



ST. STEPHEN'S NEWS FRIDAY 18TH SEPTEMBER 2026



WHOLE SCHOOL

KITCHEN NEWS

Please see attached our lunch menu for next week. Please can we also remind you that we are a nut free school and no fresh nuts or nut products should be brought into school (this includes peanut butter or hazelnut spread in sandwiches). Thank you.

READING AT ST. STEPHENS JUNIOR SCHOOL

Miss Mamedova and Mr May will be holding an open meeting for parents on Reading - reading for pleasure, how to promote reading with children at home and information about Accelerated Reader. All parents are welcome to attend at 2.45pm on Thursday 24th September.

EMAILS/FORMS IN THE LAST WEEK

Please see below a list of correspondence that has been sent home via Arbor this week in case you missed it:-

Head Lice	Oryx Class
Secondary School Open Mornings	Year 6
Attendance and Sickness	Whole School

YEAR 5

Gecko Class Assembly : Wednesday 30th September

We look forward to seeing parents at the Gecko Class assembly on Wednesday 30th September at 9.10am.

Leaving the Classroom unaccompanied at the end of the school day

If you would like your child to walk home from school without you or alternatively meet you at the school gate or Infant playground please either email kamos@ststephensjuniorschool.co.uk or come into the school office and give verbal permission. Please note this is only for Year 5 and 6 children.

YEAR 6

Please note applications to apply for your child's secondary school place are now open and will close on 2nd November 2026.

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TERM DATES

Thursday 24 th September	Reading at St. Stephens (2.45pm) : see information above
Friday 25 th September	Times Tables Rock Stars Day
Monday 28 th September	Year 6 Height and Weight
Friday 9 th October	Mental Health Day
Friday 16 th October	Flu Vaccinations
Monday 19 th October	Parents Evening (details to follow)
Tuesday 20 th October	Parents Evening (details to follow)
Thursday 22 nd October	Family Learning Workshop (details to follow)
Friday 23 rd October	Non-School Uniform Day supporting Canterbury Food Bank
Friday 23 rd October	Last day of Term 1
Monday 26 th October – Friday 30 th October	Half Term Holiday
Monday 2 nd November	Start of Term 2
Tuesday 3 rd November	Individual Photographs
Friday 18 th December	Last Day of Term 2
Monday 21 st December – Friday 1 st January	Christmas Holiday
Monday 4 th January	Start of Term 3