

St Elizabeth's Catholic Primary School

Part of the Holy Cross Catholic MAC of schools

Newsletter 11

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Virtue & Value Focus:

Attentive to their experience and to their vocation; and **Discerning** about the choices they make and the effects of those choices.

This weeks school attendance: 93.25% **School target attendance 97%**

This weeks winning class is: Y6 97.49%

Rec: 92.33% Year 1: 91.92% Year 2: 94.84% Year 3: 95.56% Year 4: 90.97% Year 5: 96% Year 6: 97.49%



Parking Problems

Whilst we fully understand the difficulties of parking around our school site, we are reminding parents/carers not to park on the pavement outside of the main school gates at any time. This area needs to be available for staff and emergency access at all times and is also required for delivery access. The pavement is not part of the road and public highways may ticket any vehicle stopping on this area. Thank you for your support in this safeguarding matter.

Internet Safety Parent/Carer Training

We have organised for a 45 minute parent/carers training session on Tuesday 28th November. The meeting will take place in the school hall and will be led by trainers from Parent Zone from the Google 'Internet Legends Team'.

Internet safety is a concern for every parent and carer, and we would like to share training and support in this area of safeguarding concern – please make every effort to keep this date and time free.



New Signage

Please see our X (Twitter) Class Dojo streams for photo's of the new signage we have in school. We have new hall signage illustrating our Catholic Jesuit values and virtues, new Catholic social teaching foci in our infant link corridor and a beautiful Holy Spirit themed image on our circular feature library window. We have some additional plans to decorate our infant corridor we will share with you over the next few weeks.



Mrs Miles -25 Years of Service

We were delighted to see Mrs Miles receive a special 25 years service award last Friday on our Holy Cross MAC INSET day. Mrs Miles has worked across Coventry for 25 years with the last 15 years spent at St Elizabeths. I am certain you would all join with us in thanking Mrs Miles for her unwavering dedication and commitment to our children and families over the last 15 years.

Thank you Mrs Miles, we appreciate everything you do!!



Wednesday Word for this week is... **Kindness**



Dear Lord Jesus, help me to see you in everyone I meet, and be **kind** to all, especially to those that I sometimes find it difficult to love. Amen.

Attendance Winning House - 20th—24th November:

Each week we will be looking at the attendance for each of our Saint group houses. The winning Saint house group at the end of each term will receive a special attendance prize.

1st Place - St. Therese 96.39% 2nd Place - St. John the Baptist 96.38%

3rd Place - St. Francis 94.79% 4th Place - St Bernadette 92.36%



Football Report

Our football team played St. Patricks on Thursday evening. It was a dark cold and wet evening but our boys and girls overcame the conditions and the opposition and won the game convincingly 2-0. Well done to all players - special mention to Jayden B for his two goals and player of the match Oluwateniola.

Canal and River Trust



Our children enjoyed an assembly on Tuesday from the Canal and River Trust. The central focus of the assembly was staying safe near water. Please continue to discuss water safety at home to reinforce this crucial message.

November - Month for Holy Souls

Please share the prayer below with your child at home.

Eternal rest grant to them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.

May they rest in peace. Amen

May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen



Netball

Our netballers played a nail biting game against Corpus Christi on Tuesday, narrowly losing the match 5-4. Well done to the squad and in particular Anayah in Y6 who played a great game.

Live Simply

An idea for living simply.... With so many offers for savings and 'Black Friday' etc maybe, the best way forward is **not** to buy anything?! Don't be tempted by offers and gimmicks. Keep your pennies in your pocket and buy nothing new!!

Next Week

Monday - Y3 Trip to Lunt Fort
Tuesday - Cafod - Big Assembly - Parent Zone Internet Safety Assembly 3.30pm
Thursday - COP 28 starts today
St. Andrews Feast Day - Mass 9.15am
Friday - Alison Cope visit Y5/Y6—1.45pm
Advent Livestream in preparation for Advent starting on Sunday 3rd December

Golden Certificates for this week

Nursery: Mirabel & Rehmat **Reception:** Nitya & Aayan
Year 1: Caitlyn & Reyan **Year 2:** Dorian & Brenice
Year 3: Dedeви & Isaac **Year 4:** Aaliyah & Kyden
Year 5: Jukiana & Emmanuel A **Year 6:** Freddy & Enji
Mr Doyle: Emmanuel Y1 & Ibrahim Y1
Mrs Miles: Janelle Y1

After School Clubs

Monday - Netball Y5/6 3.15-4.15pm
Tuesday - Football Y5/6 3.15-4.15pm
Wednesday - Ball Games Y3/Y4 3.15-4.15pm
Thursday - Gymnastics Y3/4 3.15-4.15pm