



St. Joseph's Catholic Primary School, Leigh

Newsletter



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Important dates and notices

FOSJ – Fancy dress day (Halloween theme)

Thank you for the donations made to our Halloween themed fancy dress day today. Thank you also to the FOSJ for organising it. We have raised £157.45 so far. The children have enjoyed it and looked spooky!

As Year 5 class missed out on this dressing up day, Mrs Bruce suggested we have another themed day in the first week back to school. So ...

on **Thursday 5th November** children can come to school dressed as a **FIREWORK** in their brightest coloured and/or sparkly clothes.

Donations can be made again at the front of the school gate. As Wigan Council is urging families and young people to stay safe this Halloween and Bonfire Night by celebrating at home, we felt this was the only way children could celebrate the occasion together with their friends.

Good bye and Thank you Mrs Dootson and Mrs Jennings

Thank you Mrs Dootson for working with Year 3 children for the last 12 months, introducing sign language and showing such love and care.

Do come back and visit us and keep in touch.

Our thanks goes to Mrs Jennings for all she has brought to our school in the last 11 years. Mrs Jennings has worked across both Key Stages as a Level 2 Teaching Assistant. We are pleased that she has been appointed in a school closer to her home and where her children attend.

All our love and the best of luck in your new job!

Half term

If your child is entitled to Free School Meals and you feel you would like to take up the offer of some free meals during half term, please check out the **Friends Of St Joseph's** Facebook page. It is here you will find local businesses who are offering free meals for children.

Thank you to our school Governors and the FOSJ's team for finding this information and signposting our families to it.

Rewards & Celebrations

This Week's Superstars

A very big well done to the following children who have earned the most team points for their class this week.

Infants

Year 1 – Cora Woods

Year 2 – Gabriel Kucharski

Year 3 – Annie Marsh

Juniors

Year 4 – Mehak Irfan

Year 5 – Isolating

Year 6 – Bailey Hall

Always Award Winner

The class with the most children achieving their always award is our **Year 4** Well done children!

Class with the most nearest 100% Attendance

This week **Reception class** with 98.7%

SUPERCLASS – this week is Year 1

Well done children and staff!

What a great first half term we have had.

We break up for half term today and reopen 02.11.2020

Have a lovely half term!

Please stay safe.

From Miss Daley Autumn 1 Week 8 - 23rd October 2020