

NEWSLETTER



**Spring
Term
16.02.2024**

Dear Parents / Carers,

I hope this last newsletter of this half term finds you well.

Yesterday, I shared our Catholic Schools Inspection report with you all. If you haven't had time to read it yet, please do so over the half term break. We are delighted to have attained 7 areas out of 9 as outstanding, with the remaining 2 areas being graded as good.

On Wednesday, we said our 'Good-byes' to Mrs Hazeldine. We hope she enjoys her retirement.

The photos from the recent Year 4 residential to London have been posted on Facebook this week. We hope you enjoyed them.

Thank you to Father Carl and the catechists for coming to school on Wednesday to distribute Ashes. Ash Wednesday is the start of Lent. During this time, we are asked to either undertake more acts of kindness or to give up something we enjoy (chocolate, sweets). I wish you all good luck with your personal choices.

Next week, school is closed. We look forward to seeing you all on Monday 26th February.

Reception and Y 6 Height & Weight Checks

The school nursing team are in school on Wednesday 28th February to complete these checks. This was rearranged from the week that we had our Catholic Schools Inspection. If you do not give consent, you will need to check the letter sent via ParentMail for details of how to inform the nursing team.

MMR Vaccinations

If you have returned your form for your child to receive an MMR vaccination from Intrahealth, the nursing team will be in on Thursday 29th February to administer the vaccinations.

First Holy Communion

An email was sent yesterday to parents of children in Year 4. The email contains the dates which Fr Carl and the catechists have set. There is a potential clash with the first meeting date and the Pupil Parent Conference. As per the email, we will accommodate an alternative time or date for you to see your child's work.

If your child is in Year 5 or Year 6 and hasn't made their First Holy Communion and you would like them to do so, please contact school.

Pupil Parent Conference: 27.02.24

Thank you to all who have booked their time slots. If you haven't already done so, you are still able to via the school website. Please see the booking guide sent via ParentMail for full details..

AWARDS

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Reception

Golden Ticket	Harrison	Showing more interest and a willingness to join in classroom activities.
Golden Ticket	Helena	Superb singing during family mass.
Golden Ticket	Luca	Improved handwriting.
Reading Champ	Ella-Beau	Well done for completing your weekly reading tasks.
Empathy	Thea	Thea is a kind, caring and polite member of our class who shows empathy to all.

Year One

Golden Ticket	Albie	Using his number bonds to ten to help him add larger numbers.
Golden Ticket	Daisy	Really trying with her writing this week, she is beginning to apply her phonics spelling words.
Golden Ticket	Freya	Sharing her ideas about her story she has been writing this week with enthusiasm.
Reading Champ	Jonty	Well done for completing your weekly reading tasks.
Positivity	Thomas	Thomas has a positive attitude towards his work and is taking greater pride with his presentation of work. Well done Thomas!

Year Two

Golden Ticket	Jane	An excellent effort writing sentences independently this week.
Golden Ticket	Louisa	A wonderful effort with her reading quiz this week.
Golden Ticket	Ronnie	Understanding how to use the multiplication symbol and recording number sentences accurately.
Reading Champ	Natalie	Well done for completing your weekly reading tasks.
Excellence	Doris	Doris is such a hard worker who always strives to be the very best she can be!

Year Three

Golden Ticket	Evie	Read her own story using the book <i>The Winter's Child</i> to the class. We loved your use of similes.
Golden Ticket	Jayden	Becoming more confidence in doubling and halving during your mastering number sessions.
Golden Ticket	Perrie	Thoughtful questions in RE.
Reading Champ	Daniel	Well done for completing your weekly reading tasks.
Excellence	Jeb	Jeb for having the confidence to volunteer to read his story to the class. We loved hearing your story and your enthusiasm whilst you shared your work with us.

Year Four

Golden Ticket	Harley	Amazing work in science when exploring circuits.
Golden Ticket	Myles	Completing a sustainable piece of writing.
Golden Ticket	River	Working well on finding the perimeter of polygon shapes.
Reading Champ	Ella	Well done for completing your weekly reading tasks.
Resilience	Amelia	Amelia is consistently pushing herself to achieve her best and this is now showing in the her work.

Year Five

Golden Ticket	George	Recalling the main events in the life of Chris Hadfield in English.
Golden Ticket	Nathan	Designing a space inspired outfit in the fashion design topic in art.
Reading Champ	Dominic	Well done for completing your weekly reading tasks.
Resilience	Jason M	After having a very sad day he picked himself up and worked hard in class to complete his art work.

Year Six

Golden Ticket	Callum	Fantastic work when explaining the relationship between ratio and fractions.
Golden Ticket	Isaac	A brilliant score on his recent reading paper.
Golden Ticket	Phoebe	Amazing sentences using personification and passive voice when writing about Spring.
Reading Champ	Harry	Well done for completing your weekly reading tasks.
Empathy	Ruby	Ruby always looks out for the needs of her class mates and is a friend to everyone.