




Catholic Federation of Schools
St Joseph & St Teresa's Catholic Primary School
Newsletter

14th July 2023



Attendance

| Class | Class Attendance for the week ending: 07/07/2023 | Lates | Class Attendance for the week ending: 14/07/2023 | Lates |
|---|---|-------|---|-------|
| St Teresa | 91.7% | 2 | 98.9% | 1 |
| St Patrick | 98.9% | 0 | 95.9% | 1 |
| St Andrew | 85.7% | 0 | 96.7% | 0 |
| St David | 89.4% | 3 | 91.3% | 5 |
| St George | 87.8% | 2 | 96.7% | 2 |
|  | St Patrick's class achieved the highest attendance of the week! | | Well done to St Teresa's class who achieved the highest attendance of the week! | |
| Overall attendance | 90.7% | | 95.9% | |

Heart of Gold Awards

| Class | Pupil's Name | Statement | Class | Pupil's Name | Statement |
|------------|--------------|---|------------|--------------|--|
| St Teresa | Myla | I think of the needs of others and how I can help. | St Teresa | Dylan | I am willing to give my time to serve others. |
| St Patrick | Jayden | | St Patrick | Matilda | |
| St Andrew | Jack | | St Andrew | Freddie | |
| St David | Jessica | | St David | Jorgie | |
| St George | Julia | | St George | Amelia | |

School Games Award



We have been awarded the gold school games award once again this year!

Thank you to Miss Payne and Mr Ashwell for all their hard work in achieving this award for the school.

Thank you to the parents for their support with transporting the children and arriving early for competitions.

The competitions are a big part of achieving the gold award along with increased physical activity in school.

Catholic Cup



I do not know where to begin - what a day!

The girls played amazing from start to finish showing resilience and strength in some tough battles. Their determination paid off and they made the semi-finals. The girls gave 150% in the semi-final and the game finished 1-0 losing out to a strong side who then went on to win the whole competition. Special mention to Imani who captained the team, showed strong leadership skills and was brave enough to stand and take a penalty.

The boys showed fantastic team work, communication and respect towards each other and opponents. The hard work paid off and they made the semi-finals. The semi-finals finished 0-0 and went to a penalty shoot out which the boys won. The final was a tough match again finishing 0-0 so it all came down to the final penalty shoot out. The boys showed amazing bravery and courage to stand up in front of everybody and take a penalty but unfortunately they were just pipped to the post. Special mention to Seth, Harry and Frankie who all took penalties and James who had an outstanding day in goal!

Miss Payne and Mr Ashwell are EXTREMELY proud of all these children and to see the progress they have made this year in all sporting competitions especially football is amazing! Keep up the sporting adventures when moving up to your secondary schools, you made your own legacy today, you should be very proud!

Friendly Football Match

Well done to all the children who played in friendly match against Adwick Primary.

They showed fantastic determination, teamwork and communication throughout the whole game and never gave up, even when you conceded.

There were shots flying in from all over the pitch and some great defensive tackles. Which all paid off, with the game finishing 5-3 to us!

Fantastic performance from all involved.

Bring on next year!



Our Class Assemblies

Each class delivered a wonderful, unique interpretation of the years learning.

St Teresa



St Patrick



St Andrew



Dates for the Diary

| Date | Event |
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| Wednesday 19 th July | St David Assembly at 9am |
| Thursday 20 th July | Leavers Assembly at 9am |
| Friday 21 st July | Leavers Mass at 9am |
| Friday 21 st July | School closes for the summer holiday |
| Tuesday 5 th September | School re-opens for pupils at 8.45am |
| Thursday 28 th -Friday 29 th September | Year 4 pupils residential visit to Austerfield |
| Monday 9 th October | Individual school photographs |
| Friday 13 th October | St Andrew's visit to the National Coalmining Museum |
| Monday 16 th October | St David & St George's classes visit to Murton Park |
| Wednesday 26 th ~ Thursday 27 th June | Year 5 residential visit to Gullivers Theme Park, Rotherham |

St Joseph & St Teresa's School holidays 2023-2024 These dates include the training days

| School re-opens | School closes |
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| Tuesday 5 th September 2023 | Friday 20 th October 2023 |
| Monday 30 th October 2023 | Friday 22 nd December 2023 |
| Monday 8 th January 2024 | Thursday 8 th February 2024 |
| Monday 19 th February 2024 | Thursday 28 th March 2024 |
| Monday 15 th April 2024 | Friday 24 th May 2024 |
| Tuesday 4 th June 2024 | Friday 19 th July 2024 |