



'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**.

Weekly Reflection



The lighter mornings are finally here, bringing a much-needed lift as we edge closer to spring. After what has felt like a very long and grey winter, it's wonderful to see the first signs of brighter days creeping in. There's a real sense of optimism in the air, and hopefully it won't be long before we start to feel that little bit of spring sunshine too.

This half term promises to be a busy and exciting one. We've got plenty to look forward to—new learning themes, upcoming events, enrichment opportunities, and lots of chances for our children to shine. As always, we're grateful for the continued support of our whole school community, and we can't wait to share all the brilliant moments ahead.

Attendance Matters

Well done to this week's attendance WINNERS!

YEAR 4
(99.2%)

Whole school attendance:

95.71%

Year to date:

94.9%

School Target:

96%

96% and above	GOOD
91% - 96%	CAUSE FOR CONCERN
90% and below	PERSISTENTLY ABSENT

Dates for the diary

March

Thursday 5th March – World Book Day

Monday 9th – Friday 13th March

British Science Week

Year 5 Bikeability (takes place during school day)

Friday 20th March – Red Nose Day

Thursday 26th March – Easter Service at 09:30AM

Friday 27th March – Last day of term

April

Monday 13th April – Back to school

Easter Competition



We are excited to announce the return of our **Eggstravaganza** decorating competition this half term! Children are invited to get creative and design their very own decorated egg—whether it's funny, artistic, themed, or totally unique, we can't wait to see what they come up with.

All entries will be displayed in school, and a winner will be chosen from each class. Winners will receive a small prize and, of course, the glory of being crowned this year's Eggstravaganza champion!

We love seeing the imagination and effort that goes into these creations each year, and we're looking forward to another brilliant collection of egg-cellent entries!

British Values

What's happening in the news this week?



Let's have a look at this week's poster!

23rd February - 1st March 2026



Democracy

By following international space laws, countries agree to share their discoveries and work together peacefully for the benefit of everyone on Earth.

SIAMS Inspection

On **Thursday 5th March**, we will be welcoming Rupert Madeley, a SIAMS (Statutory Inspection of Anglican and Methodist Schools) inspector, to our school. The purpose of a SIAMS inspection is to evaluate how well our school's Christian vision guides our work, supports our children's personal development, and shapes our culture.

During the day, the inspector will spend time speaking with pupils and staff, visiting classrooms, observing aspects of school life, and reviewing how our Christian values are lived out across the school community. The inspection focuses on the impact of our ethos rather than on individual lessons or test results.

We look forward to sharing the outcome with you once the final report is received.

Taekwondo Club



We are exploring the possibility of running a Taekwondo club on Mondays after school, open to KS2 children. The club would run each week from 3:45pm to 4:45pm. We are committed to keeping the cost to parents as low as possible, and final pricing will be confirmed in the near future. If you are interested in your child taking part, please add your details below. Thank you!

<https://forms.office.com/e/Bj7ZpYiLMU>



March *into* Class!

WIN A FAMILY PASS TO
Cannon Hall Farm!

an
Easter Hamper
of Treats!

TO ENTER THE DRAW:

Have an Attendance Above **96.5%**
for the Whole of March!



Eggstravaganza!

Design an Egg Competition!

One Prize Per Year Group!

Get Creative and Design Your Best Egg!

Great Prizes to be Won for Each Year Group!

CLOSING DATE: MONDAY 23rd MARCH





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