

This week we pray for...











...these children.

Dear Parents, Staff and Children,

I would like to start by saying a massive thankyou to all of you who have taken part in our non-school uniform day to raise money for the children and families who are suffering due to the current situation in Ukraine. Your generosity will help support these families who are in need through no fault of their own. The children looked fantastic dressed in yellow and blue to show their support for the Ukraine and I am pleased to say that we have raised £360. A special thank you to Patrick in year two who donated £20 from his own pocket money which he has been saving up.

Year Four have been very busy this week as they had their Class workshop and School Mass. Thank you to all of the parents who attended he workshop. I am sure you found this very useful and that this has given you plenty of ideas of how to support your child at home. A big well done to all of the Year Four children who led the school in Mass this week. You all read and sang beautifully and were a credit to the school. It was also lovely to see so many parents and Parishioners joining us to celebrate Mass together as a community.

Thank you to all of the children who have brought in entries so far, for our Art Competition. The entries that I have seen so far have been magnificent. We have so many talented artists in school. The closing date for entries is the 1st April.

This weekend, on Saturday 12th the SPFA have organised a Car Boot Sale which will take place from 10am to 1pm at the School. Please feel free to come along and grab yourself a bargain.

Talking of bargains, we will be holding a preloved uniform sale at school during Parents Evening on the 6th and 7th April. Please come along and take a look.

Well done to the School Football team who played their first match this year. Unfortunately we lost 5-1 to St Nicholas School. Well done to Lucas for scoring the goal.

Have a wonderful weekend everyone.



Mrs Calvert-Lyons Head of School

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ACADEMY TERM DATES

Term	Autumn 2021	Spring 2022	Summer 2022
New	Monday	Tuesday	Monday
Term	6th	4th	25th
Begins	Sept	January	April
1st Half	Friday	Friday	Friday
-Term	22nd	18th	27th
Ends	October	February	May
2nd Half	Tuesday	Monday	Monday
-Term	2nd	28th	6th
Begins	Nov	February	June
Term	Friday	Friday	Friday
Ends	17th	8th	22nd
	Dec	April	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



<u>NEWS</u>

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

- **Parents Evening**—This will take place over two days on the 6th and 7th April. Please can you make sure you sign up for an appointment for your child.
- Pre loved Uniform Sale—6th and 7th April in School
- **Family Support Worker**—Our FSW, Karen Cutler, is in school every Thursday if you are looking for help and advice on matters relating to finance, housing or family life then please contact the school office to arrange an appointment.
- SENCo— Mrs Calvert-Lyons will be holding a SENCO drop in morning on Friday 18th March from 9.15—10.15 am. Please contact the school office if you require an appointment. If you have any concerns regarding your child and SEND please contact Mrs Calvert – Lyons on the SENCo email which is <u>Senco@ssptrpl.net</u>
- Shoes—A reminder that children are to wear the correct footwear to school. Children are not allowed to wear boots in school. If the weather is bad children can wear wellingtons to school and change once they arrive and again before they leave.
- Hair— A reminder to all parents that children are not allowed fashion haircuts at school. Boys should not have lines shaved into their hair and girls should ensure that their hair is tied back at all times.
- **Operation Encompass**—SS Peter & Paul is now an Operation Encompass School, working closely with West Midlands Police to identify and support victims of Domestic Abuse. We remain vigilant and urge anyone suffering domestic abuse to contact the school or Police for help.
- Healthy Eating— Can I remind all parents that children should bring a healthy snack at break time. This should be a piece of fruit. Or a vegetable. If children bring in biscuits, crisps or chocolate for break times they will not be permitted to eat these and they will be sent back home.
- **Nuts**—Please can you ensure that that when children bring snacks or lunch boxes into school, that they do not have any product that contains nuts, this includes Nutella chocolate

IMPORTANT DIARY DATES

• 12th March—Car Boot Sale

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- 16th March—Year Six Workshop 9-10.30am
- 17th March—Year Five Workshop
- 18th March– Non-Uniform Day– Raffle Prizes for Spring Fayre Hampers
- 1st April– Non-Uniform Day–
 Chocolates/Sweets for Spring
 Fayre
- 6th and 7th April—Parents Evening.
- 8th April– Easter Bonnet/Egg Competition
- 29th March—Reconciliation
- 2nd April– Year 6 Confirmation
 - 15th May—Holy Communion



Leading Light Club Contact Details 07885 235 488 07885 235 491

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

Friday 1st July 2022

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

Monday (3.20 - 4.20 pm) Choir Tuesday (3.20 - 4.20 pm) Football Years 5 & 6 and Monster Crafts Wednesday (3.20 - 4.20 pm) Cheerleading 5 & 6 Thursday (3.20 - 4.20 pm) Cheerleading 3 & 4 Friday (2.00 - 3.00 pm) Football– Years 3 & 4 and Monster Crafts

- Start and Finish Times— Children can be dropped off from 8.40am when the school gates open. They must be in school by 8.50am (which is when the school gates close) Any child arriving after this will be marked late and parents will need to sign them in using the monitor outside the school office. The school day finishes at 3.20pm Monday to Thursday and 2pm on a Friday. Children who are not collected on time will be sent over to Leading light club and parents will be charged.
- Water Bottles please ensure your child comes to school everyday with a clearly labelled water bottle
- 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
- **P.E Kits**—Please can you ensure that your child has the correct PE uniform in school. The children should wear pumps and not trainers and are required to wear a pair of plain black shorts. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact the office.

S.P.F.A Class Reps

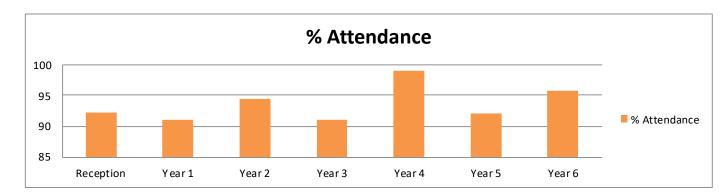
Reception— Selina Conway Year 1—Joanne Mallinder Year 2— Rebecca Franklin Year 3— Sarah Nelson

Year 4—Zoe Santos Year 5—Elaine Eannetta Year 6— Katie Wiggins

Writers of the Week

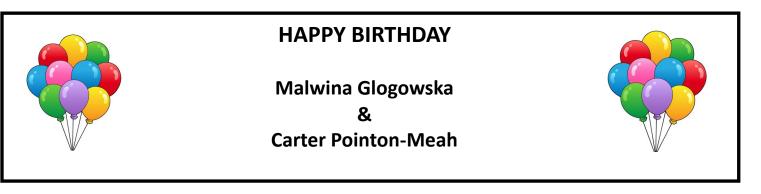
- Reception— Amelia-Rose Wiseman Year 1— Teddy Murphy Year 2— Noah Brennan Year 3— Emilia Mosakowska Year 4— Teshayne Ewers Year 5— Imogen Bailey Year 6— Dominic Pluta

Pupil Attendance 28th February – 4th March 2022– 93.61%



Congratulations to Year 4 for their 99.00% attendance.

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



'STARS OF THE WEEK'

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

- Reception J'naiyah Wilson
- Year 1 Taffarel Byfield
- Year 2 Jacob Brennan
- Year 3 Sophia Roe
- Year 4 Josephine James
- Year 5 Ellis Pointon-Doyle
- Year 6 Maja Glogowska

Reward Charts

Amelia-Rose Wiseman, Gabriela Kawalek, Haaris Hussain, Menelik Kalala, Oscar Hillier, Imani Mbung , Oliwia Wadowska, Eamonn McLaughlin, Fiona Fashi Muringampurath, Adam Studzik Mollie-Monroe Gaskin, Olivia Kirby, Bethany Mallinder, Eszter-Izabella Borsos & Lucy Santos,

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	<u>House Points</u>	
St. Peter	139	
St. Paul	144	
Our Lady	245	
St. Joseph	175	
•	tulations to Our Lady!!! r Weekly Winners.	





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Preloved Uniform Sale Here at schoo **During both Parents Evenings** on Wednesday 6th and Thursday 7th April Come along to grab your bargain!!!

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<u>Dinner Rota</u>

Art Competition

If you enjoy drawing, colouring, painting and creating in your spare time or just love art then this is the competition for you!!

This half term I am running our second 'Art Competition' and it is open to the whole school. Your challenge is to create a piece of Easter or Spring inspired Art for our SS Peter and Paul's Art Gallery. Your 2D creation can be created using what ever materials you like. You can paint a picture, colour it with crayons, felt tips, create a collage or even use chalk. Your Easter or Spring creation could be new life of plants or animals or it could be linked to Easter treats. If you wanted, you could link it to the wonderful celebration of Easter in our church and the Resurrection of Christ, the choice is yours. Please make sure that your creation is at least A4 in size. Write your full name and class on the back of the paper and there will be a box in the office for your creations to be placed in.

> Please get your entries in by Friday 1st April and the winners of the Easter/Spring Art Competition will be announced on Friday 8th April.

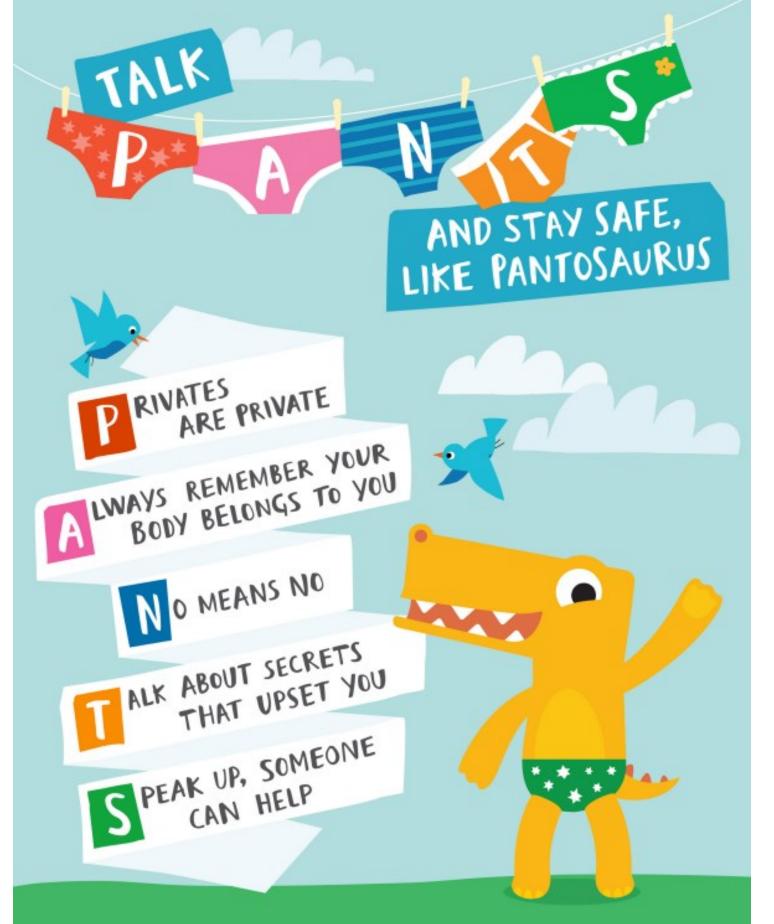
I can't wait to see your Easter and Spring inspired creations!! There will be prizes for 1st, 2nd and 3rd Place !

Mrs Oakley (Year 6 Teacher and Art & Design Coordinator)



EVERY CHILDHOOD IS WORTH FIGHTING FOR





LEARN PANTOSAURUS' FIVE EASY RULES FOR STAYING SAFE

PRIVATES ARE PRIVATE

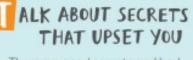
Your underwear covers up your private parts and no one should ask to see or touch them. Sometimes a doctor, nurse or family members might have to. But they should always explain why, and ask you if it's OK first. Remember, what's in your pants belongs only to you.

A LWAYS REMEMBER YOUR BODY BELONGS TO YOU

No one should ever make you do things that make you feel embarrassed or uncomfortable. If someone asks to see or tries to touch you underneath your underwear say 'NO' – and tell someone you trust and like to speak to.

NO MEANS NO

You always have the right to say 'no' – even to a family member or someone you love. You're in control of your body and the most important thing is how YOU feel. If you want to say 'No', it's your choice.



There are good secrets and bad secrets. If a secret makes you feel sad or worried, it's bad – and you should tell an adult you trust about it straight away.

SPEAK UP, SOMEONE CAN HELP

It's always good to talk about stuff that makes you upset. If you're worried, go and tell a grown up you trust – like a family member, teacher or one of your friend's parents. They'll say well done for speaking out and help make everything OK. You can also call Childline on **0800 1111** and someone will always be there to listen.



Remember all of these rules and they'll help you stay safe, just like Pantosaurus

