



'Our school, our church, our community'

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Elsecar Holy Trinity is a **nurturing, inclusive**, Church school where everyone is **valued** as a child of God. We warmly **welcome** people of all faiths/worldviews and backgrounds, fostering **respect, compassion** and **forgiveness**. Rooted in **faith, family** and **community**, we aim to **grow** together in love, developing **wisdom, knowledge** and **aspirations** for a **brighter future**.

### This week

What a Busy Week at School!  
It's been an action-packed week filled with learning, fun, and community spirit. One of the highlights was our fantastic Children in Need activities – from the exciting inter-school football competition to the cosy pyjama day, our pupils truly embraced the spirit of giving. Thank you to everyone who joined in and supported this wonderful cause!

### Parent Teacher Association

We are delighted to share that a group of parents has approached us with the wonderful idea of starting a Parent Teacher Association (PTA) at our school. We are extremely grateful for their support and enthusiasm. If anyone else is interested in getting involved, please speak to Mrs. Brooks in the school office.



In our Collective Worship this week we continued to focus on compassion, which is also one of our school values. This week we explored who is our neighbour. Christians believe that everyone is a neighbour to be loved and supported but those in need are the neighbours that Christians really need to show compassion towards.

**Do you know anyone who is in need?  
What can you do to love your neighbour  
as you love yourself?**

### Remembrance

As part of our Remembrance Day observance, the school community came together to hold a minute's silence to honour those who served and sacrificed.



### Attendance Matters

Well done to this week's attendance **WINNERS!**  
**Y6 (98.15%)**

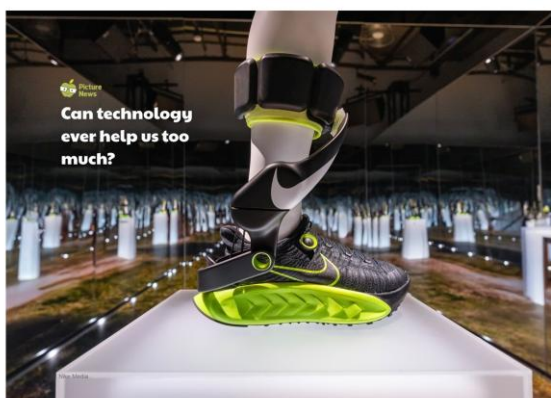
Whole school attendance: 95.2%  
Year to date: 95.8%  
School Target: 96%



## Attendance Matters

Every student. Every day.

### British Values



#### Democracy

New technology, such as Nike's Project Amplify, can lead people to voice many different opinions. Democracy reminds us to share our views respectfully and listen to the voices of others.

### Wraparound Care Consultation

We recently sent out a questionnaire regarding wraparound care options for our school community. If you haven't had a chance to complete it yet, please do so as soon as possible. Your feedback is vital in helping us plan and provide the best possible support for our families.

You can access the consultation form via the link that was emailed last week. Thank you for taking the time to share your views!

### Dates for the diary



**EYFS Open Day - 10am - 11am**  
Thu 20th Nov  
**Flu Vaccinations**  
Fri 21st Nov  
**EYFS Open Day - 10am - 11am**  
Thu 27th Nov  
**EYFS Open Day - 4pm - 5pm**  
Mon 1st Dec  
**EYFS & Key Stage 1 Christingle - 2:45pm**  
4th December in church  
**Christmas Dinner and Christmas Jumper Day**  
Wed 10th Dec  
**Carols Around the Tree**  
Thu 11th Dec  
**Christmas Disco**  
Thu 18th Dec  
**End of Autumn Term**  
Fri 19th Dec

### Children in Need We Raised £101

Our pupils had a fantastic time supporting Children in Need! They enjoyed taking part in the inter-school football competition and loved coming to school in their pyjamas for a fun-filled day. Thank you to everyone who contributed and helped us raise money for this wonderful cause.



### Feedback from Parents:

We value the feedback and ideas shared by our parents and are committed to making changes that benefit our school community. Thank you for helping us grow and improve together!

#### You said:

"There needs to be more exciting things for the kids - school discos, Xmas fair etc."

#### We did:

We have organised a Christmas disco for all children to attend and are working closely with parents to organise a range of events such as a Christmas and summer fair.

#### You said:

"There needs to be better wraparound care."

#### We did:

A consultation has been sent out to all parents to gauge interest for wraparound care after school.

