

# St Elizabeth's Catholic Primary School

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## Our new 'Values & Virtues' Focus for this half term:

**Learned**, finding God in all things; and **wise** in the ways they use their learning for the common good.

*"Knowledge comes from learning. Wisdom comes from living." Anthony Douglas Williams.*

**This weeks school attendance: 95.46% School target attendance 97%**

**This weeks winning class is: Y2 99.3%**

**Rec: 96.6% Year 1: 93.6% Year 2: 99.3% Year 3: 97.42% Year 4: 95.3% Year 5: 98.6% Year 6: 91.9%**

## First Holy Communion Congratulations

Enormous congratulations to our Year 3 children who received the Eucharist for the first time on Sunday. Our children approached their big day with great excitement and reverence and were the pride of our school and parish! Thank you to our families and, of course, our children who gave us such a lovely celebration of mass and Father Moses and Sister Joan for their continued leadership of our parish.

## S.O.S From the Kids

Our Year 3 children sang beautifully in today's celebration assembly as they sang 'This is an SOS from the Kids' - an environmental song written for children by children.

Please see Class Dojo to share in the official video and lyrics so your children can learn this song and join in next week! #SOS



## Great Big Green Book Swap

Today, our children were invited to bring in a book to swap for the 'Great Big Green Book Swap' day! Following Pope Francis' direction, we are continuing to strive to Live Simply and swapping items will be an aspect of school life we repeat in the future, e.g uniform and clothing swaps. We hope your child enjoys their new book this weekend!



## Eid Mubarak

Eid Mubarak to all of our Muslim children and families who are observing and celebrating Eid—al—Adha this weekend.



## World Refugee Day

Next Thursday, the world celebrates 'World Refugee Day.' - a day we feel it is important to recognise in school. We are a school of so many backgrounds and heritages—something we greatly value. Though a day focused on refugees, we will also focus upon migration and migrants and the extraordinary value people of different nations have brought to Coventry and the UK. Do you have a story to share? Please see Mr. Doyle if you have a story of migration which you are willing to share—it may be anonymously if you wish. It would be inspirational and powerful to share some of these journeys that you or your family have made to this country.



Dear Lord Jesus, thank you for your love and care. Please help us to build your **kingdom** in our hearts—to do your work with love and care for all. Amen.

### Euro '24

Good luck to England and Scotland and any other nations our families are following in Euro '24 which takes place over the next few weeks. We look forward to a wonderful celebration of football which brings the nations and peoples of Europe together. Will it be coming home??



### Football Report

Our Girls Football Team took to the field once again on Tuesday evening for their last league game of the year against Sacred Heart. The girls played their best football of the season, hitting the post and playing most of the game in the Sacred Heart half but a break away goal saw our girls fall behind 1—0. The match ultimately finished 1—0 to Sacred Heart but the result didn't diminish the enjoyment and pride in our team's effort and performance; well done to: Naomi, Kamdi, Anayah, Lariah, Aakshaya, Jessica, Wanga, & Enji.

### Diary Dates:

Friday 28th June Reception new parent meeting 9.30am in school hall.

### Class Trips

Y1—Wednesday 19th June

Y2—Tuesday 2nd July

Nursery & Y4—Tuesday 9th July

Y6—Friday 12th July

Y3—Monday 15th July

Last day of term **Friday 19th July.**

**Monday 2nd September** INSET day.

All pupils return to school

**Tuesday 3rd September 8.40am.**

### 2024/2025 INSET Dates:

2nd September 2024

22nd November 2024

6th January 2025

27th June 2025

### 50 Things Before You're 5

Thank you to the families who joined our Early Years Team for our latest '50 Things' meeting. These meetings, signposting and opportunities will help to grow and change your child's life chances and education—please take these opportunities!



### Prayer Services

Please see your child's class prayer service dates below. Please join your child for these brief but beautiful opportunities to join in prayer, praise and thanks. Prayer services start at 3pm. Thank you for your continued support of the prayer life of the school.

**Rec & Y4—Tuesday –2nd July, Y1—Thursday 4th July,  
Y6—Monday 8th July, Y2—Tuesday 9th July,  
Y5—Wednesday 10th July, Y3—Thursday 11th July.**

### Attendance Winning House – 10—14th June:

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** - St. John the Baptist 98.5%    **2nd** - St. Francis 96.92%  
**3rd** - St. Bernadette 96.52%    **4th** - St. Therese 93.68%

### Golden Certificates for this week

Year 1: Ivan & Rishan

Year 2: Iqra & Rex

Year 3: First Holy Communion children

Year 4: Whole Class

Year 5: Isabelle & Brody

Year 6: Wanga & Nadish

Mr Doyle: Jaden M Y6 & Sharon Y4

### After School Clubs

**Mondays:** Netball

**Tuesdays:** Rounders

**Wednesdays:** Ball Games

**Thursdays:** Gymnastics

**All clubs finish at 4.15pm**