



ST. MARK'S R.C. PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER



Headteacher's Message



Dear Parents and Carers,

As we come to the end of another busy week, I would like to thank everyone for their continued support. Our school discos were very well attended, and it was wonderful to see so many children having such a fantastic time. There was lots of singing, dancing and laughter, and it was lovely to see the children enjoying themselves together. A huge thank you to DJ Cool for hosting such a fun-filled event and helping to create such happy memories for our children. Yesterday, we gathered together for a special assembly led by Miss Clarke, Mrs Adia and our Year 6 children. They helped us reflect on our school mission statement, "We Believe All People Matter," as we begin a new school year. The children spoke confidently and thoughtfully about what our mission means and how we can live it out through our words and actions each day. I am always incredibly proud of how our children demonstrate kindness, respect and care for one another. They truly do live out our mission statement in so many ways, showing that every person is valued and important within our school. Thank you also to the parents and family members who joined us for the assembly. Your support means a great deal to the children and helps strengthen the partnership between home and school.

Wishing you all an enjoyable weekend.

Mrs Woodruff

WEEKLY ATTENDANCE

Class	Attendance
N	98.1%
R	92.5%
Y1	92.9%
Y2	98.3%
Y3	93.5%
Y4	90.7%
Y5	98.3%
Y6	95.8%
WHOLE SCHOOL	94.9%



We Need Your Help on Census Day!



Many parents are unaware that the number of children having a school meal on Census Day (Thursday 1st October) directly affects the funding our school receives. In the current financial climate, school budgets are extremely stretched, and we are doing everything we can to maximise the funding available for our children.

As Thursday is also National Poetry Day, children will enjoy a special themed lunch as part of the celebrations. We would be very grateful if your child could have a school meal on this day, even if they usually bring a packed lunch.

Please book and pay for your child's meal via SCOPAY by Tuesday 29th September so that the kitchen can order enough food.

Thank you for your support. Every meal really does make a difference.



Poetry Day Wonderful Menu



Hot dog and chips

Chocolate ice-cream with sprinkles



Vanilla ice-cream with sprinkles



Orange juice



Monday 28th September

3.30: First Scaramental Programme meeting for Y3 parents. Y3 classroom.

Thursday 1st October

Own clothes/dress up for Poetry Day

Friday 25th September

Y3 and Y6 go to Mass at St Mark's RC Church. Parents are welcome to join us at Church.

Children are welcome to bring in their Rosary Beads throughout October, the month of The Holy Rosary.

Important Dates for Next Week



WE BELIEVE ALL PEOPLE MATTER