

St Elizabeth's Catholic Primary School

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Newsletter 11

Friday 22nd November 2024

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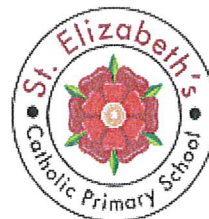
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Virtue & Value Focus: Intentional and Prophetic— **Intentional** in the way they live and use the resources of the earth, guided by conscience; and **prophetic** in the example they set to others.

This weeks school attendance: 95.3% School target attendance 97% This weeks winning class is: Y3 97.6%
Rec: 82.3% Year 1: 87.1% Year 2: 97.4% Year 3: 97.6% Year 4: 95.9% Year 5: 96.1% Year 6: 96.1%

Sacrament Update

Thank you to the children and parent/carers who attended yesterday evenings preparation meeting with Father Moses. We look forward to seeing all children preparing for reconciliation and communion at 9.15am mass on **Sunday 1st December** (full school uniform please), as we join with the Year 3 children from Good Shepherd on the first Sunday of Advent. Please continue to keep in your prayers, all of our children preparing to receive Sacraments this year. Sacrament of Reconciliation (Y3) **Thursday 13th March 6.30pm**,
First Holy Communion (Y3) **Sunday 22nd June 9.15am**,
Sacrament of Confirmation (Y6) **Sunday 16th March at 11.15am**.
Please note this confirmation date which has recently been agreed between Father Moses and Bishop Richard.



Councils & Pupil Voice 2024/25

Congratulations to our new council and pupil voice representatives listed below. These children received their badges today as part of 'Parliament Week.' We look forward to their contributions and ideas over the months to come.

Year 6: School Council—Favour & Thamish, Sports—Sean & Lesly, Eco—Imisi & Princess, Chaplaincy—Precious & Teni,

Year 5: School Council- - Jaden & Hartlyn, Sports—Joanna & Jason, Eco—Abu & Meghan, Chaplaincy—Jeremie & Oluchukwu

Year 4: School Council: Essa & Amelia, Sports—Jaden & Anaya, Eco—Deepansh & Shivanya,
Chaplaincy—Kamtochi & Subhan.

Year 3: School Council— Sofii & Dharvhiyn, Sports—Yotam & Ini, Eco—Yuvraj & Rex, Chaplaincy—Mustafa & Miracle N,

Year 2: School Council—Emmanuel & Caeyla, Sports—Onanefe & Caitlyn, Eco—Esa & Evie, Chaplaincy—Chinedu & Atara,

Year 1: School Council – Abdul Hanan & Ellie, Sports—Riley & Tadala, Eco— Chimemela & Rishi, Chaplaincy—Hezron & Ivy

Rec: School Council—Kehlani & Abdul Manan.

Advent Charity Appeal 2024

This Advent, we are taking part in a 'Reverse Advent Calendar' for Father Hudson's Caritas. Throughout Advent, every child, young person and member of staff in a Catholic school in the Archdiocese of Birmingham is invited to show their love and support for those in need by contributing at least one item to the diocesan Reverse Advent Calendar.

So, we are collecting toiletries which will be donated to Father Hudson's Caritas to support people living on the streets or those arriving new to the country as asylum seekers or refugees.

Father Hudson's Caritas is desperately in need of the following items:

deodorant, body wash, sanitary products, toothpaste & toothbrushes or any other hygiene products you would like to donate.

Please add an item to your shop during Advent and add it to your child's class Reverse Advent Calendar box which will be in class from Monday 2nd December. Thank you in advance for your wonderful generosity!

"Never tire of working for a more just world, marked by greater solidarity." Pope Francis.



Wednesday Word for this week is... **Leader**
Dear Lord Jesus, thank you for leading us in the way of truth—to help
God's kingdom of love to grow in our hearts,
in our homes and in our schools.
Amen.



Year 1 Consultations

Year 1 parents/carers, please book your rearranged parent/carer consultations on Arbor on the dates below:
Tuesday 26th November from 2.00pm and Wednesday 27th November from 2.00pm.
Thank you.

Christmas Diary Dates

December:

Wednesday 4th—Y2 trip to watch Jack & the Beanstalk panto
Friday 6th—Sunday 8th—Y6 Residential trip to Alton Castle
Tuesday 10th—KS2 Jack & the Beanstalk Panto coming into school
Wednesday 11th—Rec, Y1 & Y2 to see The Smeds & The Smoos at Warwick Arts Centre
Thursday 12th— Whole school Christmas dinner day
Friday 13th— Christmas class party day & Christmas Jumper day
Tuesday 17th—Rec, Y1 & Y2 Nativity at 9.30am & 2.30pm
Thursday 19th—KS2 Christmas Carol Service at 2.15pm
Friday 20th—Break up for Christmas Holidays at 3.20pm



January 2025:

Monday 6th School closed for INSET day

Golden Certificates for this week

Nursery: Elena & Saint

Reception: Chimdi & David

Year 1: Iyioluwa & Matteo

Year 2: Emmanuel & Haaniyah

Year 3: Miracle M & Ryan

Year 4: Laiha & Bryant

Year 5: Sharlene & Mario

Year 6: Fatima & Sofia

Mr Doyle: Laiha & Muaz

Mrs Miles: Kehlani Rec



After School Clubs—3.15—4.15pm

Monday - Girls Football Y5/6

Tuesday - Netball Y5/6

Wednesday - Boys Football Y5/6

Thursday - Gymnastics Y4/5

