



St Patrick's Catholic Primary School Newsletter

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Go shine in the world



Dear Parents and Carers,

It's been another great week at St. Patrick's this week, with lots of positive and uplifting moments. It is such a privilege to work in a school where children show such kindness, warmth and understanding towards others. Pupils here work hard and are keen to do well – the key ingredients for success!

A massive well done to Year 6 who worked so hard in their SATs tests this week, many of whom even came into school early to eat a healthy and nutritious breakfast, and do some extra revision!

With best wishes, Miss Toop (Head of School) and Ms. Richardson (Executive Headteacher)

Year 6 Pizza Party

Year 6 were treated to a Pizza Party today for all of their hard work during SATs! Well done Year 6!



Maths at St. Patrick's

At St. Patrick's, Mathematics is taught daily for one hour. In these lessons children engage with maths resources they can use to represent numbers. This brings the learning to life for the children and helps to develop understanding. Children also take part in daily maths fluency practice for 10 minutes in which they work on remembering key knowledge such as number bonds to 10, 20 and 100 and times tables. Please practise number bonds and times tables daily with your child at home. This will greatly support your child in their daily maths lessons.



I have received and read the St Patrick's Primary School newsletter of 16.05.2025

Signed _____ Name of child _____ Class _____

PLEASE RETURN THIS SLIP TO THE SCHOOL OFFICE AND YOUR CHILD MIGHT WIN A PRIZE :)

Important dates for your diary...

Friday 23rd May—Non-Uniform Day



Monday 26th May to Friday 30th May—Half term. School is closed

Wednesday 11th June at 9am—Parent Coffee morning

Friday 27th June—Non-Uniform Day

Friday 4th July—Academic Review Day. Inset Day for pupils

Friday 11th July—Academic Review Day for Y6 pupils only (SATs results) all children in school

Friday 11th July—St. Patrick's Summer Family BBQ (after school)

Friday 18th July—Non-Uniform Day

Tuesday 22nd July —Last day of term for Summer holidays

Tuesday 2nd September—First day back at school after Summer holidays—Autumn Term 2025!

Work of the week...

Every week a great piece of children's work is showcased in the school lobby (next to the office).

As part of Year 1 and 2's English curriculum, they have been reading 'Willy the Wimp' by Anthony Browne. Juliette has written the most wonderful retell of this story. She has included a range of verbs and adjectives, and made sure her retell is coherent and concise. As well as using her best handwriting to beautifully present her work! **Well done Juliette!**



Our Prayer...

May is the month of Mary and in this beautiful prayer, we ask the Blessed Virgin Mary for her protection and for her grace.

Mary, mother of God,
Mary mother of compassion,
we ask for your prayers.
Mother of all who are poor,
you said 'yes' to God's call.
We give thanks
for the inspiration of all the women
who have answered God's call throughout time
Inspire us and move us.



Amen

Attendance...

For children to learn well and make good progress, it is vital that they attend school every day.

Please make sure your child is in school every single day this term unless they are very ill indeed. Reasons **not** to keep your child off school:

- If you or their sibling is ill
- It is their birthday
- They are tired from a busy weekend
- They went to bed late
- For non-urgent medical appointments that can be arranged outside of school hours (e.g. dentist, opticians)

Thank you for your help with this.



Attendance Matters



Attendance...

I am delighted to announce that Year 5 are winners with the best attendance this week with a perfect 100%. As a reward, you will receive some extra play time next week.

Please make sure your child is in school every single day unless they are too unwell to come to school. Every day counts and children who miss school do fall behind in their learning.



Don't let a little worry turn into a big one...

If you or your child are worried about something or have any questions, please phone the school office and book an appointment to see their class teacher, Miss Toop or Ms Fearon.

We are always really pleased to meet with you and chat things through.

