

Weekly Newsletter

17 November 2025

We are committed to safeguarding children.

Designated Child Protection Officer: Amelia Harding

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Awards last week

Year R	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Tommy Alexander Lottie	Noah Zara Theo B	Saoirse Willow Triumph	Mia O'B Libby Alan	Albie Keshav Lana	Jacob Hannah Shekinah	Antoni Gerard Lucas

This week's Gospel Value

Peace

Peace means choosing calm and kindness, even when things feel difficult. It's not just about being quiet—it's about helping others feel safe and loved.

A peaceful person doesn't shout or fight to get their way.
They listen carefully, speak gently, and try to make things better.

Peace begins in our hearts and spreads when we forgive, share, and care.
This week, can you:

- *Admit that you got something wrong and try again—because making peace often starts with saying "I'm sorry" and choosing to do better.*

House points

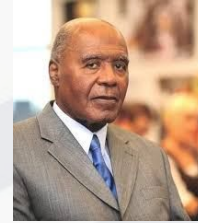


Nye Bevan
Champion of Wealth Equality



Tanni Grey-Thompson
Champion of Disability Equality

Bevan
287
Thompson
116
Stephenson
473
Pankhurst
495



Paul Stephenson
Champion of Racial Equality



Emmeline Pankhurst
Champion of Gender Equality



A reminder that Holy Angels Pre-school closes at 3.30 on the last day of each term.

After School Club will not be available on Friday 19th December.



If your child was born between 1 September 2021 and 31 August 2022 they should start school in September 2026.

What do I need to do?

Applying for primary school - it's as easy as 1-2-3!

1. Read the TIPS 8 guidance booklet on our website (printed copies available upon request) 2. Apply online from 1 November 2025 - [Apply for a primary school place - Torbay Council](#) or

Contact us to request an electronic form - E: pupil.services@torbay.gov.uk; T: 01803 208908

3. Submit your application by 15 January 2026

Upcoming Events

Thursday 20th November	Stay and Play Year R
Thursday 27th November	Humility Assembly Yr 6
Thursday 4th December	Advent Assembly Yr1
Friday 5th December	Christmas Fair
Wednesday 10th December	EY/KS1 Nativity 2pm
Wednesday 17th December	Christmas Dinner and Assembly

Autumn After School Clubs

Monday

Girls football 3,4,5,6
Choir 3,4,5,6

Tuesday

Boys football 3,4,5,6
Dance 1,2,3 **FULLY BOOKED**
Dance 4,5,6 **FULLY BOOKED**

Arts/Crafts 3,4,5,6 **FULLY BOOKED**

Wednesday

Cooking 3 **FULLY BOOKED**
Multi Sports R,1,2

Thursday

Big Voice 3,4,5,6

Friday

All clubs are free and are available to book online via your ParentPay account from September 4th.



Our Target is 95%



Whole school attendance this week 96.7%

Current overall attendance 96.2%

This week's trend 1.8↑

Attendance Reminders

If your child is sick please ring on the first day of absence by 9.00 a.m. and every other day thereafter. If you don't do this we will ring you as we are required to check on the welfare of our pupils. You must inform us of your child's symptoms.

Is my child too ill for school? (Government advice)

Evidence of all medical appointments must be provided.

If your child arrives after 9am (after registers close) this is recorded as an unauthorised session (unless evidence of a medical appointment has been provided).



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