



St. Ursula's Catholic Primary School

NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents and Carers,

The end of Spring Term 1 gives us a chance to reflect on our achievements over the last few weeks and, at the end of this half term, we can all be proud of the learning that has taken place. We had an extremely high uptake for Parents' Evening — I hope that your meetings provided you with an opportunity to hear about your child's learning and achievements. We hope to invite all parents to a celebration afternoon on March 24th. Our new celebration afternoons will provide parents/carers with time to sit down with their children to look through their books and to talk with class teachers face-to-face. Mr Ashburn.



SAFER INTERNET WEEK @ ST URSULA'S



This Week, our children celebrated Safer Internet Day across the week. On Monday, my Gospel assembly discussed 'Netiquette'. This is a set of rules to help pupils interact positively with others whilst online. This set of rules also showed children how to act in different situations that they may encounter whilst using social media.

Mrs Marshall, our Computing & Online safety Lead, met with our 'Online Buddies' during the week to discuss being safe online and how this could be promoted in our classrooms. After their meeting, the Online Buddies returned to their classrooms to share Safer Internet Day resources. Our Key stage 1 pupils have been asked to create posters about staying safe online and our Key stage 2 pupils are creating respectful gaming posters.

Our Online Buddies also handed out a Digital Parenting magazine that pupils brought home. This magazine has gathered brilliant people from across the digital landscape - doctors, researchers, teens, and plenty of busy parents - to explore the different ways we can build happy digital lives. If your child has lost their copy, you can still view the magazine by using the following link: [Digit Parenting magazine](#)

Visit our website for more Online Safety information: <https://stursulascatholicprimary.co.uk/safeguarding/e-safety/online-safety>

OUR NEW SENSORY ROOM!

I'm delighted to announce the completion of our brand new sensory room. This has been a year in the making and is now ready to be used. Our sensory room will be used by our pupils to develop their sensory skills. Our sensory room has been filled with resources that are great for stimulating and calming the senses — sight, touch and hearing. We also hope our pupils will be able to use this new room to relax, distress and diffuse anxieties.



Attendance TOP FIVE

1	Nursery AM	100%
2	St Anne's	98.68%
3	St Matthew's	98.61%
4	St Margaret's	97.84%
5	St Luke's	97.5%

MONDAY 21ST FEBRUARY CHARLIE WALLER FUNDRAISING

Since the start of February, St. Ursula's Catholic Primary School have been taking part in the 'Fit4Feb' challenge in order to raise money for the charitable organisation Charlie Waller. This is a charity that works hard to support young people to understand their own mental health and empower them to talk more openly about the subject.

Our children have been completing a physical activities that are linked to the number 28 every day and on Monday 21st February we are asking the whole school to dress up in bright, colourful clothes and take part in an extra special activity. KS1 children and staff will complete a fun dance; 28 minutes of non-stop dancing. The KS2 children and staff will take part in a fun run; they will walk, skip, and run around the school field for 28 minutes. On this day we are asking all children to donate £1 which will all go towards the Charlie Waller charity.

