



Our Lady's Catholic Primary School

Learning to Love; Loving to Learn

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EMBRACING THE UNIQUENESS OF EACH CHILD THROUGH THE MESSAGE OF GOD'S LOVE

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SATS Tests

We wish our Year 6 children lots of good luck as they undertake their Statutory Attainment Tests (SATs) over the next week in Reading, Grammar, Punctuation, Spelling and Mathematics. The children are all invited into school for breakfast from 8:15 (Monday-Thursday) to hopefully settle their nerves and give them a hearty start to the day ahead. Children, I hope that you have all managed to read the letter that Miss Haley and I wrote to you.

Good luck children – you have all worked so hard, with such a positive attitudes and I am sure that you will all shine!

Cricketers

Well done to the children of Year 4 who took part in the cricket festival in Hunningham this week. It was lovely to hear some of you say that you would like to take cricket up as a new hobby, following the success of the day. It was lovely to see you looking so smart in your new sports gear, donated by the PTA. Very professional!

Alton Castle Trip - Year 6

Payments should be completed by Friday 12th May. If you are not sure of the outstanding balance for your child, please contact Mrs Davenport in the school office.

Old £5 Notes

We will no longer be accepting old £5 notes from today. These will cease to be legal tender after Friday 5th May 2017. Please cash them in at your nearest local bank or building society. Thank you.



Some great teamwork and creativity in Year 5!

Car Parking

Please can I ask that parents park safely on the road and not in the car park (unless we have agreed it for a specific reason). The car park is for staff and official visitors. There have been occasions recently when staff have not been able to park because parents have used the car park and not the road. Thank you for your understanding in this matter.

Leave of Absence Term Time

Please see letter attached on website and given out in hard form last week.

Attendance - This week's attendance: 98%

This is above our target ☺

Sainsburys Vouchers

Active Kids vouchers are no longer available in Sainsbury's stores. Make sure you round up all of the vouchers you've got at home, in the car or in your bags and send them into school so that we can get counting! These vouchers allow us to purchase 'free' sports equipment for playground and lunchtimes for your children to enjoy.

Music and After School Club Payments

Payments for the above were due in school by today. If you have not yet paid please send your money into the office on Monday.

Reminder Children should not wear nail varnish to school and long hair must be tied back.



Reception and Year 6 working together in Science to make rockets.

This week's special mentions

Year R	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Isobel	Thomas	Bethany	Charlotte	Max	Rafferty	Etienne

This week's attendance figures

YR	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
99%	99%	99%	99%	97%	98%	97%



The children have really enjoyed their special treats for filling their Respect jars. Well done children for working so hard!

The Month of May - Mary's Month



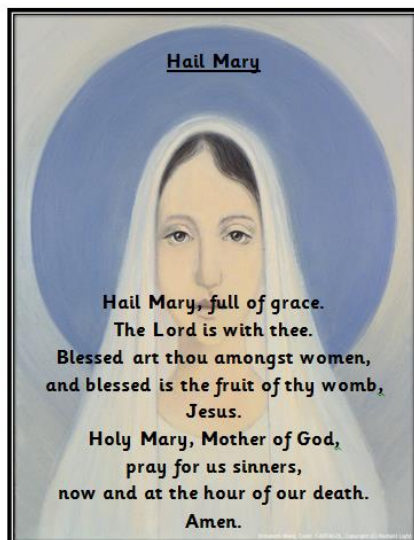
Our May Procession



This week we have begun the month of May and we celebrated with a wonderful May Procession this afternoon. Thank you to everyone who donated flowers and joined us for our special devotion to Our Lady.

During this month – try and pray the Hail Mary or perhaps say a decade of the Rosary.

How have you compassionate and loving this week?

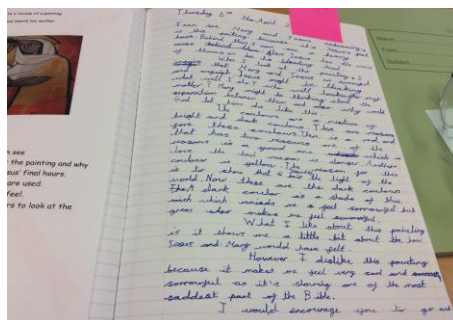


Reception Family Mass

Hopefully you received your invites, reception parents, from your children this week? There is a Family Mass this Sunday for Reception children at Princethorpe Chapel at 10:15. The children have written their name on a large stone this week which will be blessed by Father Teddy on Sunday. The stone will be put into the prayer garden at school. All are welcome.

Father Hudson Boxes

Please return any of these boxes into school as soon as possible so that our donation can be sent to the charity. Thank you in advance.



Some thoughtful Year 3 writing in RE...



Next week at a glance:

Rosary Club led by Chaplaincy team and Mrs Corry

Sunday 7th May:
Reception Family Mass
Princethorpe Chapel 10:15

Monday 8th May:
Year 6 SATs week – Monday to Thursday
Breakfast for the Year 6s from 8:15
No Mission Assembly in the morning

Wednesday 10th May:
First Holy Communion Meeting
Wappenbury 6:30



Some of our Year 1s creating their Florence Nightingale mosaic this week.

Have a wonderful weekend
Kate Madia