



Our Lady's Catholic Primary School Newsletter

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Go shine
in the world
and live as
Jesus lived!



Dear Parents and Carers,

A huge thank you to everyone who joined us for our **Summer BBQ** last Friday! It was a wonderful event filled with sunshine, laughter, delicious food and great company. Special thanks go to our amazing staff and volunteers who worked tirelessly behind the scenes to make the event such a success. From face painting to games, music and the ever popular raffle, it was a memorable evening for pupils, staff and families alike. We hope you all had a fantastic time - and we are already looking forward to next year's Fancy Dress Disco in the autumn term.

With Best Wishes, Mrs O'Reilly (Head of School) and Ms Richardson (Executive Headteacher)

Computing at Our Lady's - Year 2 attended the CLC to dive into the world of digital art in



computing, exploring how technology can be used creatively to express emotion. Inspired by Edvard Munch's famous painting 'The Scream', the children used digital tools to create their own expressive self-portraits. They experimented with facial expressions, colours and backgrounds to manipulate the picture to match the style of the artist. They had a great day!



Year 6 Shine at the Partnership Football Tournament - A Day of Teamwork and Sportsmanship!

We are incredibly proud of the Year 6 football teams, who represented the school with skill, determination, and outstanding sportsmanship at the partnership football tournament.



Throughout the day the teams played with real passion and respect - for each other, their opponents, and the referees. Their positive attitude, encouragement on the pitch, and sense of fair play truly reflected the values we hold dear as a school community.



Hellos and Goodbyes...

At the end of each year we say goodbye to some staff and welcome new ones. Ms Nand is leaving to go travelling around India with family. Mr Roberts will be teaching Maths at St Mary's in Westminster. Ms O'Sullivan is moving to St Joseph's, one of our partnership schools, to teach year 3. Ms Ozvurucular will be continuing her Early Years studies and working in a nursery and Mr Girmay is moving to Nottingham and will be working in a Secondary School. We say a big thank you and wish them all the best. We look forward to them visiting us with updates.

We welcome Ms Simpson and Ms Zakari who will be joining Our Lady's as class teachers. They are looking forward to meeting all of you in September.

Class teachers for September

- Nursery - Ms Wilkie
- Reception - Ms Boakye
- Year 1 - Ms Mezzini
- Year 2 - Mrs Robbins (Miss Barrington)
- Year 3 - Ms Zakari
- Year 4 - Mr Keating
- Year 5 - Ms Simpson
- Year 6 - Ms Hoque

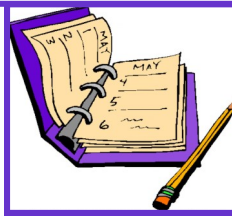


I have received and read the Our Lady's Primary School newsletter of 11.07.2025

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...



Monday 14th July at 2.45pm -

Year 2 Curriculum Presentation to parents in the Camden Street hall

Tuesday 15th July at 9.15am - Reception Class Curriculum Presentation to parents in the Reception Classroom

Tuesday 15th July AM - Nursery Class visit to the CLC

Wednesday 16th July at 10am - Summer Term Music Concert in the Pratt Street hall

Wednesday 16th July PM - Reception Class visit to the CLC

Wednesday 16th July at 2pm - Year 6 Production to parents in the Pratt Street hall

Friday 18th July - Non-uniform Day - children donate £1 to wear their own clothes

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Monday 21st July at 2.00pm - Year 6 leavers assembly with parents

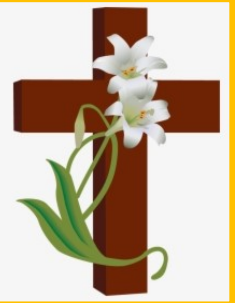
Tuesday 22nd July at 3.30pm - children finish school for the summer holidays

Monday 1st September - INSET Day

Tuesday 2nd September - Children in Year 1 to Year 6 return to school

Our School Prayer

Lord Jesus,
we pray that we will always make you welcome and be ready to spend time listening to the word of God.
Amen.



Best Attendance this week...



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

Congratulations to **Year 6B** for having the **BEST ATTENDANCE** this week - **97.92%**

Please make sure your child is in school every single day.

Thank you for your help with this :)



The winner of the Friday newsletter slip prize this week is

Daniella in **Y1**

Daniella has won a £5 gift voucher to spend in Waterstones.



Work of the Week!

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

In Geography, Year 5 have been comparing the United Kingdom with Kenya.

Habiba wrote about Kenya and how it has changed over the past 120 years. She identified its climate and the effects of desertification as well as the changes in its capital city, Nairobi, since its founding by British railway workers in 1899.

Habiba made excellent points relating to the introduction of game parks, safaris, changes in farming and the impact of modernisation on local tribes.

Well done **Habiba!**



Person of the Week last week was...!

Reception – Kaya

Year 1 - Kaiah

Year 2 - Marlow

Year 3 - Jewana

Year 4 - Jeanelle

Year 5 - Monique

Year 6A - Ahmed

Year 6B - Maria



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, Mr Withers or Mrs O'Reilly.

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



Our Lady's Summer BBQ!



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