



Our Lady's Catholic Primary School Newsletter

Friday 29th November 2024
www.ourladys.camden.sch.uk
admin@ourladys.camden.sch.uk



Go shine
in the world



Dear parents and carers,

Please have a careful look at the 'Important dates for your diary' information overleaf. We have shared the dates for all the upcoming Christmas events and the class Christmas parties. A reminder that although the classrooms are toasty warm, the weather has turned a lot colder now. Please make sure that your child is wearing a warm coat to school every day. Many children have very similar looking coats, so please make sure their name is on it too. Thank you for your help with this.



With best wishes, Mrs. O'Reilly and Ms. Richardson

Poetry Performance Assembly

As part of the English curriculum, all of our pupils learn poems to recite off by heart. On Wednesday, Year 3 to Year 6 performed their poems in front of the school in a special poetry recital assembly.



All of the children made us feel very proud as they showed their school values of 'inspiration' and 'excellence' during their highly entertaining performances.



Christmas Craft Sales

Please come along to our Christmas Craft Sales in the school hall from 3.00pm, on the dates below:

Nursery, Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 - Tuesday 10th December

Year 3, Year 4, Year 5 and Year 6 Wednesday 11th December

You will be able to buy a craft that your child has made. All crafts will be on sale for £1.00 each. This money will be donated to the **St Vincent De Paul Society for homeless teenagers.**

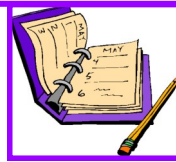


I have received and read the Our Lady's Primary School newsletter of 29.11.2024

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...



Tuesday 3rd December @ 9.30 am - parent tour for prospective parents

Monday 9th December - Y6 and Y5 Class Christmas party

Tuesday 10th December - Christmas Pantomime Performance for children

Tuesday 10th December - Y4 and Y3 Class Christmas party

Tuesday 10th December - EYFS and KS1 Christmas Craft sale for parents in the hall

Wednesday 11th December - Y2 and Y1 Class Christmas party

Wednesday 11th December - KS2 Christmas Craft sale for parents in the hall

Thursday 12th December - Rec and KS1 Nativity performance for Reception and Year 1 parents

Friday 13th December - Rec and KS1 Nativity performance for Year 2 parents

Monday 16th December - Nursery and Reception Class Christmas party

Tuesday 17th December - Nursery Nativity performance for Nursery parents

Wednesday 18th December - Christmas Lunch

Wednesday 18th December - Y3 to Y6 Carol Concert for parents in the hall

Friday 20th December - Last day of term - children finish at 3.30pm

Monday 6th January - children return to school after the Christmas holidays

1st Sunday of Advent

Lord Jesus,

help us to get ready to greet you at Christmas and at the end of time
Amen

First Sunday **ADVENT**



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 4** for having the **BEST ATTENDANCE** this week – **96.95%**

Year 4 really showed the Christian value of

Community by helping their class to have the best attendance this week.

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



New dates for Parents Working Alongside Children



These sessions will now be held on:

Year 4 - **Friday 6th December**

Year 3 - **Friday 12th December**

A letter will go out in your child's book bag so you can reserve your space.

The winner of the Friday newsletter slip prize this week is **Demi** in **Reception**.

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



Every week, one person from each class is chosen to be '**Person of the week.**' They are chosen due to their excellent attitude and learning behaviour, and for the fantastic work they are producing in class.

Person of the Week last week was...!

Reception - Ali

Year 1 - Laura

Year 2 - Kyle

Year 3 - Ayaan

Year 4 - Mahira

Year 5 - Alicia

Year 6A - Ahmed

Year 6B - Jahsiah



Work of the Week!

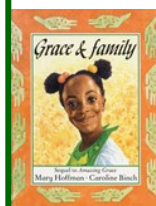
Every week a fantastic piece of children's work is showcased in the school lobby (next to the office).

Year 3 have been reading 'Grace and Family' by Mary Hoffman. Grace travels to the Gambia to meet new members of her extended family. Year 3 considered how Grace felt in different parts of the story, then wrote a diary entry from Grace's point of view.

Inaaya wrote an impressive diary entry, with excellent structure and use of adverbials of time.

Inaaya also used similes and a variety of adjectives to explore Grace's feelings at different points in the story.

Well done **Inaaya!**



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.



FENCING. DODGEBALL. KAYAKING. SWIMMING. LASERTAG. TRAMPOLINING. DJ WORKSHOP. TABLE TENNIS. CHESS

OUTDOOR COOKING. FOOTBALL. CODING. LEGO. BAKING. COMICS. ART.

DRAMA. BOXING. LONDON ZOO. ICE-SKATING. GAMES. COOKING. GO KARTING. GO APE. MUSEUMS. GARDENING

winter

HAF PROGRAMME

21st Dec 24 to 5th Jan 25

Free for children aged 5-16 who are eligible for benefits-related free school meals and live in the borough of Camden.



**4 HOURS A DAY
ACTIVITIES AND MEAL INCLUDED!**



**SCAN TO VIEW VENUES
& BOOK A PLACE!**



Visit: haf.youngcamdenfoundation.org.uk
Email: info@youngcamdenfoundation.org.uk

MUSIC. DANCE. FOOTBALL. PHOTOGRAPHY. BOWLING. FORAGING. THEME PARK.