their children (or arrange for this to happen) punctually. If parents are late, children will be placed in Acorns Club, and a charge will apply. Please ensure you collect your child promptly at 3:15 pm (or 4:15 pm if your child participates in an extracurricular activity).
- Late drop-off and collection are monitored by our Family Learning Mentor.

### Please Note: -

Lancashire County Council's policy states that:

- **Penalty notices** are issued for unauthorised absences of 5 days (10 sessions) or more.
- If a child accumulates **15 days or more** of unauthorised leave, the case is **reviewed individually** and may lead to **prosecution under Section 444 of the Education Act 1996**, especially if previous fines have been issued or ignored.
- After **two penalty notices** within a 3-year period, further unauthorised absences will not result in another fine but may lead to **court proceedings**






### Note from the Governing Body:

Our school is required to comply with the new DfE guidance, which includes the use of fines for unauthorised absences. Although we have always indicated that fines may be issued, this will now become more of a reality. Each case will be considered individually. Regular attendance is crucial for your child's education and development. Extended absences can significantly affect academic progress and social integration.

We kindly ask that you remember **our staff members** who contact you / send out letters regarding penalty notices are simply following protocol. They **are not responsible for making the rules**. Please treat them with respect and understanding. Thank you for your cooperation.



## Prize Giving Winners – Easter 2026

Christian Values Award	Creativity Award	Ethos Award	Progress Award	Effort and Achievement Award
<b>Foundation</b> Faith Oldroyd	<b>Foundation</b>	<b>Foundation</b>	<b>Foundation</b> Jules Spear-Healy	<b>Foundation</b> Kairos Gibson
<b>Class One</b> Ezra Uphill-Robson	<b>Class One</b> George Chamberlain	<b>Class One</b> Etta Leonard	<b>Class One</b> Layla Baker	<b>Class One</b> Harry Barlow
<b>Class Two</b> Lacey Abbott	<b>Class Two</b> Ralph Shearer	<b>Class Two</b> Phoebe Patterson	<b>Class Two</b> Oliver Ward	<b>Class Two</b> Georgia Glover
<b>Class Three</b> Autumn Webster	<b>Class Three</b> Ava Hacking	<b>Class Three</b> Ralph Weszka	<b>Class Three</b> Thomas Colling	<b>Class Three</b> Harris Akram
				

## Swimming 2026

### Swimming – Summer Term

Swimming resumes this term for our **Year 3 and Year 4** children, with lessons beginning after the Easter holiday. Sessions will take place **every Wednesday morning**, during the first half of the morning before break.

**The first session will be on Wednesday 15th April 2026 – please note there will be no lesson on 13<sup>th</sup> May**

To ensure children are fully prepared, please make sure they bring:

- A suitable swimming costume or trunks (*Please note: no long swimming shorts, as they hold too much water, and no bikinis.*)
- A swimming hat for children with longer hair (*A little talc inside the hat can make it easier to put on.*)
- A towel
- Goggles (optional, but these require a signed consent form)

Mrs James will also be contacting Year 6 parents separately. As part of the national curriculum requirement, pupils should be able to swim 25m by the end of Year 6. Parents will be asked to confirm whether their child can already swim this distance, and any pupils who need additional support will be offered extra swimming sessions during the latter half of the summer term.



## Statutory Assessment information for parents

### Statutory Assessments – Key Dates for Parents

We have several important national assessments taking place this term. Please see the summary below to help you plan ahead.

- **Year 6 – KS2 SATs** These will take place from **Monday 11th May to Thursday 14th May 2026**. During this week, Year 6 children will complete tests in reading, grammar, punctuation and spelling, and maths. We ask that all pupils arrive on time and are well-rested so they can do their very best.
- **Year 1 – Phonics Screening Check** This will take place during the week beginning **Monday 8th June 2026**. Each child will read a series of words (real and pseudo-words) with their class teacher in a calm, one-to-one setting. This helps us assess their early reading skills.
- **Year 4 – Multiplication Tables Check** This will be administered during a two-week window starting **Monday 1st June 2026**. Children will complete a short online check to assess their recall of multiplication facts up to  $12 \times 12$ .

We will share further information with the relevant year groups closer to the time, but we hope this overview helps families feel prepared for the term ahead.

## Singleton Gala

### CHANGES TO THE DATE!

The Singleton Gala Committee is delighted to announce that this year's Gala will take place on the new date of

**Sunday 28th June.**

The event will once again be held in the marquee on the field behind the Village Hall, providing a wonderful setting for this much-loved community celebration. As always, the day will begin with the traditional procession, which will include children from our school. We know how much the pupils enjoy taking part, and it is always a highlight to see them proudly representing the school.

This year's Gala will follow the familiar and much-enjoyed format, with a variety of activities, entertainment, and stalls for families to enjoy throughout the afternoon. Further details about the procession, timings, and the programme of events will be shared with families in due course



## New to Foundation Induction

Parents will receive confirmation of their child's school place this month. For those who have been offered a place at **Singleton School**, we are delighted to welcome you to our school community. Below is a helpful overview of the key dates for our induction programme.

### Important Dates at a Glance

#### Induction Evening (Parents Only)

**Wednesday 20th May 2026 at 6:00pm T**

This session provides an opportunity to meet the staff, learn more about school routines, and receive important information to help your child make a confident and happy start in September.

#### Induction Mornings for the Children

These sessions allow the children to spend time in their new classroom, meet their teacher, and begin forming friendships with their classmates.

- **Friday 5th June 2026 — 9:00am to 11:30am**
- **Friday 12th June 2026 — 9:00am to 11:30am**

Further information, including welcome packs and details about starting school in September, will be shared with families at the Induction Evening.

We look forward to meeting all our new families and supporting your children as they begin their exciting journey with us at Singleton School.



## Safeguarding information for parents

### Singleton Safeguarding team

#### Designated Safeguarding Leads (DSL)

- **Amanda Clayton** (Head) – Lead DSL
- **Leonie Millward** (SENCO) – DSL
- **Kate James** (Online / PREVENT) – DSL
- **Susan Manns** - DSL

#### Governors with Responsibility for Safeguarding

- **Alec Davies** – Chair of the Governing Body / Safer recruitment

#### Safeguarding DBS lead

- **Rachel Reeves** (Office Manager)
  - Rachel keeps and maintains a log of all staff and volunteers who have DBS clearance to work with children and the Governors review, and general safeguarding in school monthly.

#### Prevent Lead

- **Kate James** (Y5/6 Teacher)
- **Alec Davies** (Governor)

#### Useful information / Publications for parents

#### Children's Safeguarding Assurance Partnership


Each month we will provide some links or publications to download that will cover a wide range of current Safeguarding information for parents taken from the Children's Safeguarding Assurance Partnership Website.

This month we have focused on the NSPCC – 'Talk PANTS' – a brilliant website that helps parent keep their children safe from sexual abuse with the help of a friendly dinosaur called Pantosaurus.

Please click on the link below

<https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/support-for-parents/pants-underwear-rule/>

What are the PANTS rules?



The graphic shows the word 'PANTS' in large, colorful letters. Each letter is on a separate piece of fabric that looks like a pair of pants. P is orange, A is pink, N is blue, T is yellow, I is green, and S is purple.

Privates are private	+
Always remember your body belongs to you	+
No means no	+
Talk about secrets that upset you	+
Speak up, someone can help	+

**Keeping  
children safe  
is everyone's  
responsibility**

