



Saint Margaret Mary's Catholic Infant School Newsletter

Friday 4th October

Class 1	97%	Class 7	95.9%
Class 2	99%	Class 8	100%
Class 3	94.7%	Class 9	99%
Class 4	98.3%	Class 10	90.7%
Class 5	97.9%	Class 11	99%
Class 6	95.9%	Class 12	98.7%

School Attendance Matters This week's Attendance **Our target for attendance is 96%.**

Attendance Award in Reception goes to Classes 9&11

Attendance Award in Year 1 goes to Class 8

Attendance Award in Year 2 goes to Class 2



St Margaret Mary's
Catholic Church
Sunday Masses:
Saturday 5:30pm and
Sunday 10:00am.
ALL ARE WELCOME

**MAGPIES (BREAKFAST AND
AFTERSCHOOL CLUB)**
AS PREVIOUSLY NOTIFIED LAST YEAR
OUR AFTERSCHOOL CLUB CHARGE WILL
BE BEING
INCREASED FROM MONDAY 4TH
NOVEMBER 2019 TO £8.00. PARENTPAY
WILL BE UPDATED AT THAT TIME TO
REFLECT THE CHANGE IN PAYMENT.

POETRY WEEK

Last week, the children thoroughly enjoyed reading, writing and reciting a wide range of poetry.

This culminated in a poetry recital in the school hall. Each class had learned a poem by heart and recited it for their friends in the other classes. The performances were enjoyed by all the children. Throughout the week, children could be heard reciting their poem at playtimes, in the canteen and along the corridors.

Thank you and well done everyone. A special thanks to Mr Barr and all the teachers for planning this special week.



THE YEAR OF THE WORD

A special year has been proclaimed in the Catholic Church as, 'The Year of the Word.'

'Your Word is a lamp for my steps and a light for my path.' Psalm 119:105

This initiative focuses on celebrating, living and sharing God's word throughout the Catholic church in England and Wales from 30th September until the end of December 2020.

Living God, you walk alongside and speak to us throughout the Scriptures.

Your Son, Jesus Christ, listens to our hopes and fears and shows us how to live for one another.
Send the Holy Spirit, to open our hearts and minds so that we may be your witnesses throughout the world.
AMEN

DATE	EVENT
Friday 4th October	Class 1 assembly at 9.15am
Wednesday 9th October	Class 1 Stay and Read at 9am
Thursday 10th October/ Thursday 17th October	PARENT'S EVENING
Tuesday 15th October	Reception Reading Workshop
Wednesday 16th October	Class 2 Stay and Read at 9am
Tuesday 22nd October	Early Literacy Workshop– Phonics
Friday 25th October	HALF TERM BEGINS
Monday 4th November	RETURN FROM HALF TERM
Wednesday 6th November	Pre-school Stay and Read at 9am
Friday 8th November	Class 7 Posada Assembly at 9.15am
Tuesday 12th November	KS1 Reading Workshop
Wednesday 13th November	Stay and Read Class 3
Friday 15th November	Class 6 Assembly at 9.15am



FREE APP!

The Teach Your Monster to Read app is currently available on Play Store and the App Store for free. Be quick though as the offer ends on Tuesday. The app is ideal for phonics and reading practice for Reception and Year 1 children although Year 2 children will probably enjoy it too.



CHESTER ZOO TRIP

On Thursday, Year 2 enjoyed their trip to Chester Zoo. They had a great day.

They learned a huge amount about the different animals there and their habitats.

Thank you to Mrs Jennings, teachers, staff and parents who made this trip possible.

Thank you to the children for their wonderful behaviour.

DUGS

Thank you to Mr McManus and all the dads, uncles and granddads who took part in DUGS over the last two weeks.

