



Monthly News Bulletin

'You Are Precious In My Eyes'



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Friday 12th December 2025



**KEEP UP THE DAILY ATTENDANCE – 100% & Punctuality = Bowling Treat -
Friday 19th December – We also have a 97%+ raffle on the last day.**

PANTOMIME

What a superb time we had in Bolton! Thank you to all the parents who paid for their child to attend the Pantomime. The children thoroughly enjoyed the Beauty and the Beast performance; singing chanting and joining in so well.

CHRISTMAS CELEBRATIONS

The KS1 nativity was spectacular and the children sang their hearts out. What a fabulous performance. We really do have so many talented children.

Next week Thursday 18th is Christmas lunch and party day with a visit from Santa. The children can wear their party outfit all day!

Reception and Nursery Nativity on Thursday 18th at 9am – parents are welcome.

Year 6 are singing at Top Bistro on Monday 15th and our Choir are singing at Tesco next Wednesday 9:30-10:30am. It is so lovely to be able support our community.

CURRICULUM AND TEACHING

The children have taken assessments recently and teachers are pleased with progress. This shows that the children are working really hard, practicing reading and reinforcing learning at home with their homework tasks. Many thanks to parents for supporting your children. It is lovely to hear in assembly how ambitious they are about their future careers.

SJPS FACEBOOK

Check out all the wonderful events and activities on our Facebook page: [St. Joseph's Catholic Primary School](https://www.facebook.com/StJosephsCatholicPrimarySchool).

Have a wonderful weekend preparing for Christmas in our hearts and homes.

Mrs Monaghan



Attendance

A reminder that good attendance is vital for progress in learning. Birthdays, celebrations and other occasions are not reasons for your child to stay at home - These should be kept for weekends!

SPORTS NEWS

Congratulations to our football team who are remaining in the premier league for the next season!



Well done to the following superstars.
You have all shone brightly and impressed your teachers.
We are very proud of you! –

	Friday 28 th Nov	Friday 5 th	Friday 12 th
RA	Harper	/	Harrison
RB	Jaxon	/	Edy
Y1A	Frederick	Chris	Scarlett
Y1B	Alan A	Anabia	Wania
Y2A	Archie F	Sabrina	Natania
Y2B	Shalom and Olivia L	Maks	Mikey
Y3A	Oliwier	Paris	Zack
Y3B	Ivana	Eknoor	Nadia
Y4A	Hasnain	Oliwier	/
Y4B	Lamaa	Rayan	Noah
Y5	Darlene	Jack M	Lexi
Y5/6	Patritia	Testimony	Ibrahim
Y6	/	Hannah G	Diamond
Sports Award	/	Charlie	Harrison K (RA)
Headteacher Award	/	Zuzanna P	Eliza A



DIARY DATES 2026

Spring Term

Monday 5th January – School Reopens

Friday 30th January - CAFOD cake sale and own clothes day

Spring Disco Thursday 12th February

Friday 13th February – School Closes at 3.15pm

HALF TERM 16th - 20th February

INSET Monday 23rd February

Tuesday 24th – School Reopens

Thursday 5th March - World book dress up day



Christmas Services at St Joseph's Church

Wednesday 24th December – Christmas Eve

- 6:30pm – Proclamation & Carols
- 7:00pm – Sung Mass

Thursday 25th December – Christmas Day

- 10:00am – Mass