

The Federation of St Mary's Catholic Schools



"As the Family of Jesus, we learn and love together"

28th September 2018

Y6W Class Collective Worship

6W began the week in tremendous fashion for the children and staff on the Junior Site. A beautiful and reflective collective worship centred around the topic of Loving. The children read, narrated, acted and sang for the school community. It certainly was a lovely opportunity for the school to come together to share in their thoughts and words. Well done 6W and Mrs Whitfield.



What do you say?

In this weeks gospel, from Mark 8:27-38, Peter acclaims Jesus as the Messiah. Jesus explains that he must suffer and die, and be raised again. Peter protests, but is rebuked by Jesus – who also says that anyone who follows him must first deny themselves and take up their cross.

Prayer

Forgive us, dear God,
when we use words to hurt others.
Help us to be people who speak
words of encouragement and kindness.
May all we say reflect the love
you showed for us on the cross.





Macmillan Coffee Morning

It was a wonderful turn out at the coffee morning today. Thank you to those who were able to join us, it was lovely to see the event so well supported. Thank you for your generosity with donations, be that cake or money. All the children enjoyed a cake or 2 away from the coffee morning and they really enjoyed them too! We will let you know next week how much money was raised.

Raffle Winners:

1st Sian Wray

2nd—Anna Naylor

3rd—Katherine Grange

4th—Mrs Marcroft

5th—Kate Groucutt



Thank you to PTFA, G&J distillers & Beauty By Anna

We Are A Nut Free School

Reminder—Nut products

Polite reminder please do not put peanut butter or other nut products in packed lunches. We have children in the Infant and Junior School with severe allergies.



Guess The Sweet Jars Winners
Coffee morning—Madeline Reynolds
EYFS—Matthew RB
KS1—Ethan Y2T
LKS2—Darcey Y3O
UKS2—Lola Y5R

Congratulations to the winners for the closest guesses. Thank you to all the children for taking part and raising money for Macmillan Cancer Support

Class Masses

9th October Y5H —9.15am

Parents welcome to join us in school

for Class Mass

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Weekly Attendance



RB	97.6%	RM	91.3%
Y1M	96.3%	Y1N	95.7%
Y2G	97.5%	Y2T	98.5%
Y30	97.7%	Y3M	95%
Y4F	99.7%	Y4L	97.2%
Y5H	98.7%	Y5R	92.7%
Y6D	97.8%	Y6W	99.3

Best class attendance w/e 21st September Y4F 99.7% & Y2T 98.5% SCHOOL ATTENDANCE TARGET 96.5%

Mass Times



Please note the times of Sunday Masses at the Catholic Parish Churches

St Mary's - Sunday 9am & 4.30pm

St Patrick's - Sunday 10am

St David's - Saturday 6.30pm & Sunday 11am

School Photos ACADEMY PHOTOGRAPHY

Photo proofs have been sent home this week.

Please return orders to school as soon as possible.

The order deadline is 9am on 10th October.

Our Superstars Week ending 28th September Well done everyone!

RB	Matthew	RM	Thea
Y1M	Ava	Y1N	Christopher
Y2G	McKenzie	Y2T	Amelia
Y3M	Harrison	Y30	Noah
Y4F	Paul	Y4L	Leighton
Y5H	Summer	Y5R	Alfie V
Y6D	Isabella	Y6W	Cyran

PARENTS EVENING AUTUMN TERM

Parents evening will take place on

Wednesday 10th & Thursday 11th October

Appointments are available between 4pm and 7pm on both nights.

If you have not yet booked your appointment or are experiencing problems with the online booking system please contact Mrs Dorsett or Mrs Hughes in the offices.

FLU VACCINATION PROGRAMME

If you have not yet returned your child's flu form please could you send to school on Monday—even if opting out from having the vaccination. Thank you



Newton Community Centre 426 Club every Thursday

Dates may be subject to change - we will give parents as much notice as possible.



Nursery & Infant Diary Dates

Friday 5th October Academy Photographs—NURSERY ONLY

Wednesday 10th October Parents Evening—4pm—7pm

Thursday 11th October Parents Evening 4pm—7pm

Tuesday 16th October Reading Workshop for Reception Parents 5.30pm

Friday 19th October Reception Stay & Play—2-3pm

Friday 19th October School Closes

Tuesday 30th October School Re-opens

Junior Diary Dates

Thursday 4th October Y5H Swimming

Monday 8th October Y6 PGL Meeting—3pm

Tuesday 9th October Y5H Class Mass—9.15am

Wednesday 10th October Parents Evening—4pm—7pm

Thursday 11th October Parents Evening 4pm—7pm

Monday 15th October Y4 "With You Always" session 2 for children 3.30-4.30pm

Tuesday 16th October Y4 "With you Always" session 2 for children 3.30-4.30pm

Wednesday 17th October Y6 PGL Residential

Friday 19th October School Closes

Tuesday 30th October School Re-opens