

*Let your
light shine*

MATTHEW 5:16



Art in Badger Class: Stepping Back into the Stone Age

This term, Badger Class has been exploring the fascinating world of the Stone Age through their History learning. The children discovered how some of the earliest people communicated and recorded their experiences by creating drawings and markings on cave walls. These ancient artworks are some of the first examples of mark making and give us a valuable insight into life thousands of years ago.

Inspired by these prehistoric artists, the children became cave painters themselves during their Art lesson. They learned about the materials that Stone Age people may have used and explored charcoal as their artistic medium. Using small palettes of charcoal dust, the children carefully pressed their hands onto paper to create striking handprint artworks, similar to those found in ancient caves around the world.

This cross-curricular experience brought History and Art together beautifully, helping the children to develop their understanding of the Stone Age while exploring an important form of early artistic expression. The resulting artwork was both creative and meaningful, giving the children a deeper appreciation of how humans have communicated through art throughout history.



HARVEST



Diary Date for Parents, Carers and Families

 Thursday 1st October

 St Lawrence's Church

 8:45am

Parents, carers and families are warmly invited to join us for our Harvest Service. Further details will be shared via email in due course. We look forward to celebrating together.

Nursery

We currently have places available in our Nursery and would be very grateful if parents could help us spread the word within the local community.

If you know of any families looking for a nurturing and welcoming Nursery setting, please encourage them to get in touch. Visits are always welcome and can be arranged by contacting the school office.





St Edward's
Church of England
Academy

08 OCTOBER 2026- 5PM - 8PM

OPEN EVENT 2026

Bright Futures Start HERE!

Step into the future at St. Edward's – join us for our 2027 Admissions Open Events!

Meet our Principal, Mrs. Smith, for a short welcome and presentation in the main hall. Afterwards, you're invited to explore the academy at your own pace, meet staff and pupils, and see the outstanding opportunities that make St. Edward's a vibrant and ambitious place to learn.

Events will be divided into two sessions - please book one:

Thursday 8th October:
Session 1: 5pm - 6.30pm
Session 2: 6.30pm - 8pm

TO REGISTER...

SCAN THE QR CODE
OR REGISTER
THROUGH OUR
SCHOOL WEBSITE



**BOOK
NOW!**



<https://stedwards.academy>



Saint Lawrence Church

Donations
to
Leek
Food
Bank
Welcome



HARVEST FESTIVAL

ENJOY THE SEASON

Sunday 27th
September 10.30_{am}
All Welcome

Understanding children's behaviour



Free local workshops

Find out
what's driving
your child's
behaviour

Come
along!



Come along and:

- Understand feelings and needs behind children's behaviour
- Discover the importance of listening to children, and how it can support meeting their needs
- Explore responding with empathy, and how it can positively influence children's behaviour

Join us for our workshops on

Wednesday 23rd September

10am—11.30am or

Wednesday 30th September

12.45pm—2.15pm

at Staffordshire Moorlands Family Hub

ST8 6DT



Fussy Eating

Free online workshop



Join
us!

Fed up with
stressful
mealtimes?
We're here
to help...



**As parents we want our children to eat well
– and to enjoy mealtimes together**

Come along and get support and new ideas for:

- How to encourage your child to try new foods - and begin to enjoy them!
- Child-friendly foods that provide what they need to grow and be healthy
- Happier family mealtimes

Fussy Eating Workshops

Wednesday 23rd September 1.15pm—2.30pm

Wednesday 30th September 10.00am-11.30am

At Staffordshire Moorlands Family Hub ST8 6DT



Parenting Workshops

Practical advice, support and tips for you and your family

Join our friendly and informal **online workshops**, designed to give you the knowledge and confidence to support your child's health, development and wellbeing.

Wednesday
30th September
5.30 – 6.45pm

Understanding Child's Behaviour

Explore why children behave the way they do and learn positive tips and strategies to support them.



Monday
12th October
10.00 – 11.30am

Healthy Teeth

Find out how to care for your child's teeth, with practical tips on brushing, diet and keeping little smiles healthy.



Thursday
5th November
10.00 – 11.15am

Starting Solids

Learn about when and how to introduce solid foods, what to offer and top tips for a positive experience.



Monday
16th November
4.00 – 5.15pm

Looking After Ourselves

A supportive session on your own health and wellbeing, with simple ideas to help you feel your best.



Thursday
3rd December
1.00 – 2.15pm

Fussy Eating

Get practical advice and strategies to help with fussy eating and encourage a healthy, balanced diet.



Thursday
17th December
10.00 – 11.15am

Eating Well for Less

Learn how to cook healthy, tasty meals on a budget, with tips, ideas and simple recipes.



All sessions
are **FREE!**



Scan the QR code
to book your place

Spaces are limited, so book early
to avoid disappointment.



All sessions
are online



For more information call 01827 475222

