

St Ursula's Catholic Primary School

Weekly News Bulletin

Friday 21st March 2025

School Values Winners

Key Stage 1 & EYFS

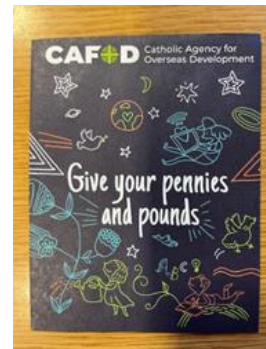
Faith – Alexander G
Respect – Kai
Kindness – Beau
Honesty – Melanie
Resilience – Maisie Lea

Key Stage 2

Faith –
Respect –
Kindness –
Honesty –
Resilience –

Whole School

Please remember to bring in your **CAFOD envelopes** with donations to the office or give to your child's class teacher. Alternatively, you can visit our Just Giving Page, using the QR code provided. Thank you so much for your continued support!



KS1 Lost Property

Please see items left in the after school club with no names in. Please collect from the school office.

Nursery

Reception

Uniform:

This is another reminder to all parents to make sure your children are wearing the correct uniform. Please refer back to our website for our uniform policy if you are unsure.

Boys: white short sleeved shirt (not a polo shirt) with a tie. Grey trousers and a red jumper. Black shoes.

Girls: white short sleeved shirt (not a polo shirt) with a tie. A grey pinafore dress and a red cardigan. Black or red shoes. White and/or red hair bobbles only.

If you are unable to purchase this uniform before the summer uniform is to be worn, please do speak to a Reception member of staff and we can support you with uniform that has been donated.

We are sending home a sheet to show correct letter formation to be kept at home as a guideline.

Year 1

Year 2

Year 3

Year 4

Uniform

Please can we request you check the names in your children's PE kits. We have children who have said they have lost PE jumpers with their names on but they cannot be found in school. It is possible your child has picked up someone else's jumper by mistake, so if you could double check this would be appreciated.

Easter Assembly and PE Lesson

Year 4 have swapped their PE session to Wednesday due to the Easter Assembly. However, they will still wear their PE kit **on Tuesday**. It is important children are in their PE Kit as we have planned this into our assembly.

*Correct uniform would be appreciated to ensure the correct effect.

Year 4 Trips to Westminster on 28th March and 4th April

We would like to remind you that Year 4 will be visiting Westminster Cathedral on the following dates:

St Paul's visit: **Friday 28th March.**

St Philomena's visit: **Friday 4th April**

Lunch

Please ensure that your child arrives on the day with a packed lunch. **If your child needs a school trip packed lunch, then please book this on the Schoolgateway app now so that the kitchen can order supplies.**

Journey

We will be travelling by public transport and therefore it is important that your **child arrives promptly at 8:25am**. We will take the 256 Bus Charlbury Crescent to Hornchurch Station, and then board a District line train to Victoria Station. During our journey, we will be making time for prayer and reflection. We will be back at school ready for the children to be collected at their usual time.

Donations

There is no cost to this trip. However, Westminster Cathedral would greatly appreciate any donation you can spare. If you would kindly like to make a donation of £3 or more, payments can be made via SchoolComms as of now. You can also give any donations to your child's class teacher.

Year 5

Year 6

Message for Parents of children in St. Matthew's Class:

Dear Parents/Carers,

As you may be aware, Miss Gilligan has been unwell and has been absent from school. Unfortunately she will not be returning to school before the Easter Half Term break. Due to her circumstances, we are currently unable to provide a specific date for her return.

We want to reassure you that we have arranged for suitable cover for St. Matthew's class during her absence. Although the children are not with their regular teacher, they are still receiving high-quality teaching and are actively engaged in their learning. The class continues to follow their usual lesson plans and is well-prepared for the end of Key Stage 2 SATs, with booster groups ongoing to support their progress.

On Friday 4th April we will share end-of-term reports that will provide you with an update on your child's progress and attainment. If we have any urgent concerns regarding your child's development before then, we will reach out to you directly.

We anticipate having a clearer understanding of Miss Gilligan's return on 28th March and will provide an update regarding a rearranged Parents' Evening.

Thank you for your continued support and understanding during this time.

St Joseph's

Next week's word of the week is 'help'

The link below shows you how to sign 'help'

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OgWqIqmi5bU>



Church Community

Easter Egg Donations

Our local churches - St. Dominic's and The Most Holy Redeemer - are looking for donations of Easter Eggs for raffle prizes for children on Good Friday. If you are able to donate any Easter Eggs, could you please drop them off at the School Office by **Friday 28th March**.

We hope that you can support our parish and church community.

Girls' Club

The Girls' Club's last session will be on Friday 28th March. It will resume on Friday 25th April.