

The St Teresa Catholic Primary School

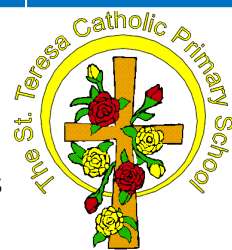
Week ending Friday 24th October 2025

Dear parents/ carers,

It was wonderful to see so many parents visit this week to look through their children's books. The children have been working incredibly hard since returning to school eight weeks ago, and it's clear how much they've already achieved. They've settled beautifully into their new classes and routines, and have absorbed a huge amount of new knowledge. Their effort and enthusiasm have been truly impressive.

As we head into the half-term break, it's a well-earned pause for everyone—especially our hardworking children. Autumn reminds us that even nature takes time to rest and reset before new growth. Half term offers us that same opportunity. Whether it's time spent with family, a walk in the crisp autumn air, or simply a quiet morning, these moments help restore us. Wishing you all a peaceful and refreshing half-term break.

God bless, Mr Campling



Weekly Attendance Figures

94% and below	94% – 97%	97% and above.
Reception	89.6%	
Year 1	93.9%	
Year 2	92.7%	
Year 3	97.8%	
Year 4	93%	
Year 5	★ 98.1% ★	
Year 6	97.4%	

Attendance: Whole school attendance figure for this week: **94.6%**

Our target as a school is 96%



St Francis	305
Thomas More	300
St Anne	274
St Elizabeth	295

Reception	Scarlett	For always being respectful and enthusiastic.
	Nana	For always trying his best and wanting to answer maths questions on the carpet.
Year 1	Hugo	For amazing perseverance in classwork, even when it gets a little tricky.
	Althea	For being a respectful and kind member of our classroom.
Year 2	Isaiah	For always participating enthusiastically in lessons.
	Gregory	For showing great focus and effort in his learning.
Year 3	David	For showing great improvement in his handwriting and the presentation of his work.
	Maria	For always putting 100% effort into her work and trying her best.
Year 4	Delmar	For showing amazing teamwork and positivity throughout the week.
	Kaja	For showing amazing hard work and dedication even when she finds things challenging.
Year 5	Getrude	For her use of figurative language in her writing.
	Adam	For his excellent contribution in sharing his maths strategies during class discussions.
Year 6	Andry	For working hard in her timetables and trying to challenge herself.
	Sara	For always being polite to adults, always listening well and trying her hardest in lessons.



If you are concerned about the safeguarding of any child in our school, please speak with one of our designated Safeguarding Leads, Mr Campling, Mrs Aggrey, Mr Kavanagh or Miss Hughes.



Our Year 6 netball team played their first match of the year this week. We travelled to Manor Primary and played a very competitive game against them, winning 6-3! A great performance from the whole team.



Monday 27th October 2025 to Friday 31st October 2025

HALF TERM

NOVEMBER

Monday 03 rd November	All children return to school Stay & Pray (08:20 – 08:40) all week.
Wednesday 5 th November	Year 1 trip to Hainault Forest
Monday 10 th November	Anti-Bullying week begins
Tuesday 11 th November	Remembrance service for pupils.
Wednesday 12 th November	Tours for prospective parents, Reception class 2026.
Thursday 20 th November	Year 3 class mass with Fr Jamie, 11am, (Year 3 Parents welcome to attend)
Sunday 30 th November	1 st Sunday of Advent

DECEMBER

Monday 01 st December	EYFS Nativity 09:15 (Nursery parents welcome to watch)
Tuesday 02 nd December	EYFS Nativity 09:15 (Reception parents welcome to watch)
Wednesday 03 rd December	KS1 Nativity 13:30 (Year 1 parents welcome to watch)
Thursday 4 th December	KS1 Nativity 13:30 (Year 2 parents welcome to watch)
Tuesday 9 th December	Upper KS2 Carol Concert 13:30 (Years 5&6 parents welcome)
Thursday 11 th December	Christmas Dinner Day Christmas jumpers / accessories may be worn.
Tuesday 16 th December	Christmas Fun Afternoon
Friday 19 th December	Last day of term, children can wear party clothes. (Finish 13:15)

January 2026

Monday 5 th January 2026	Parent consultation day. Parents to attend a consultation with class teachers regarding their child's attainment and progress.
Tuesday 6 th January 2026	Children return to school