



NEWSLETTER

"Seeing Christ in ourselves and others"



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w/e Thursday 20th February, 2025

Welcome, Ласкаво просимо, добро пожаловать, Witamy, Sveiki, Bienvenido, Bienvenue, ยินดีต้อนรับ to our weekly newsletter.

Term Dates

Reminder - school closes for half term

Thursday 20th February, 2025

and reopens on

Monday 3rd March, 2025

Details of 2025 & 2026 term dates are available on our website. Click the calendar icon or see the documents section in My Child At School.



New Baby

Congratulations from everyone at Holy Family School to Mrs Page and her family, who have welcomed baby Alfred 'Alf', delivered safely, 8lb 5 oz. We all can't wait to meet him!

OUTSTANDING



We are incredibly proud to share with families that following our recent inspection by the Catholic Schools Inspectorate, Holy Family have been graded as Outstanding in all areas. A full copy of the report has been sent to out by email and is also available on our website link below. Our children and staff work incredibly hard every day which has been recognised and reflected in the comments made by the Inspectors in the report.

<https://holyfamily.bhcet.org.uk/our-outcomes>

Thank you to all families for your continued support.

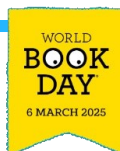
World Book Day

Thursday 6th March, 2025

Children are invited to come to school dressed as a word from the dictionary, any word at all which classmates will try to guess. If you're stuck, some words which might spark ideas eg: dog, butterfly, monster, or something like 'fast', 'blue' or 'athlete'.



The world is your oyster this year!



Uniform Supplier

As you may be aware from the local media, our school uniform supplier, Elizabeth's Embroidery, has ceased trading with immediate effect, due to personal circumstances.

Although Holy Family haven't received any official or prior notification of the closure, we are currently working with the Trust to clarify the situation for any families who may have outstanding orders with the company.

School uniform can still be purchased from other shops and supermarkets and we will keep you informed of any new suppliers.

Happy Birthday

to pupils celebrating their birthday during the next week.

Elodie F Leo M Ted M Angela T James C
Ralph WS Amber S Joshua C William J Aleksander K
Isla G

My Child At School Accounts



We Still Have Accounts In Arrears!

Please remember ...!

Costs for unpaid services, such as school meals, wrap around care and trips end up being paid from the school budget, which should be used towards the children's learning!

Please pay any arrears and start the new term with an up to date account.

Thank you!

Attendance Stars

The Class with the best weekly attendance will be rewarded with an additional activity.

This week's Attendance Stars
are

**Year 6
Congratulations!**

Reception Class Celebration Of The Word Assembly

We would like to invite family members to attend a Reception Class assembly on Friday 28th March, 2025 at 3.00 pm in the school hall.

Please could we ask families to arrive in time for a 3.00 pm prompt start, to avoid interrupting the children.

Thank you



Year 4 First Holy Communion Programme

Dates for the 2024/2025 First Holy Communion programme are available on the school website, link below.

<https://holyfamily.bhcet.org.uk/catholic-life/first-holy-communion>



Year 6 SATs Revision Club



After half term, we are starting a revision club for children in Year 6. The club will be held after school every Thursday from 3.30 pm to 4.30 pm, starting on Thursday 6th March, 2025.

Don't Rinse With Water Straight After Brushing Teeth!



We have recently received some great information from health professionals to share with families.

The advice for everyone is not to rinse after brushing teeth as the water will wash away the concentrated fluoride in the remaining toothpaste. Rinsing dilutes it and reduces its preventative effects. More information from the NHS is available via the link below

<https://www.nhs.uk/live-well/healthy-teeth-and-gums/>



Calling All 3 – 4 Year Olds!

Come and join our wonderful Nursery! Experience a varied and creative curriculum, where everyday is an incredible journey of learning and exploring.

Waiting lists are open for 2025 and beyond, although places for 2025 are limited. Please contact the school office for an application form, to arrange to look around or discuss your requirements.

