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Dear Parents

Parish Links

Pilgrimage - Sunday 7th July

The Diocesan pilgrimage takes place at Our Lady of Lourdes on Sunday 7th July from 3pm onwards. Everyone is welcome to come and celebrate with our parish. Pupils from years 3 and 6 are particularly invited to attend. Year 3 pupils are invited to attend in their First Holy Communion clothes.



Shugborough Residential Trip - 2019

A reminder for year 5 parents that the next instalment of £19 is now due. Please pay via ParentPay. Thank you

Y6 SATS 2020 *** Current Y5 parents please note***

The bank holiday next May has been moved to coincide with VE Day and will move from Monday to Friday 8th May.

Please note that SATS will take place from Monday 11th May 2020 - Thursday 14th May 2020. This follows the bank holiday weekend. Please note that NO holiday must be taken during SATS week.



Joe's Growing Zone

Joe's growing zone is now complete and ready for pupils to start growing their class vegetables! Thank you to everyone who supported our fundraising to enable the PTFA to purchase this for school.

Reception Class - Milk

Children in reception class receive free milk up until their 5th birthday.

If you wish your child to continue having milk during morning break this can be paid for through ParentPay. Please select morning break sales. Milk is sold at 45p.

Balances are checked once a week on a Monday morning at 8.30am. Please ensure you have sufficient credit to enable your child to receive their drink.

Please send a note into class with your child on a Monday as to which days they are to have milk. We will then arrange for your child to receive their milk on the relevant day. Thank you.

PTFA Sports Day Raffle

Thank you to everyone who supported our recent PTFA raffle. Our lucky winners were Kian Y1, Harry Y5, Elliot Reception, Ula Y3, Seth Y4 and Robert Y6

Staffing - September 2019

We welcome Mrs Antoszkiewicz who has recently started at St Joseph's and Miss Mayer in September who will be teaching year 3.

Please find below the staffing structure for September onwards.

Mrs Dewsbury will continue supporting pupils across the school in small groups or one to one.

Mrs Parker will also be working with small groups of pupils across the school.

Mrs Donnelly will continue to work with groups of pupils across the school.

Class	Teacher	Teaching Assistant
Nursery	Mrs S Davies	Mrs McGrath Miss Griffiths
Reception	Mrs Farrah Mrs Shepherd	Miss Harvey
Year 1	Miss Edwards	Mrs Chave Miss Griffiths
Year 2	Mrs Davies	Miss Griffiths
Year 3	Miss Mayer	Mrs Cox
Year 4	Miss Hunwick	Mrs Richardson Mrs Antoszkiewicz
Year 5	Mr Sayce	Mrs Richardson
Year 6	Miss Smith	Mrs Malpass

Transition Day - Monday 15th July

Children will spend the day with their new teacher in their September classrooms.

End of term events

A reminder of the events taking place during the last few weeks of term:

Friday 5 th July	Year 6 leavers' lunch for parents	12pm
Tuesday 10 th July	Year 6 Play	2pm & 6pm
Tuesday 16 th July	Leavers' Mass in school	9.15am
Wednesday 17 th July	Disco - Rec/KS1*	6pm-7pm
	Disco - Key Stage 2*	7-8.30pm
Friday 19 th July	Leavers' Assembly	9.10am

*Admission £1.50 (Plus 50p for Rec/KS1 if your child would like sweets)

NO MOBILE PHONES ARE PERMITTED AT THE SCHOOL DISCO



We have launched a school lottery! Tickets cost just £1 per ticket, per week and 40% of all ticket sales are donated to our school. Draws take place every Saturday at 8pm. Our first draw will take place on Saturday 28th September - providing that enough supporters have joined. A minimum of 50 tickets are required before our first draw. Please support this new fundraiser!

To start supporting, Visit:

www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/play

And Search For:

St Joseph's Catholic Primary School,

Supporters must be 16 years of age or older.



Erasable Pens

Pilot FriXion Erasable Pens.

From September pupils in years 5 & 6 will be able to use these pens in class. They are available to purchase from the school office. Pens will cost £2 each and refills £1.25 each. Payment can be made via ParentPay. Once paid your child can collect their pen from the office.



BIRTHDAY PARTIES

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Does your child have a birthday on a school day?
If so, why not book a lunchtime party!

From September we will be taking table bookings for your child and up to 10 friends to have a birthday lunch together at school.

The cost is **£30** for children in KS2 (years 3-6)

The cost is **£10** for children in KS1 (reception – year 2) as their meals are free.

Parties will take place in St Joseph's Room

There is a choice of four menus and a cookie birthday cake will be provided.

We can only accept one booking per day and require 2 weeks' notice please. Please complete a booking form available from the school office, or from the website, and return to the school office.