

ST. MARTIN'S NEWS

28th November 2025

Website - <http://www.st-martinsoldham.co.uk/>



Our Christian theme this half term is Peace.



Weekly Awards



Our Weekly Award winners are:

LEARNER OF THE WEEK

Sahil Ali
Kai Gagi
Eliza Morris
Matilda Adelekan
Chloe Nve Santos
Oliver Owens
Annie Walsh

Try to solve problems

JIGGY OF THE WEEK

Aubree-Alice Richardson
Kulumba Katumbo
Oliver Stephenson
Matilda Adeleka
Reggie Badby
Ava-Grace Chalmers
Lewis Clayton

Well done to Year 1 & 4 who are our joint attendance winners this week.



Christmas Lunch

This year our Christmas lunch will be on our last day of term Friday 19th December. An in-app message has been sent out to the parents of children on packed lunches to give them the option of having a Christmas lunch. Please let School know by 5th December.



Birthdays in School



As part of our commitment to healthy eating, we kindly ask that children do not bring sweets to share on their birthdays. Instead, we encourage them to celebrate in a fun and meaningful way—by bringing in a favourite book to read with the class or by donating a book to the classroom library. Donated books will receive a special sticker recognising the birthday child and their thoughtful contribution. The class will also enjoy singing *Happy Birthday* together to make their day feel extra special!

Christmas Cards



As we are an eco-school, we would like to ask that, instead of your child sending lots of cards to their friends in school, that they send only ONE card to the whole of their class from them. This will be more environmentally friendly and, if they make their own card, much more fun!

Thank you!



Spark Fundraiser

This Christmas, our children will be getting creative with some festive crafting! Over the next week, they'll be busy making a variety of Christmas items, which will be on sale during our Christmas craft mornings and afternoons. We are fundraising for **Spark**, and they will be joining us to help sell the children's wonderful handmade items. There is absolutely no obligation to buy anything, but we wanted to let you know in case you'd like to bring along some money on the day.

If your family is finding the cost of Christmas difficult and you need support with food, pyjamas or toys, please speak to a member of school staff so they can refer you discreetly to **Spark** for support.



Diary Dates

Flu Immunisations – Monday 1st December
(Catch up session for children who didn't have first time)
Christmas Lunch Rec – Year 6 – Friday 19th December



Christmas Diary Dates



Christmas Crafting as follows – Parents welcome:
Year 5 craft afternoon – Monday 8th December 2-3pm
Nursery craft morning – Tuesday 9th December 9.15-10.15am
Year 6 craft afternoon – Tuesday 9th December 2-3pm
Year 3 craft morning – Wednesday 10th December 9.15-10.15am
Year 2 craft afternoon – Wednesday 10th December 2-3pm
Reception craft morning – Thursday 11th December 2-3pm
Year 1 craft morning – Friday 12th December 9.15-10.15
Year 4 craft afternoon – Monday 15th December 2-3pm

Christmas Performances as follows – Parents welcome:
KS2 Christmas performance - Tuesday 16th December 1.45-2.45pm
EYFS Christmas performance –Weds 17th December 10-10.30am
KS1 Christmas performance - Wednesday 17th December 1.45-2.45pm
Christmas music assembly – KS1 – Friday 19th December 9.15-9.45am
KS2 – Friday 19th December 10-10.30am

Tickets for our Christmas Hamper raffle will be sold at these events at £1 per strip.

EYFS – Nursery & Reception

KS1 – Year 1&2

KS2 – Years 3,4,5,6

