



Sacred Heart Catholic Primary School

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Friday 21st June 2024

Message from Mr Claxton

Congratulations to St David's house on winning sports' day for the second year in a row! Well done to all of the children for a fantastic day and thank you to you all for your help and support.

Message from Fr Seelan:

The relics of St Jacintha and St Francesco along with the miraculous statue of Our Lady of Fatima are visiting our parish for 24 hours, arriving Saturday 29th June at 13.00 until Sunday 30th at 13.00.

We will be having a 24 hour Rosary rally. Would you like to join us to pray 30 minutes of rosary? We need volunteers to sign up for 30 minutes.

Sunday 30th June, 10:45, we will have a procession from St Oswald's to Sacred Heart, with relics of St Jacintha and St Francesco along with the miraculous statue of Our Lady of Fatima concluding with outdoor Holy Mass at 12:00 on the school field. Bring a picnic or plate to share!

UPCOMING DATES

24th June – FOSH dress down day – colour donations - see email for details

25th June – Year 2 local church visit – see email for details

5th July – School reports out to parents

5th July – FOSH dress down day – sweets or bottle donation – see email for details

5th July – FOSH Summer fayre – see email for details

8th July – Open evening for parents following reports – details to follow

11th July – Year 6 Production - see email for details

17th July - Y6 Leavers Trip – see email for details

19th July – Last day of Summer Term

WEEKLY ATTENDANCE

Reception: 90.3%

Year One: 91.3%

Year Two: 99.3%

Year Three: 92.8%

Year Four: 95.6%

Year Five: 97.3%

Year Six: 94.5%

School: 94.4%

Year to date: 95.9%

Our school attendance target is 96%. We want every child to reach their full potential at school and maintaining good levels of attendance is vital in this. Thank you for your continued support with this!

A reminder that our attendance policy is available on our school website and can be found here:

<https://www.sacredheartprimary.org.uk/attachments/download.asp?file=2659&type=pdf>

Next week's gospel:

Mark 4:35-41

MASS DATES

27th June - Years Three & Six

4th July - Years Two & Four

11th July - Years One & Five

19th July – Y6 Leavers' mass



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EYFS

We were very proud of the children on Sports Day. They all had a go and participated really well! They thoroughly enjoyed the day and it was lovely to see so many parents cheering them on. This week, we have created our class story based on the book we have been reading 'Meesha Makes Friends.' The children have thought of some great ideas and we are now starting to write part of the story. In Maths we have been recapping doubles to 10 and in phonics we are reading and writing words with adjacent consonants e.g. **brush, skip, jump**.

Year 1

Year One really enjoyed taking part in Sports Day this week. They all tried really hard and we all had great fun! The children have also enjoyed learning to plait friendship bracelets as part of their art lessons this week. In English, the children have been working on their re-tell of the Great Fire of London. On Thursday, we celebrated Mass and it was the first time some of the Year One children read the Bidding prayers, we were extremely proud of them all!

Year 2

This week year two have enjoyed sewing their pouches within Design and technology. They carefully sewed on their design on the front and then sewed the front and back pieces together. Year two also enjoyed starting a new Art topic where they were looking at pictures of maps as stimulus for their own piece of art in the next few weeks. Within Science, they were looking at how to stay safe in a kitchen as well as why this is important.

Year 3

Year 3 thoroughly enjoyed competing at sports day this year. This was their first year doing the morning activities and they worked well with each other to complete as many as possible. In Math they have begun to learn about angles and how to measure angles. In English they have continued to learn about adventure stories. On Friday they had an afternoon treat of a film and ice cream after earning 25 marbles.

Year 4

Year 4 had a wonderful time on Sports Day this year and it was amazing to see so many parents cheering them on! In our writing, the children have been planning their non-chronological report, choosing between three different states: Wisconsin, Alaska and Arizona. In Maths, Year 4 have been grappling with time and converting from analogue to digital. In science, the children created posters on an animal builder, such as a beaver or termite. In RE, the children explored different liturgical traditions in lots of different Catholic churches and were able to create some artwork based off the Coptic Catholic Church.



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Year 5

We have had another busy week with a very successful Sports Day. Our new member of Year Five said it was his most favourite Sports Day ever! We also celebrated class Mass with Year One on Thursday. We had lots of new children reading and it was lovely to hear Father Seelan complimenting them on for doing such as wonderful job. In Art we enjoyed investigating the work of British artist Chila Kumari Singh Burnam who likes to combine her Indian roots with popular culture. We had a go at experimenting with our own self-portraits inspired by her glittery, vibrantly coloured multi-media self-portraits.

Year 6

We thoroughly enjoyed our last ever sports day at primary school and gave it our all! In English, we have been writing letters to our 4-year-old selves, giving advice or what to do or not to do when you start school. Art has been a lot of fun. We are learning about photorealism and were challenged to recreate a photograph using a grid to help us keep features in proportion. Here is some of our work!

