

★ SS Peter & Paul Catholic Primary School ★

Part of... St. John Paul II Multi-Academy

We live and learn in the light of Christ!

Weekly Newsletter to Parents

Friday 11th June 2021



Summer 2 - Week 34

This week we pray for...



Our Reception class.

Dear parents, staff and children,

It has been lovely to welcome everyone back to school after a well earned rest. We have a packed final term involving the celebration of the sacraments of Holy Communion and Confirmation, Residential's, Sports day, The Summer Fayre and the Year Six Leavers assembly. All of these events may be subject to change and are restrictions dependent on the announcements made by the Prime Minister on Monday. As ever we will keep you informed as soon as we know anything.

Year Five go to Alton Castle on Monday where they will undertake a variety of exciting activities. The following week Year Six will undertake their trip to Blackwell Adventure where we are all looking forward to staying in our camping pods. Please pray for sunshine, but whatever the weather the children will have a fantastic time.

We are all enjoying the good weather at the moment but can I please ask that all children are sent to school wearing sun cream and have a sun hat and water bottle with them each day. Can all bottles and hats be clearly labelled with your child's name.

Well done to Year four for their class Mass yesterday. You all read beautifully and made us all very proud. Thank you to Miss Murphy and Miss Heart for preparing the children so well.

Over the next few weeks the SPFA will be holding a number of non-uniform days in return for bottles, chocolates and supplies for the Summer Fayre. Please see the following page for dates and details of these.

Have a lovely weekend and enjoy the sunshine.



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ACADEMY TERM DATES

Term	Autumn 2020	Spring 2021	Summer 2021
New Term Begins	Tuesday 1st Sept	Monday 4th January	Monday 19th April
1st Half -Term Ends	Friday 23rd October	Friday 12th February	Friday 28th May
2nd Half -Term Begins	Monday 2nd Nov	Monday 22nd February	Monday 7th June
Term Ends	Friday 18th Dec	Thursday 1st April	Wed 21st July

ACADEMY FUND DONATIONS

Academy Fund via ParentMail (School Enrichment Funding)

This is a voluntary contribution to be paid each term which goes towards buying additional equipment and resources for your children. You will receive a request via ParentMail termly...

"St. John Paul II Multi-Academy invites parents to give annually to your school fund. A donation of £10 per term is suggested but you may contribute more if you wish."

Please rest assured that any payment you make is for our school and our children only, guaranteed! Thank you for your support.

School Mobile Phone

Please use for urgent contact out of office hours (3.30 pm - 8.00 am):



07885 235 496

NEWS

We will keep you informed, please read this information carefully.

- **PLEASE ENSURE THAT YOU WEAR FACE MASKS / FACE COVERINGS WHEN DROPPING OFF OR PICKING UP YOUR CHILDREN. THANK YOU.**
- **Summer Fayre Fundraisers**
 - Non—uniform days**
 - * Friday 18th June—Sweets and chocolates
 - * Friday 2nd July—Rainbow colours
 - * Friday 16th July—Bottles
 - * Friday 9th July— Bags will be sent home to be decorated and filled.
 - * Friday 16th July—Bake Off
- **Hot Weather**—please ensure your child comes to school with a water bottle, sun hat and sun cream.
- **Jewellery** — Children are not allowed to wear any jewellery to school. They are allowed to wear a watch but must not wear bracelets, necklaces or earrings etc.
- **Nail Varnish**—Nail varnish is not allowed to be worn to school can you please ensure if your child has worn it over the weekend that it is removed by Monday morning when they come to school.
- **Haircuts** — We have a strict policy regarding haircuts in school. We do not allow lines or fashion haircuts. Long hair should be tied back at all times.
- **Food Bank**— A reminder that any parent that would like to access this service or who may need some financial support can contact the school on our confidential email address: family@ssptrpl.net
- **SENCO**—Mrs Calvert-Lyons will be holding a virtual SENCO drop in morning on Thursday 17th June from 9.30 — 10.30 AM. Please contact the school office for a zoom appointment. If you have any concerns regarding your child please contact Mrs Calvert— Lyons on the SENCo email which is senco@ssptrpl.net

IMPORTANT DIARY DATES

Non-Uniform Day— Children to bring chocolate and sweets for the Summer Fayre— Friday 18th June

Y3 Holy Communion— 27th June 1pm

Y4 Holy Communion—27th June 11am

Y6 Confirmation— 3rd July 5pm



Leading Light Club

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Stay Safe Online

E-Safety is very important! Do you know what your child is watching or doing on the internet?

<https://www.internetmatters.org>

TRAINING DAYS

Wednesday 21st July 2021

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

Monday (3.20 - 4.20 pm)

- Monster Craft KS2
- Netball for Years 5&6

Tuesday (3.20 - 4.20 pm)

- Football Club 5 & 6

Wednesday (3.20 - 4.20 pm)

- Multi Skills— Year 2

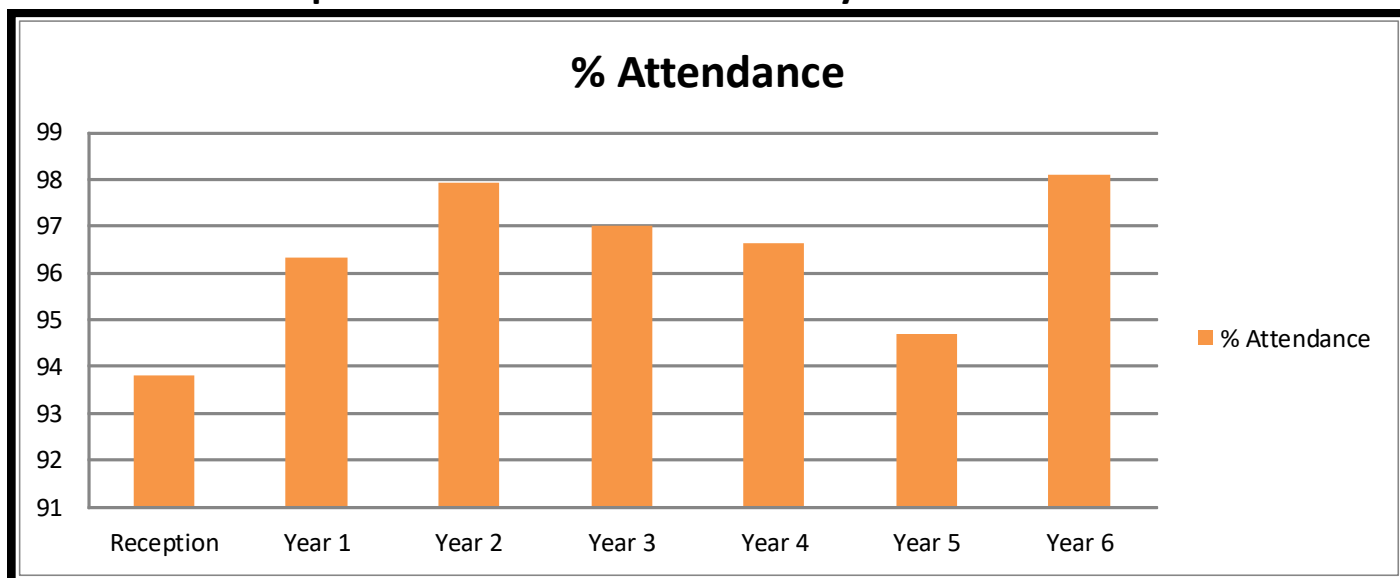
Thursday (3.20 - 4.20 pm)

- Monster Crafts KS1
- Sports Day Club Years 3& 4

Friday (2.00 - 3.00 pm)

- Football Club 3 & 4

Pupil Attendance 24th– 28th May 2021 = 96.31%



Congratulations to Year 6 for their 98.08% attendance.

Attendance Explanation			
100% - Excellent	99-97% - Good	96-95% - Satisfactory	< 95% - Unsatisfactory

HAPPY BIRTHDAY



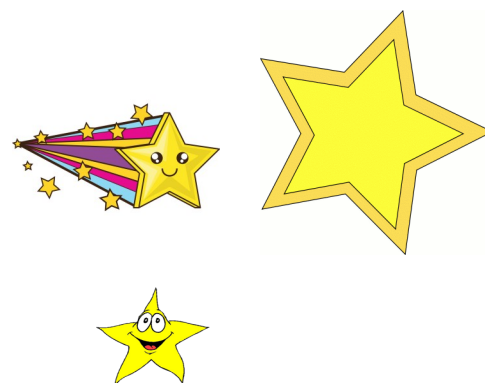
**Jacob Brennan, Noah Brennan, Szymon Szmulewski,
Natalia Sitarz, Jacques Pritchard, Jaden Jacob, Chung
Him Lo, Hira Awan, Victoria Potocka and Lauren Santos**



'STARS OF THE WEEK'

Congratulations to these children for being awarded Star of the Week:

- **Reception – Menelik Kalala**
- **Year 1 — Filip Kawalek and Borbala Borsos**
- **Year 2 — Daniel Ngum**
- **Year 3 — Olivia Kardas and Lauren Santos**
- **Year 4 — Felicity Franklin & Isabella Recci**
- **Year 5 — Grace Killarney and Ernest Kuras**
- **Year 6 — Anki Lo**



Reward Charts

Well done to these children for completing their Reward Charts this week:

**Tilly Porter, Nina Kardas, Sara Meneses-Ali,
Alexander Jaggers, Kinga Czopek, James green, Nancy Smith,
Eamonn McLaughlin, Emilia Mosakowska,
Olivia Kardas, Caitlin Dockery, Caleb Graham,
Amelia Barrett and Lucy Santos**

House Points

St Peter 141

St Paul 138

Our Lady 142

St Joseph 139

**Congratulations Our Lady !!!
Our Weekly Winners.**

Our Week in School...



Year 2 did an Internet quiz as part of their Effective Searching topic.



Reception enjoyed their time outside in the sunshine this week.



Year 5 were exploring a modern day version of Romeo and Juliet in their English lesson this



In English this week, Year 4 made posters about the importance of education, linking to their new book about Malala Yousafzai.



Year 1 were representing number sentences in Maths this week.



Year 6 were exploring how the seven gifts of the Holy Spirit help us in our life.



Polish Word of the Week
(Polskie słowo tygodnia)

'Jest gorąco'

means...

It's hot.

Spanish Word of the Week
(Palabra de la semana)



'Hace calor'

means...

It's hot.

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Our Virtues this term are:

Compassionate- towards others, near and far, especially the less fortunate;
&
Loving- by their just actions and forgiving words.



COVID-19 RELATED PUPIL ABSENCE

A quick reference guide for parents and staff

Please follow the advice below for your child and family.

What to do if...	Action Needed	Return to school when...
...my child has Covid-19 symptoms.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Do not come to school - Contact school to inform us - Self-isolate the whole household - Get a test <p>Inform the school immediately about the test result</p>	...the test comes back negative or a period of 10 days has passed since the symptoms started, and the child feels well.
...my child tests positive for Covid-19.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Do not come to school. - Agree an earliest date for possible return (minimum of 10 days). - Self-isolate the whole household. 	...10 days have passed since symptoms began, even if they still have a cough or loss of taste/smell. <i>(These symptoms can last for several weeks.)</i> AND the child feels well.
...my child tests negative.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Contact school to inform us. - Discuss when your child can come back (same day/next day). 	...the test comes back negative.
...my child is ill with symptoms not linked to Covid-19.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Do not come to school. - Contact school to inform us. - Ring on each day of illness. 	...after 48 hours following the last bout of sickness or diarrhoea (as per attendance policy)
...someone in my household has Covid-19 symptoms.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Do not come to school. - Contact school to inform us. - Self-isolate the whole household. - Household member to get a test. - Inform school immediately about test result. 	...the test comes back negative.
...someone in my household tests positive for Covid-19.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Do not come to school. - Contact school to inform us. - Agree an earliest date for possible return (minimum of 14 days). - Self-isolate the whole household. 	...the child has completed 14 days of isolation.
...NHS test and trace has identified my child as a close contact of somebody with symptoms or confirmed Covid-19.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Do not come to school. - Contact school to inform us. - Agree an earliest date for possible return (minimum of 14 days). 	...the child has completed 14 days of isolation.
...NHS test and trace has identified a household member (other than my child) as a close contact of somebody with symptoms or confirmed Covid-19.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The household member must self-isolate for 14 days. - Child can continue to attend school. 	...child can continue to attend school

What to do if...	Action Needed	Return to school when...
...a sibling attending another school has been sent home to self-isolate due to there being a positive case in their school.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Sibling must self-isolate for 14 days. - SS Peter & Paul Catholic Primary School child(ren) can continue to attend. 	...child can continue to attend school
...my child has travelled abroad from a country or territory that is NOT on the exempt list of countries.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - If returning from a destination where quarantine is needed*: - minimum of 14 days' self-isolation for all those who travelled. - contact school to inform us you are back in the country and we will agree an earliest date for possible return to school. - Self-isolate the whole household. - *Foreign, Commonwealth & Development Office (FCDO) – for up to date travel information 	...the quarantine period of 14 days has been completed.
...my child has travelled abroad from a country or territory that IS on the exempt list of countries.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - If returning from a destination where quarantine is NOT needed: - Check the current Exempt countries and territories list to confirm the country you have travelled from or through is on the exempt list. - Ring school to inform us you have returned to the UK and agree a return date to school. 	...you have informed the office of your return to the UK <i>(the office will ask you a few questions about your travel).</i>
...I have travelled from a country that requires us to quarantine (but my child didn't travel).	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - As long as you do not have / have not had symptoms in the last 14 days, your child can continue to attend school. - The person who has travelled MUST NOT leave the house, including to do pick-ups and drop offs <i>(please contact school if you need support getting your child to school).</i> 	...child can continue to attend school
...we have received medical advice that my child must resume shielding.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Do not come to school. - Contact school to inform us. - Shield until you are informed that restrictions are lifted and shielding is paused again. 	<p>...school inform you that restrictions have been lifted and your child can return to school again.</p> <p>...you receive medical advice that your child may return to school.</p>
...my child's bubble is closed due to a Covid-19 outbreak in school.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Child must not come to school. - Support your child at home with remote education provided by your school. - Your child will need to self-isolate for 14 days. - Other siblings may continue to attend school. 	...school inform you that the bubble will be reopened.
...I am unable to get a test for someone in the household who has symptoms	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>If you are not able to get a test in the first 5 days of having symptoms, your child and anyone they live with must stay at home and self-isolate for 14 days. Anyone in your support bubble must also stay at home.</i> 	...the child has completed 14 days of isolation.



Public Health
England

Advice on the coronavirus for places of education

How serious is the coronavirus?

- It can cause flu-like symptoms, including fever, cough & difficulty breathing
- The infection is not serious for most people, including children
- There is currently no vaccine
- Most people get better with enough rest, water to drink and medicine for pain

How likely are you to catch the virus?

- You can only catch it if you have been close to a person who has the virus
- The chance of being in contact with the virus is currently low in the UK
- If you have travelled to areas where many people are infected, your chance of catching the virus is higher, i.e. China and any affected areas

How can you stop coronaviruses spreading?

If you need to cough or sneeze



Catch it
with a tissue



Bin it



Kill it
by washing
your hands with
soap & water or
hand sanitiser

You should wash hands with soap & water or hand sanitiser



**After breaks
& sport
activities**



**Before
cooking
& eating**



**SCHOOL
ETC.**
**On arrival at
any childcare
or educational
setting**



**After using
the toilet**



**Before
leaving
home**



**Try not to touch your
eyes, nose, and mouth
with unwashed hands**



**Do not share items that come
into contact with your mouth
such as cups & bottles**



**If unwell do not share
items such as bedding,
dishes, pencils & towels**



Stop germs spreading with our e-Bug resources on hand and respiratory hygiene lesson plans for KS1, 2 and 3: campaignresources.phe.gov.uk/schools

What should you do if you feel unwell?

Keep away from others and stay at home to stop the infection spreading. Avoid public transport if you think you have symptoms of coronavirus. If you become unwell at a place of education, tell a member of staff and let them know if you have travelled to any other countries in the last 14 days.

If your staff member or parent thinks you have symptoms of coronavirus, they should call **NHS 111** for advice. Follow the UK Government advice for childcare or educational settings gov.uk/government/publications/guidance-to-educational-settings-about-covid-19. Parents can visit NHS.UK to find out more information. Teachers and support staff should follow the UK Government advice.

Staff, students and pupils who have returned from Wuhan and Hubei Province in China should self isolate, and NOT attend education or work for 14 days. See NHS.UK for advice on coronavirus.

If there is an emergency, call 999 immediately



CATCH IT

Germs spread easily. Always carry tissues and use them to catch your cough or sneeze.



BIN IT

Germs can live for several hours on tissues. Dispose of your tissue as soon as possible.



KILL IT

Hands can transfer germs to every surface you touch. Clean your hands as soon as you can.

