

'Working together to succeed, through faith in Jesus Christ'

Weekly Newsletter: Friday 14th January 2022

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Celebrating our gifts, talents and achievements...

Stars of the Week:			Proud Work of the Week:		
	YR	Zofia		YR	Mason
	Y1	Sonny		Y1	Diana
	Y2	Nova		Y2	Jordan
	Y3	Suri		Y3	Lola
	Y4	Lukas		Y4	Oliver
	Y5	Berrie		Y5	Conor
	Y6	Grace		Y6	Mya



Rainbow Champions



R: Harper, Lilly, Alaya, Antoni, Lennon, Rhys J, Eva, Laura, Rhys S, Rosie-Mae,

Y1: Lacey, Ruby-May, Daria, Sonny, Ava-Lily, Hallie, Maisie, Grace, Olivia, Alfie, Diana, Lexi, Carla, Bailey, Bradley, Sophie

Y2: The Whole Class

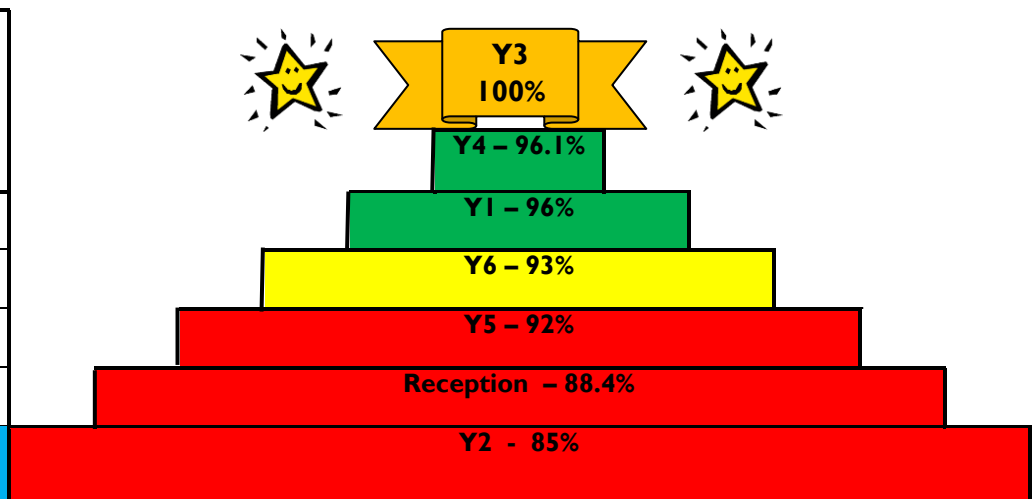
Y3: Victoria, Lola, Katarzyna, Lucas, Toby, Chloe, Jacob, Pola, Bianka, Cameron, Alfie, Nicolae, Kai, Angel

Y4: Alexis, Anthony, Dominik, Stefan, Lily, Alex, Nathaniel, Kaden, Demi, Niall, Thomas, Amelia-Rose V, Oliver

Y5: Berrie, Mimi, Alissa, Dominic

Y6: Angel, Bobby, Filip, Natalia, Porchia, Maci-Beau, Gunnjot, Tyler

Attendance Matters Every student. Every day.	
98-100%	Excellent
96-97%	Good
93-95%	Needs to Improve
90-92%	Cause for Concern
Our attendance target is: 97%	



School News...

Reading Meetings	Reception Class 2022	RE & Catholic Life
<p>Mrs Georgiou and our EYFS and KSI teachers would like to invite parents to a socially distanced meeting about our new approach to phonics and reading in Reception, Years 1 and 2. The meetings will take place in the hall and we ask that only ONE adult represents each child per class at the meetings which will last approx. 30 mins.</p> <p>Year 2 Reading Meeting: Monday 17th January at 9am Reception Reading Meeting: Tuesday 18th January at 9am Year 1 Reading Meeting: Wednesday 19th January at 9am</p> <p>We look forward to sharing our new approaches and resources with you!</p>	<p>If your child is due to start school in September 2022 and you would like to join our Reception Class next year then please remember that applications must now be made online.</p> <p>The web address for those families living in Warrington is: https://www.warrington.gov.uk/primary-school-admissions</p> <p>For further information about the admissions process, please contact Warrington Admissions on 01925 446226.</p> <p>The closing date for applications is Monday 17th January 2022. If you have any questions then please do not hesitate to contact the school office.</p>	<p>Mrs O'Regan, our RE and Catholic Life Lead, sends home the Come and See Spring Term 2022 newsletter today.</p> <p>The newsletter details what topics your child's class will be studying in Religious Education until the Easter break. The three topics will fall under the headings of Local Church, Eucharist and Lent/Easter.</p> <p>We will also be celebrating our second 'Other Faiths Week' this term. Pupils in various classes will study Islam, Hinduism and Sikhism as outlined in the newsletter.</p> <p>Years 3 and 4 will lead Come and See assemblies this term. More information will follow nearer the time about these.</p>
After School Clubs	PE Days	REMINDERS
<p>Our after school clubs for this half of the Spring Term have been organised and set up this week. All clubs begin next week and run for 5 weeks up to and including the last week of this half term. The timetable of clubs is attached below.</p> <p>Clubs will run from 3.00 – 4.00pm. Pupils are to be collected from their usual classroom door. Pupils in Years 5 and 6 who have already been granted permission to walk home from school may also walk home from clubs at 4.00pm this half term.</p> <p>Next half term, we look forward to adding some clubs for our Reception Class children!</p>	<p>Your child will have PE lessons on the following days this term:</p> <p>Monday: Years 4 and 6 Tuesday: Years 3 and 5 Wednesday: Reception and Year 1 Thursday: Years 1, 2, 3 and 5 Friday: Years 2, 4 and 6</p> <p>Please remember to wear a plain black/navy tracksuit during these colder months, a plain white t-shirt and appropriate trainers.</p>	<p>School gates are open from 8.45 – 8.55am each morning. Any children arriving after 8.55am must be brought to the school office and signed in giving a reason for their lateness.</p> <p>Please ensure parents/carers notify the school office of any changes to contact details e.g. telephone numbers.</p> <p>Please notify the school office by telephone or via the app if your child is going to be absent from school by 9am on each day of their absence.</p> <p>Mr Gosling sent home some information this week about health and safety issues relating to PE lessons this term. Please read and ensure you follow the guidance.</p>

COVID-19 REMINDERS in line with DFE & Public Health Guidance (14.1.22):

- Please **do not** send your child to school if they display any COVID-19 symptoms e.g. (new, persistent cough, temperature above 37.8 degrees or a loss of taste/smell)
- If your child tests positive on a lateral flow test then they must isolate immediately. School requires photographic evidence of this positive result which is to be emailed to contactststephens@gmail.com
- Under the current government guidelines, if your child returns a negative lateral flow test on Days 6 and 7 of isolation then they may return to school on Day 8. Again, school will need photographic evidence of this sent to the above email address.
- Any child who has been in contact with a positive case of COVID-19 may still attend school as long as they are well, symptom free and have tested negative on a lateral flow test. School requires evidence of this. Under new guidance, families are to provide daily negative lateral flow results in order for your child to attend school each day. Again this must be sent daily for 7 consecutive days to the above email address.
- If a child is absent from school due to isolation purposes then school is now legally obliged to provide online learning via Tapestry (Reception) or Seesaw (Y1-6) each day as long as they are well enough to do so.

Spring Term 1 - After School Clubs

Monday 3:00 – 4:00pm	Tuesday 3:00 – 4:00pm	Wednesday 3:00 – 4:00pm	Thursday 3:00 – 4:00pm	Friday 3:00 – 4:00pm
Year 2 Art Club Mrs Doyle/Mrs Bishop	Year 3 Sports Club Sports Coach	Year 6 Sports Club Sports Coach	Year 5 Sports Club Sports Coach	Year 4 Sports Club Sports Coach
Year 4 Art Club Mrs Ridpath		Year 3 Story and Chill Club Mrs Harper	Year 4 TT Rockstars Club Mrs O'Regan	Year 1 Explorers' Club Mr Hatton
			Y6 Guitar Club Mr Glynn	
			Year 3 Art Club Mrs Ridpath	

Clubs will run for 5 weeks until week ending Friday 18th February 2022