



Our Lady's Catholic Primary School

Learning to Love; Loving to Learn

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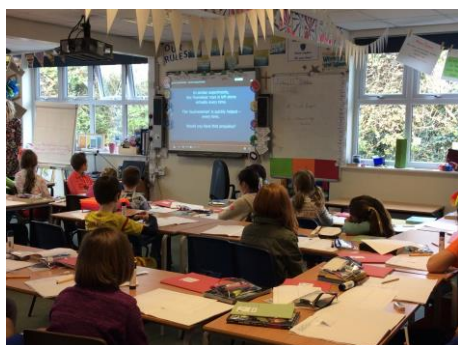
EMBRACING THE UNIQUENESS OF EACH CHILD THROUGH THE MESSAGE OF GOD'S LOVE

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This Week at School...

...has been brilliant!

Super proud of Rafferty who had a really successful first origami club session. It was a joy to watch him in action; what an excellent teacher he would make!



Year 5 and 6 reflection on social justice issues in their RE lesson today.

Looking at Learning

Looking at learning takes place next week for children in Years 1-6. It is a opportunity to spend time with your child, looking through their books and talking about their learning. It

is not a parents evening. Teacher's are not available to talk to at this time. The sessions are designed for you to be more informed about your child's learning and progress before the teacher/parent consultations after half term.

Looking at learning:

Year 5 and 6: 2:30 Monday 16th in the hall

Year 1 and 2: 2:30 Wednesday 18th in the hall

Year 3 and 4: 2:30 Thursday 19th in the hall

Shoe Box Appeal

This is just a reminder that the shoe boxes need to be in school by 3rd November.

Brighten Up for Harvest

Well done to the school council who organised our Cafod's 'Brighten up for Harvest' day today. What great fun! Thank you to Nicola for spraying my hair pink this morning....I forgot about the two new families that I had to show around this morning! We have raised lots of money for Cafod. Thank you everyone.

One Pound Coins

After October 16th we will not be accept the old £1 coin. Please bear this in mind when paying by cash at the school office. Thank you.

This week's attendance is 97%

Attendance is crucial. Please ensure that your child arrives in time for registration please. Lateness is disruptive for all involved. Thank you.



It is so important that children know how to stay safe online. It is something that we take seriously at Our Lady's. The children will be asked to sign an acceptable use statement that gives them rules for how to keep safe. We have one for KS2 children and an adapted version for the younger children.



Happy, confident children

This week's special mentions

Year R	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
	Charlie D	Harry	Holly	Reuben	Jack	Louis

This week's attendance figures

YR	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
98%	99%	92%	99%	99%	100%	94%

The children know that they need to work hard again this year to show the value of respect. They will receive respect tokens to go towards a whole class treat once their jar is full!



Father Christmas is starting early this year...

PE

Please can the children have their full kits in every day. Trainers must also be in as the children will be running every day. This half term Reception, year 1 and year 2 will be taught multi skills and dance; years 3 and 4 will be taught invasion games and hockey and years 5 and 6 will be taught invasion games and ball skills. We will be taking part in competitions throughout the year. I will keep you posted once the fixtures have been set. We have sent out letters this week regarding hockey and football friendlies which are taking place on Monday and Friday of next week.

A reminder that Year 3 and Year 4 require gum shields and shin pads for hockey please. Please can you make sure that the children have everything that they need.. Thank you.

Year R and Year 1 reading and Phonics session for parents

Thank you to the parents who attending. Don't worry if you missed it; you will receive all the information from the sessions.

Birthday gift reminder

Non-school uniform may be worn by children on their birthday or the school day nearest to their birthday! This way everyone in the

school community will know straight away that it is their special day. If your child's birthday is in the holidays or at the weekend, they may wear their own clothes on the Monday after or on the Friday before.

Permission Forms

It is important that permission form are filled in and returned to school as soon as possible please. Thank you.

Speak out Assemblies

Year 1 and 2 and 3 and 4 will have received letters about these assemblies which are taking place on Monday 16th October.

Lines of Communication

Please make appointments to see class teachers or myself. Trying to speak with teachers before school when they are not expecting it, is not fair as they are trying to get ready for the day. Messages that need passing on in the morning can be done so at the gate or through diaries/class dojo.

Please also make sure that class teachers are spoken to in the first incident, rather than me, as Headteacher, as they should be your first point of call. This is not say that I do not want to know anything! On the contrary, but often the class teacher is more informed because of the day to day contact. Thank you.

Reception

Miss Youds is on some training next week so I will be teaching the reception class on Tuesday morning and Wednesday. I can't wait!

Year 6 - Sing out for Joy

You will have received a letter about this event yesterday. Please make sure you return the slip as I need permission to take the children out of county. Please make sure the



children come in full school uniform. They may bring their own clothes to change into once back to school, as it is non-school uniform day.

We have a closed Facebook page for those who are new to us: [Our Lady's Catholic Primary School Princethorpe](#)

Next week at a glance:

Monday 16th October:

Mission assembly

PE kits (indoor and out must be in school every day now)

Year 1-2 Speak out assembly 1:30

Year 3-4 Speak out assembly 2:00

Looking at learning Year 5 and 6 2:30 hall

Tuesday 17th:

Swimming Year 3 and 4

PE for Year 1 and 2

Miss Amanda, our dance teacher to teach reception, year 1 and year 2

Wednesday 18th:

Hymn practice

Eco warrior meeting

Looking at learning Year 1 and 2 2:30 hall

Thursday 19th:

Looking at learning 3 and 4 2:30 hall

Friday 13th:

PTA McMillian Coffee event 1:30 - non-school uniform. Children to bring cakes.

Year 6 – Sing out for Joy

Have a wonderful weekend. **Kate Madia**

Think of the week:

(A beguiling question that stops you in your tracks and makes you think...)

If you take the back off a computer and fill it with flowers, does it become a vase?



AT OUR LADY'S WE ARE FULLY COMMITTED TO SAFEGUARDING AND PROMOTING THE WELFARE OF CHILDREN. WE EXPECT ALL STAFF, PARENTS AND VISITORS TO SHARE THIS COMMITMENT.



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