

WITH GOD IN OUR HEARTS,
WE LOVE AND LEARN

St. Joseph's Newsletter

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Happy New Year to you all! It was lovely to welcome your children back to school last week. They were all happy to be back at school and share stories of their exciting holidays. Thank you for ensuring your children arrived back in full school uniform and on time it really does help the term get off to a positive start.

The new values we will be sharing with the children this half term are **eloquent and truthful**. Teachers will lead by example to help children develop an eloquent language which they can use to understand and articulate their emotions, beliefs and questions. They will also be encouraged by the example of their teachers to be truthful in the way they represent themselves and speak about the world.

We all look forward to another successful term and are excited to watch your children progress and develop their skills day by day!

Pupil Premium Funding

Pupil Premium was introduced in April 2011 and is allocated to schools to work with pupils who have been registered for free school meals (FSM) at any point in the last 6 years (known as 'Ever 6').

The funding is used to provide additional educational support to improve progress and to raise the standard of achievement for pupils who are, or who have ever been, registered as eligible for FSM as well as helping to ensure social and emotional well being.

The school therefore recommends that you apply to see if you are eligible for FSM and therefore the Pupil Premium funding even if it is on a short-term basis. To find out if you are eligible please click on the link on the school website. (Parents—Funding)

PTFA -Your School Lottery

Please go on to the school website and look under Parents/school lottery. This is your chance to play the lottery and support the school at the same time. It is simple to play, only takes 5 minutes to register and costs just £1 per week.

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Future Events

Monday 14 January	PCSO E-Safety Talk for parents 4pm
Tuesday 15 January	Year 2 to visit the library
Wednesday 16 January	Mindfulness to start in Y1 & 6
Thursday 17 January	Mini Tread Academy taster session 3.30-5pm
Monday 21 January	KS1 Food Taster session in hall 3.30pm
Tuesday 22 January	KS2 Food Taster session in hall 3.30pm
Monday 28 January	Y5/6 Children at Cardinal Griffin for Lion King
Monday 28 January	Lion King Performance @ Cardinal Griffin 4pm
Tuesday 29 January	Lion King Performance @ Cardinal Griffin 7pm
Thursday 31 January	Lion King Performance @ Cardinal Griffin 7pm
Thursday 31 January	No Mass
Wednesday 30 January	Football Finals @ RLC
Wednesday 13 February	KS2 Sportshall Athletics
Friday 15 February	Break up for Half term
Sunday 12 May	First Holy Communion
Thursday 20 June	Y6 Leavers' Mass 6pm @ St. Joseph and Etheldreda's Church

Star Learner Week 014

<u>Nursery</u>	Zach
<u>Class A</u>	Roman
<u>Class B</u>	Loergann
<u>Class C</u>	Courtney
<u>Class D</u>	Ella
<u>Class E</u>	Noah
<u>Class F</u>	Izzy
<u>Class G</u>	Tegan

Star Person Week 014

<u>Nursery</u>	Adalynn, Noah, Tommy
<u>Class A</u>	Ollie
<u>Class B</u>	Emily
<u>Class C</u>	Mollie
<u>Class D</u>	Leah
<u>Class E</u>	Scarlett
<u>Class F</u>	James
<u>Class G</u>	Oliver

Star Presentation Week 014

<u>Nursery</u>	Brigid
<u>Class A</u>	Henry
<u>Class B</u>	William
<u>Class C</u>	Ronnie
<u>Class D</u>	Holly
<u>Class E</u>	Jacob
<u>Class F</u>	Charley
<u>Class G</u>	Selina

Star Friend Week 014

<u>Nursery</u>	Freddie
<u>Class A</u>	Brody
<u>Class B</u>	Cristiana
<u>Class C</u>	Lily
<u>Class D</u>	Liam
<u>Class E</u>	Maya
<u>Class F</u>	Georgia
<u>Class G</u>	Nikita

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS THIS TERM

Clubs running this term:

Monday:	Football for years 3-6 All welcome
Tuesday:	Class clubs for years 1-6
Thursday:	Netball for years 3-6 All welcome
Mon-Fri:	Morning Club from 8.00am (£1.50) available to all children Afterschool Club until 4.30pm (£2.50) available to all children