



Newsletter 26th January 2024



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We Work, Learn and Grow Together in God's Love

"Jesus is a teacher of truth and life who shows us the way that leads to happiness" - a word from Pope Francis

"Reading can take you places you have never been before." - Dr Seuss

Attendance Matters - Whole School Target - 96%+.

Each week we will report on the whole school attendance and individual class attendance.

	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	Overall
Total Sept to date	96.96%	94.77%	93.75%	97.38%	96.72%	95.37%	95.29%	95.71%
This week	99.49%	87.50%	95.98%	100%	97%	96.12%	88.79%	95.18%

Well done to Year 3 again who are leading overall attendance weekly attendance!

Special Menu - We are having a 'Chinese New Year' meal on Thursday 8th February, with a choice of Chinese style chicken curry with vegetable rice & oven chips or Sweet & sour Quorn with vegetable & soy noodles. Followed by scrumptious chocolate rice crispy cake. This menu is now available to pre book online.

Parents' Evenings - Bookings open at 6pm today.

We are having parents' evenings on 20th February for KS2 and 28th February for EYFS and KS1.

Bookings will open at 6pm this evening, giving plenty of time to book a slot. The sessions will run from 2-6pm. If you are unable to attend, please contact your child's teacher via email or put a note in the planner to arrange a suitable time to meet up with them.

Y6 Catchup Meeting - With the upcoming residential to Tower Wood and the SATs in the Summer term we are inviting Year 6 parents and carers to a meeting at 6pm on Monday 29th January to discuss the details of the trip and to advise on the upcoming SATs and the preparations for them. Parents can preorder a SATs Buster pack which school can purchase on your behalf at discounted rates, please order by 10am on Tuesday 30th January via Eduspot. Please can we request that payments are kept up to date as they do need to be paid in full before the trip.

Dates for your Diary - These dates are now showing on our 'School Calendar' on our school website, please keep an eye on there, as any updates will show on there as changes are made.

29th January - Y6 Information evening @ 6pm in school

29th January - Y4 'With you Always' in school @ 6.30pm

31st January - 9.30 - 10.15am - Parents/Carers Online Safety Session (more details to follow)

5th February - Reception and Yr 6 National Measuring Programme

6th February - Years 5 & 6 performing at Young Voices at the AO Arena, Manchester

8th February - Chinese New Year menu (please pre book online)

9th February - Y4 Assembly @ 2.15 pm - Y4 parents and carers are welcome to attend

9th February - School finishes for half-term

18th February - Family Mass

19th February - School reopens

20th February - KS2 Parents' Evening

26th February- 1st March - Y6 residential to Tower Wood

28th February - EYFS & KS1 Parents' Evening

1st March - Author Visit, Susan Brownings

4th March - Y4 'With you Always' in school @ 6.30pm

7th March - World Book Day - more details to follow

8th March - Reception Class Assembly @ 2.30pm. Reception parents and carers are welcome to attend

14th March - Rock Kidz in school - more details to follow

22nd March - Year 2 Class Assembly @ 2.30pm. Year 2 parents and carers are welcome to attend

28th March - School closes for Easter

31st March - Easter Sunday, Family Mass

15th April - School reopens for Summer Term