



ST ALBERT THE GREAT CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

WISDOM

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The more I learn about the world I live in, the closer I grow to God

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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY....

Monday 7th September 2026
Wednesday 9th September 2026
Friday 11th September 2026
Tuesday 13th October 2026
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Wednesday 14th October 2026
Wednesday 21st October 2026
Monday 26th – Friday 30th October 2026
Monday 2nd November 2026

Mass at 10am at church – all welcome
 Meet the teacher sessions for parents – 3:30pm– 4:30pm
 PTFA Colour fun run after school on school field
 school individual and sibling photos
 parent consultation evening times TBC
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 LEarning Showcase 3:30pm – 4:30pm
 Half term
 Children return to school

ATTENDANCE MATTERS

Please check the calendar on the school website for updates and future dates.

SCHOOL TARGET – 97%	THIS WEEK – 91.8%	THIS YEAR – 91.8%
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WELCOME BACK

It has been a lovely start to our new school year, and we are delighted to welcome everyone back to St Albert the Great. Although we are only three days into the new academic year, it has been wonderful to see the children return with such a positive attitude towards their learning. The children are looking very smart in their uniforms, and it has been especially lovely to see our Year 1 children in their new KS1 uniforms – they are certainly looking very grown up! A very special welcome goes to our youngest members of the school, our new Reception children, who have made a fantastic start to their first week with us.

We would also like to extend a warm welcome to Mrs Johnson, our new Executive Deputy Headteacher. Mrs Johnson has already enjoyed spending time visiting the children in their classrooms and introducing herself, and she also led our celebration assembly this week. We look forward to a happy, successful and faith-filled year together, and we are excited about all that the year ahead will bring.





CENSUS DAY SPECIAL LUNCH

A note from our Stir food lunch provider....

Thursday 1st October

Join us for a delicious special lunch! 😊

Every school lunch counts! The more children who have a school lunch on Census Day, the more funding our school can receive. 💰

Let's make Census Day count! ★

Note, if you previously booked a lunch for the day in advance, this has been removed and you can rebook the special lunch.

ACTIVE ST ALBERTS

As part of our 'Active St Albert's' display in the school hall, we would love to celebrate the many ways our children stay active outside of school. Please could you send in a photograph of your child taking part in a physical activity. This could include activities such as: swimming, walking, hiking, cycling, playing a sport or game, dancing or any other active hobby! The photographs will be used as part of our school display to inspire and encourage all pupils to lead active lifestyles. If you would like your child to be included, please forward a photograph to your child's class teacher. Thank you for your support. We look forward to seeing all the fantastic ways our pupils keep active!

ENRICHMENT CLUBS

Enrichment clubs start next week, please remember to sign up so your child can take part, there are still some places available.

For football [click here](#)

For Dance [click here](#)

For Basketball [click here](#)

For Gymnastics or Cheerleading [click here](#)

For Rocksteady [click here](#)

Days:	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Club info:	Complete Sports Gymnastics- Years 1-6 - 3:20pm-4:30pm Storm Basketball- KS2 - 3:20pm-4:20pm	Complete Sports Cheerleading- Years 1-6 - 3:20pm-4:30pm	Kreative Dance- KS1 - 3:20pm-4:20pm Kreative Football Club- Yrs 2, 3 & 4 -3:20pm- 4:20pm	Kreative Dance- KS2 -3:20pm- 4:20pm	Kreative Football Club- Yrs 5&6 - 3:20pm-4:20pm

TERM DATES

Term dates for the current year can be found by [clicking here](#).

MOVING ON 2027

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[Click here](#) for the 'Moving on 2027' document from Hertfordshire county council. The leaflet explains how to apply for a secondary school place for children born between 1 September 2015 and 31 August 2016 and upper schools for children born between 1 September 2013 and 31 August 2014.

FOREST SCHOOL

Please see the list below for the Forest School dates for this academic year. Forest School will now take place on Tuesday mornings, with Mr Whiting leading the sessions.

Please ensure that your child arrives at school wearing their appropriate Forest School clothing. They should also bring their school uniform with them so that they can change after their session.

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Week 1	WB 1 st Sept NO Forest School	WB 2 nd Nov No forest School	WB 4 th Jan No forest School	WB 22 nd Feb No forest School	WB 12 th April NO Forest School	WB 7 th June No Forest School
Week 2	WB 7 th Sept Year 1	WB 9 th Nov Year 1	WB 11 th Jan Year 1	WB 1 st March Year 6	WB 19 th March Year 3	WB 14 th June Year 3
Week 3	WB 14 th Sept Year 2	WB 16 th Nov Year 2	WB 18 th Jan Year 2	WB 8 th March Reception	WB 26 th April Year 4	WB 21 st June Year 4
Week 4	WB 21 st Sept Year 3	WB 23 rd Nov Year 3	WB 25 th Jan Year 3	WB 15 th March Year 1	WB 3 rd May Year 5	WB 28 th June Year 5
Week 5	WB 5 th Oct Year 5	WB 30 th Nov Year 4	WB 1 st Feb Year 4	WB 22 nd March Year 2	WB 10 th May Year 6	WB 5 th July Year 6
Week 6	WB 28 th Sept Year 4	WB 7 th Dec Year 5	WB 8 th Feb Year 5		WB 17 th May Year 1	WB 12 th July Reception
Week 7	WB 12 th Oct Year 6	WB 14 th Dec Year 6			WB 24 th May Year 2	
Week 8	WB 19 th Oct Reception					



ST ALBERTS FOOD BANK

A basic food bank for our school community is located in our Main Reception area. If you are in need then please come and see what we've got and help yourself, no questions asked. We also have a small fridge to hold things with a longer shelf life that require cooler temperatures.

We are in need of more donations. If you are please able to help, we are in particular need of cereal, long life milk, juices and toiletries but all donations are welcome to the school office. Many thanks for your support. Donations can be left with the staff in the school office, where they will be sorted, put out on the shelves or stored for later use.

PTFA SUMMER FAIR

Thanks to your amazing support we raised a whopping £835! 📅 updates for exiting new projects to be delivered in the new school year.

Join us for our colour fun run on the 12th sept after school, on the school field.

£3 entry per person, families and friends welcome to join in the run. 🏃

Please pay via the MCAS app under 'school shop' the link should now be live.

😎 Wear white T-shirts which you're happy to get colourful, and goggles/ sunglasses are suggested.

Glasses will be available for sale as well as extra colour powder

📄 Gain sponsors from family and friends using the link attached by [clicking here](#), or a paper copy.

🏆 Prizes up for grabs for the most raised per year group.

🏅 receive a participation medal

Ingredients for the non toxic biodegradable powder is available to view. If you want to run but not have contact with the powder please join in but wear a coloured T-shirt. If you require the list of ingredients please email us at

ptfa@albertthegreat.herts.sch.uk

There will be 2-3 waves of runners so the leaving year 6 students can come along and Join after their secondary school day!

Can't wait to see you all run and have fun. 🟢🔴🟡🟣🟠🟦

From the PTFA

