Our Lady's Catholic Primary School Newsletter

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Go shine in the world and live as Jesus lived!



Dear Parents/Carers,

An important deadline! Applications for Nursery and Reception class for September 2027…

If you or someone you know would like a place in Nursery or Reception for September 2027 then **applications must be made by 15th January 2027.** Applications for Reception need to be made online via www.eadmissions.org.uk and a separate school application form handed in to school. If your child is currently in Our Lady's Nursery then **you must still apply.** Please remind other parents about applying for Reception if this applies to their child. Applications to Nursery must be made directly to the school by 15th January 2027. An application form can be picked up from the school office or printed from our school website. We welcome Catholic children, children of other faiths and children with no faith too. **Mrs O'Reilly is running parent tours on Monday mornings at 9.30 am, to talk to prospective parents about the school and to answer questions about applications - so spread the word about our lovely school**! Do phone the school office on **020 7485 7997** if you have any questions.

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

Anti-Bullying Week at Our Lady's

The children took part a special assembly this week led by Miss Mahon, focusing on what bullying is and what it isn't…with some key things to think about:

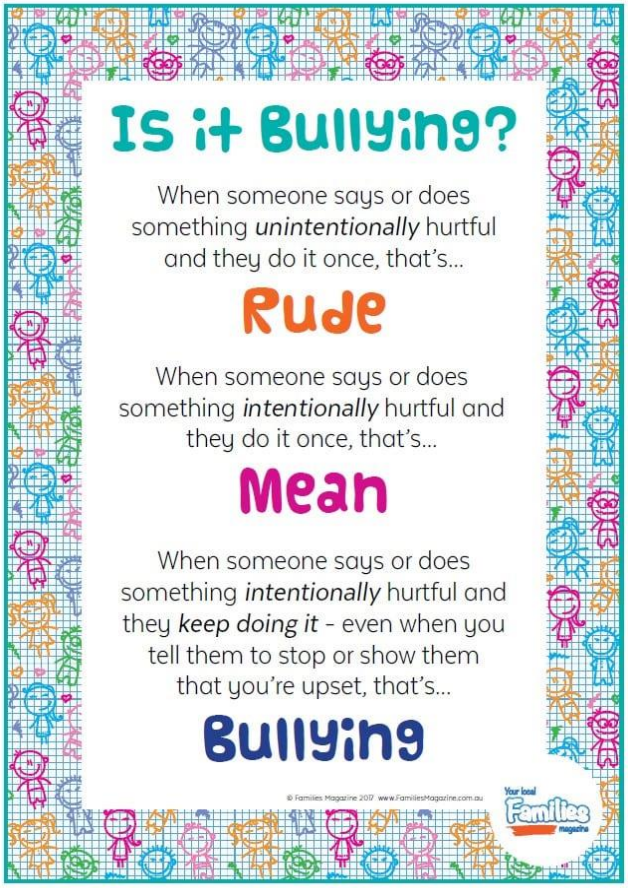
Is it bullying? Is it rude? Is it mean?

The children talked about the different types of bullying, and discussed a range of issues by role-playing different scenarios to think about what they might do in these situations.

Our key message at school and at home is to '**Always tell an adult**', if they feel that they are being bullied, or if someone that they know is being bullied.

Please talk to your child about what they already know about keeping themselves safe.

Every week at Our Lady's is Anti-Bullying Week!



I have received and read the Our Lady's Primary School newsletter of 20.11.2026

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…



Wednesday 25th November @ 9am – Parent Coffee Morning (Yarn wrapped letter art)
Friday 27th November @ 9am – Parents Working Alongside Children in Class – Year 1
Friday 27th November – Non-uniform Day – children donate £1 to charity to wear non-uniform clothes
WB Monday 7th December – Last week of after school enrichment clubs
Tuesday 8th December @ 10.00 Nativity to parents of Reception and Year 1 children
Wednesday 9th December @ 10.00 Nativity to parents of Year 2 children
Wednesday 9th December – School Christmas lunch
Wednesday 16th December @ 2.30 KS2 Carol Service
Friday 18th December – Last day of term

Trips and Visits Payment



A reminder to please send in the £20 contribution for your child's trips and visits for the academic year. This one-off payment covers all planned educational outings and experiences throughout the year. The school heavily subsidises the overall cost to keep it affordable for families. **We are booking our spring term trips this week**. A big thank you to the families who have already made this payment.

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 - Albie
Year 1 - Roman
Year 2 - Marcel
Year 3 - Hadassa
Year 4 - Marlow
Year 5 - Rayyan
Year 6 - Evalyn



Our Prayer of the week…



The Feast of Christ the King
Lord Jesus Christ, King of the universe, watch over us and guide us.
Help us to remember that whatever we do to others, we do to you.
Amen

The winner of the Friday newsletter slip prize this week is **Abiel** in **Nursery**.
Abiel has won a £5 gift voucher to spend in Waterstones.

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 3** for having the **BEST ATTENDANCE** this week – **98.5%.**
Year 3 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.
Thank you for your help with this :)

Work of the Week!

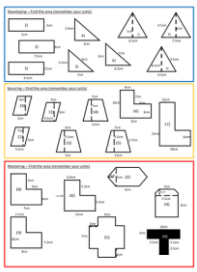


Every week a fantastic piece of children's work is showcased in the school lobby (next to the office).

This week, Year 4 have been learning about area in maths.

Safia has explored the **area of 2D shapes** and can answer tricky questions about area.

Safia can draw shapes with different areas and compare the area using mathematical vocabulary.



Well done, Safia

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, Mrs Robbins, Ms Mahon or Mrs O'Reilly. **We are always really pleased to meet with you and chat things through.**

