

Saint Margaret Mary's Catholic Infant School Newsletter



Friday 27th April 2018



New Deputy Head Teacher

We are pleased to announce that we have been successful in recruiting a new deputy head teacher, who will be joining our school in September 2018.

Lisa Maddocks is currently a deputy head at St Joseph's in Burscough, where she is responsible for leading RE, Key Stage 1 and Early Years.

I am sure you will join us in welcoming Lisa to our school family.

Our Gardening Club

Our gardening club got off to a flying start this week. Thank you to all the parents and children who attended and to Mrs Henderson for leading and organising the club.

Over the next few weeks, the gardening club will have lots of fun weeding, planting and learning about how to look after plants and insects in our school grounds.

We can't wait to see the results of all your hard work.



Welcoming Local Schools

On Thursday evening, we welcomed teachers from across the borough to our school. This was part of our involvement with a charity called 'Achievement for All.'

Achievement for All aims to support all children in achieving the very best they can and supporting schools and families in removing or lessening any possible barriers to learning.

It was a great opportunity to share our good work and our wonderful school with other teachers.

Thank you to Mrs Hedley and Mrs Boardman for organising this session.

Dates for your Diary

Tuesday 24th April

Early Year Little Learners

Wednesday 25th April

Stay and Read—Class 12

Friday 27th April

Maths Games Afternoon

Tuesday 1st May

RSPB Outreach Programme

Wednesday 2nd May

Stay and Read—Preschool

Thursday 3rd May

Year 1 Meeting regarding Phonics

Reading Check and Crosby Hall—

2.40p.m. or 6.00p.m. Canteen

Tuesday 8th May

Year 1 Science Workshop

Wednesday 9th May

Stay and Read—nursery

MAY 2018

YEAR 2 SATS ASSESSMENTS

ATTENDANCE IN SCHOOL IS VERY

IMPORTANT DURING THIS TIME

JUNE 2018 YEAR 1 PHONICS SCREENING

WEEK

Please see our website for further dates.

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School Attendance Matters

This week's attendance

Our target for attendance is 95%.

Class 1	94.6%	Class 7	97.7%
Class 2	97.7%	Class 8	98%
Class 3	94.3%	Class 9	92.3%
Class 4	97.7%	Class 10	99.3%
Class 5	98.3%	Class 11	88.7%
Class 6	95.9%	Class 12	96%

Attendance Award in Reception goes to Class 10

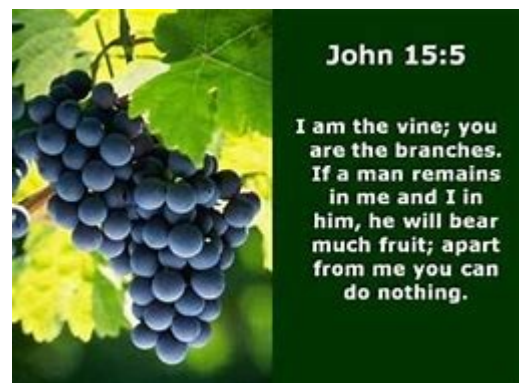
Attendance Award in Year 1 goes to Class 5

Attendance Award in Year 2 goes to Classes 2 & 4

Sharing our Faith

The season of Easter is continuing. This week, we hear that Jesus called himself the 'True Vine' when he was teaching his disciples. What does this mean? The vine is the centre from which the branches are supported and grow. In turn, the branches bear fruit. We know that Jesus is the true vine always supporting us, his branches. He nurtures us and gives us life.

Dear Lord, you are the vine, we are the branches. Help us to bear your fruit and follow your word. Amen.



John 15:5

I am the vine; you are the branches. If a man remains in me and I in him, he will bear much fruit; apart from me you can do nothing.

MATHS PROBLEM OF THE WEEK

Here are two dice.

If you add up the dots on the top you'll get 7 .

Find two dice to roll yourself. Add the numbers that are on the top.

What other totals could you get if you roll the dice again?

