



St. Paul's Catholic Primary School

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Friday 17th May 2024

A Note from the Headteacher

Dear all

Huge thanks for all the hard work and efforts from all the parents, staff and children who have been so supportive and hardworking over KS2 SATS Week. The children have done themselves (and all of us!) proud and it was great to watch them enjoy the reward this afternoon!

Lots going on at St Paul's next week too- please see the details below about our Catholic celebrations. It would be lovely if the children could bring in a few flowers to hold in the procession and present at the altar of Our Lady on Wednesday.

As well as singing at Butterfly Lodge on Tuesday, our Singing Club are also performing at the Laudato Si Mass at the Cathedral on Wednesday at 1pm, so if you happen to be near town we would love for you to join us with the rest of the CAST family!

On Thursday we have a 'mindfulness author' visiting. Please find more details about this in the leaflet sent home yesterday (Thursday) or on the website. <https://www.robholmes.org/> The children always enjoy such visits from 'real' authors and are inspired to read more and become authors themselves!

Have a safe and happy weekend!

Mrs Hensman



Our Catholic Life

Our Gospel value this week is **COMPASSION**

This week we invite you to our whole school Mass on Tuesday at 10am in the Church, and a May procession on Wednesday, in school at 9am, to honour May being the month of Our Lady.



Gospel Reflection for Sunday 19th May- Pentecost Sunday

"Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive people's sins, they are forgiven; if you do not forgive them, they are not forgiven."

In the gospel this week we hear about how the disciples were filled with the special gift of the Holy Spirit and how this gave them courage to go out and tell everyone about Jesus.

Why do you think Jesus gave the Holy Spirit to the disciples? The Holy Spirit can also give us the courage to speak out, just like the disciples. Can you think of a time when the gift of the Holy Spirit gave you courage to speak out?

As always, we warmly invite you to join us for our whole school celebrations at 9am on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.



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Attendance Ladder

Attendance



whole school Attendance this week is 91%

Once again, congratulations to **Year 6** with **99.17%**

You win 5 minutes extra play!

Please ensure children are in school at 8.35am. Lessons start at 8.45am prompt and it is important that children feel settled and READY to learn.

Celebration Time

We are so proud of all our children at St Paul's but this week these children have earned themselves extra recognition. We are proud to share this news!

We can see that the children are continuing to gain lots of dojos- keep going! The star person from each class will be invited to have Hot Chocolate with the Headteacher on Friday afternoon. A special guest (who has won the Headteacher Award) may sit at the top of the table!

Class	English Award	Maths Award	RE Award	Star Person
Reception	Ivy	Arthur	Jaxon	Sapphire
Year 1	Freya	Jack	Amber	Callum
Year 2/3	Harper	Sam C	Josh	Aaron
Year 3/4	Alex	Alfie	Nathaniel	Matylda
Year 5	Max	Timmy	Ivan	Bradley
Year 6	Well done to all of Year 6 with completing their SATs this week :)			



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Year 5 - Sophia,
Lyle and Timmy

Year 2 - Alfie
Year 3 - Josh B
and Nathaniel
Year 4 - Amelia
Year 6 - Ava
and Poppy

HEADTEACHER AWARD- At the top of the table this week is Toby in Y2/3 as all the staff have noticed that he has developed his positive attitude towards learning. Not only that, “ He has been showing such **PERSEVERANCE** and **DETERMINATION** but is also very **HUMBLE** with the progress he is making”
Fantastic, Toby- keep this up- we are so proud of you!

Termly Dates

[Term Dates 2023-24 and 2024-25](#)

[St Paul's Dates 2023-2024](#)



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VENUE:
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SATURDAY 22ND JUNE 2024

UNDER 18,15,13,11,9



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