



Regina Coeli Catholic Primary School

'Where there is Love, there is God'

Friday 11th September 2026
Newsletter Number 1
Autumn Term



Dear Parents ,

I hope that you have all enjoyed a restful and happy summer break and have had the opportunity to spend precious time with family and friends. It is wonderful to see our school community coming back together. We are especially delighted to welcome all our new children and families to our school. The Reception children have settled in so well and from next week our nursery children will be back too.

As we begin another exciting year together, we look forward to creating many opportunities for our children to learn, grow, discover and flourish. Every child is uniquely created and precious to God, and we remain committed to ensuring that each child feels valued, supported and inspired to reach their full potential.

Our school is built on the strength of our community and we look forward to working closely with you, our families, as partners in your children's education. There will be many exciting experiences and opportunities ahead, and I am particularly looking forward to seeing the children's curiosity, enthusiasm and joy for learning shine throughout the year.

This Sunday is Education Sunday and the diocese is asking children to be proud of their school and wear their uniform when they attend Mass.

May God bless our school, our families and all that we do together this year.

Best wishes, Mrs Christoforou



Peter went up to Jesus and said, "Lord, how often must I forgive my brother if he wrongs me? As often as seven times?" Jesus answered, "Not seven, I tell you, but seventy-seven times." Then Jesus told them this story: "There was a king with many servants. One of them owed the king an enormous amount of money. The servant could not pay so he begged for more time to pay his debt. The king felt so sorry for him that he let him go and even cancelled the debt. Now as this servant went out, he happened to meet a fellow servant who owed him a very small amount of money; but he would not give him time to pay and instead had him thrown into prison. When the news reached the king, he sent for the unforgiving servant. 'You wicked servant,' the king said, 'I cancelled all that debt of yours when you appealed to me. Were you not bound, then, to have pity on your fellow servant just as I had pity on you?' Then the king sent the unforgiving servant to prison to be punished."

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Term Calendar

Event	Date
Flu Vaccination	Monday 21st September
Year 6 Celebration of the Word	Tuesday 22nd September 9am
St Maria Celebration of the Word	Tuesday 29th September 9am
St Patrick Celebration of the Word	Friday 2nd October 9am
Year 6 Height & Weight check	Tuesday 6th October
St Rose Celebration of the Word	Friday 9th October 9am
School photos	Thursday 15th October AM
St Bridget Celebration of the Word	Friday 16th October 9am
Year 6 Swimming	Monday 19th October
Half term	Monday 26th October—Friday 30th October

Parking

Our FAITH value of FAMILY encourages us to seek to act fairly and responsibly in our relationships.
This includes our wider community and our neighbours.

Please do not park in private bays or driveways in the properties around our school.

Please be considerate to all of our neighbours.

Thank you

**The council have driving restrictions on Kendra Hall Road between 08:00-09:30 and 14:00-16:00.
Using the road between these times will result in a Penalty Charge Notice.**



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Star Of The Week 7th September 2026



St Rita: Ali Qasim, Esther

St David: Raya, Cyril

St Rose: Kaid, Kairo

St Mark: Nahla, Kennedy

St Bridget: Hilda, Jane

St Patrick: Mia, Arlo

St Maria: Joel, Kosi

St Andrew: Tianne, Karla

St Gertrud: Kal, Rory

St Michael: Ava-Rae, Kendrick

St Dominic: Irene, Sofia

St Felicity: Althaniel, Ryleigh



School Opening times

A reminder the school gates open at 08:30 in the morning. School finishes at 3:15 Monday to Thursday and a 2:30 finish on a Friday. It is important that a child arrives promptly as early morning work commences at 8.30am. A child arriving daily at 9.00am would therefore miss 2 1/2 hours per week of learning time per week which soon adds up!

Medical & Dietary

Please advise the school office as soon as possible if there are any changes to your child's medical or allergies requirements.
Thank you

School Menu

Week commencing 14th September is week 3 for lunches

[https://
www.reginacoelschool.co.uk/
school-dinners](https://www.reginacoelschool.co.uk/school-dinners)

Year 5—Whitgift

On Monday and Tuesday St Gertrude went to the grand school of Whitgift, for the Primary Project. We did computing, specifically coding. We also learnt German and played the djembe drums, which originates from West Africa. The most memorable moment was seeing Peacocks and flamingos in the water garden.

By Fiyon, St Gerturde



We understand how excited our children are to celebrate their birthdays with their friends, but we would like to request that you no longer provide teachers with cakes and sweets in the classroom. We are a healthy school. We also have a number of children with dietary requirements or allergies that may miss out on what has been offered.

We would therefore ask that as another way to mark the significance of their birthday, the children might choose to donate a new reading book to go in the class library, which they could write a message to the class in and sign. Or they could donate a new game for the wet play box. This is something that the whole class can enjoy!

Thank you in advance for your support.