



Our Lady's Catholic Primary School Newsletter

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Go shine in
the world



Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been another exciting week at Our Lady's. The children have been enjoying the sunshine and the warm weather. We had special visits this week from the Science Boffins (see some highlights below) and Katrin Hall, an art specialist, who did a series of arts & crafts workshops with some classes. We will share some photos on next week's newsletter.

Have a wonderful and restful weekend.

With Best Wishes, Ms Toop (Head of School) and Ms Richardson (Executive Headteacher)

Science Boffins...

Children participated in a variety of different science workshops led by Erina, a real life Scientist! Children explored the properties of different gases, and Erina demonstrated different chemical reactions which were very exciting to watch!



Camden Moving On to Secondary School Event - 13th June 2024

Parents of children in current primary school Years 4 and 5 can join Camden's Moving On event at the Francis Crick Institute, in King's Cross.



The event, on **Thursday 13 June, from 4.15 to 6.45pm**, is an opportunity to:

- receive advice on how to apply for a Year 7 place for September 2025 from the Camden Admissions Team
- find out more about what Camden secondary schools have to offer your child
- speak with headteachers, student ambassadors and staff from Camden secondary schools.

The Moving On event is being held a term earlier than usual at the request of Camden secondary headteachers. It is a timed ticket event, so parents should please make sure they arrive for the time they have booked. **Tickets can be book online through Eventbrite.** Moving On is aimed at adults, rather than children, and any children attending are the sole responsibility of their parents.

I have received and read the Our Lady's Primary School newsletter of 10.05.2024

Name of child _____ Class _____

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

Important dates for your diary...

Monday 13th May—Thursday 16th

May—KS2 SATs (Year 6)

Friday 24th May 2024— Non-uniform day

Monday 27th May—Friday 31st May 2024— May Half Term Holiday. School is closed.

Monday 3rd June 2024— Children are back in school

Monday 3rd June 2024— Wednesday 5th June— Year 6 PGL trip

Tuesday 18th June 2024—KS2 Sports Day (Y3-Y6)

Wednesday 19th June 2024—KS1 Sports Day (YR-Y2)

Friday 28th June 2024— Non-uniform day

Wednesday 10th July 2024—Summer Term Music Concert

Friday 12th July 2024—Family Summer BBQ (6-8pm)

Friday 19th July 2024— Non-uniform day

Monday 22nd July 2024—Y6 Leavers' Assembly

Wednesday 24th July—Last day of term. School is closed from Thursday 25th July for Summer Holidays.

Monday 2nd September 2024—Inset day. School is closed.

Tuesday 3rd September 2024—Inset day. School is closed.

Wednesday 4th September 2024—First day back



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



Y4 Kite Making

As part of our Design & Technology curriculum, Y4 designed, made and evaluated their own kites. Here they are testing them out on the playground...



Work of the Week!

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



This week, Jeanelle from Year 3 has been chosen for her fantastic English writing. Year 3 have been looking at adventure/mystery stories. In particular, we have focused on Superheroes.

Jeanelle identified the traits of characters, in particular different superheroes, before planning a character description of her very own superhero and villain. Jeanelle was able to use her plan to write her character description using super sentences to describe the appearance, superpowers, history and the enemy villain of her superhero.

Well done Jeanelle! We are so proud of you and your beautiful work!



Attendance...

I am pleased to announce that Year 6A has the best attendance this week with 98.6%. 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, Miss Fearon or Mr Withers.

