



St. Teresa's Catholic Primary School Newsletter



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Spring 2 is now in full swing and there is a real sense of purpose across school. Staff are working hard to strengthen the children's key skills in reading, handwriting and number knowledge. In maths, there is a strong focus on secure number facts, place value and applying knowledge confidently to solve problems — firm foundations that support success across the curriculum.

Today, we also celebrated World Book Day. Thank you to everyone who entered our competition, we were blown away by the competition entries. Well done to all!

It has been wonderful to see so many children showing resilience in their learning, persevering when work feels challenging and taking pride in their progress. This is a vital skill for their future, and we are proud of the determination they are showing.

Mr Kay

Lent

We are now in the holy season of Lent, a special time in the Church's year. Across school, children have been reflecting on what they might give up in order to grow closer to God, and just as importantly, what they can do more of to make our world a kinder and better place. Through prayer, small sacrifices and acts of generosity, we are encouraging everyone to think beyond themselves and live out our faith each day. Thank you to Fr. Chapple who celebrated Mass to mark the beginning of Lent at our school.

This is also an important time for our Muslim children and families who are observing Ramadan. We wish them well during this sacred month of fasting and prayer. It is a valuable opportunity for us all to show respect, understanding and unity within our diverse school community.



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Attendance over the last two weeks

Our attendance has dipped recently, and while we fully understand that illness does occur, we also want to continue promoting resilience and good habits when children are well enough to be in school. A reminder that school begins promptly at 8.40am. To support a calm and punctual start, we kindly ask that children arrive from 8.30am so they are ready to begin their day.

	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Attendance	93%	92%	89%	94%	98%	94%	97%
Punctuality	9 lates	3 lates	9 lates	3 lates	8 lates	8 lates	3 lates

Sports News

The start of a new half term has seen lots of sports clubs and fixtures. Well done to the Year 3/4 team who took part in the annual Sir Tom Finney tournament. Well done to the tag rugby team who started their league fixtures this week. It is great to see so many children taking part in clubs and being part of our school teams.



Key Dates

DATE	TIME	EVENT
Wednesday 25th March	3.15pm-6.00pm	Parents Evening
Friday 27 th March	All Day	Non-Uniform day. Please bring in chocolate for the Chocolate Bingo event.
Tuesday 31 st March	2.15pm	Year 3/4 Passion Play
Wednesday 1 st April	3.15pm-4.30pm	Chocolate Bingo
Thursday 2 nd April	1.30pm	School closes for Spring term at 1.30pm for one week and a day.
Monday 13 th April	8.40am	Children return at 8.40am