



St. Edmund's Catholic Primary School Newsletter

Friday 1st July 2022

This Weeks Spotlight!

EYFS

What a busy week we have had in the EYFS! We continued our superheroes topic by learning about some extra special heroes who help save the planet by recycling. We learnt that we can be superheroes too, if we recycle. On Wednesday, Litterbug Doug visited our classroom and left lots of rubbish everywhere! We had to sort it into paper, plastic and cardboard. We also read a story called The Robber Racoon who uses other people's rubbish to make her own treasures. This inspired us to make our own models from junk. We have also been discussing how wonderful our world is. The children drew their own special pictures about what they love about the world and this led to lots of wonderful discussions.



Classroom News!

Year One & Two

Year 1&2 have had a lovely week. We have planned what our tasty fruit kebabs will look like. We started our new maths topic on position and direction and we are getting used to using the correct vocabulary. In English, we made our own 3 wishes and took a magic carpet ride. In RE, we thought about Jesus' rule about love and then we made promises to love everybody and make the world a happier place. Well done Year 1&2!

Year Three & Four

This week in Year 3/4, we've been learning about statistics. We started the week by learning how to collect data; we used a table and tally chart to find out information on our peers. We then represented that data by drawing our own bar charts! We spent the rest of the week exploring ways in which we can use different graphs. In English, we have completed our play script unit. We have all created our own play based on the book James and the Giant Peach. Well done Year 3/4 on another brilliant week!

Year Five & Six

This week in year 5/6 we have been working on our production every day! The children have been fantastic and have really come together to make their show work. Year 5 had their taster day at Our Ladies which they really enjoyed. They had a Drama lesson where they had to remember many moves, a Science lesson using Bunsen burners for the first time to make a gold coin. They then had a PE lesson where they were split into teams with another school to play basketball and rounders, a great day! Well done Year 5/6 for a brilliant week.

Classroom Rewards

Each week children are encouraged to complete their work to a high standard (St. Edmund's Standard). Children who have tried their best to try and reach this standard will be awarded the 'St. Edmund's Standard Award'. Children are also encouraged to follow the school mission statement and show 'Care, Consideration and Courtesy' towards each other, children who show acts of kindness which follow the mission statement will be awarded the 'Care, Consideration and Courtesy Award'.

St. Edmund's Standard Award

Grace Galligan

David Basceanu

Dayle Mathews

Isak Fury

Care, Consideration and Courtesy Award

Isla Chatterly

Hayley Mawson

Penelope Lawrenson

Viktor Huska

Attendance Award

This weeks winners are:

The winning class receives an extra playtime.

Last week's overall attendance: 93.35%

This week's overall attendance: 84.85%

Reminder: The low attendance is due to a sickness bug, please make sure your children are washing their hands before and after eating.

FSU	82.9%
Year One & Two	85.2%
Year Three & Four	76.8%
Year Five & Six	94.5%

Announcement: Family Attendance Draw

At the end of each term, we are going to have an **attendance draw**. For every full week a child is in school they will receive a ticket which will be entered into the end of term attendance draw. Therefore the more full weeks your child is in school the greater chance you have at winning the draw. The prize will be a £25 voucher for Asda.

Dear Parents and Carers

We have our Year Five and Six production next week. I have been watching some of the practises and I have been very impressed with the acting and singing. Some of our staff members have mentioned they could hear the beautiful singing in the local shop. I am sure the children in the school and the Year Five/Six parents will enjoy watching it.

Mrs Nickson organised taking eight of our KS2 children to the Annual Shares Athletics competition at Robin Park. Mrs Fletcher and Mr Fitzpatrick accompanied the children to the event. I would like to thank them for their hard work. Mrs Nickson has already reported back to me that the children who behaved beautifully and worked well as a team. I am very proud to announce that Chloe came third in the 200m and Khaidyn came third in the 80m. Well done to both of them.



We have the Annual Share Swimming Gala is next week and we will be taking a team to represent the school. I am sure they will do well.

I hope you have a lovely weekend.

Mrs Birmingham

Important dates

Y5/6 Production— Cinderella Rockafella	5th July 6th July	1.30 pm 6.30 pm
SHARES Swimming Gala	7th July	3.30 pm—6.00 pm
Sports Day—Whole School	11th July	1.15 pm
Reserve Sports Day—Whole School	13th July	1.15 pm
Y5/6 Rock and River Trip	12th July	All day
Y6 Bowling Trip	14th July	4..00 pm till 7.00 pm
Y6 Leavers Mass	20th July	2.00 pm
School Finishes	21st July	3.15 pm