

St Elizabeth's Catholic Primary School

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Newsletter 18

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Spring 1 Virtue & Value Focus: Curious and Active - Curious about everything; and Active in their engagement with the world, changing what they can for the better.

This weeks school attendance: 95.8% School target attendance 97% This weeks winning classes are: Y3 & Y5
Rec: 90% Year 1: 94.9% Year 2: 91.6% Year 3: 99.3% Year 4: 93.5% Year 5: 99.3% Year 6: 98%

Confirmation 2026



We are very excited to welcome Bishop Richard to school next Thursday afternoon, 29th January, as he once again visits our parish to confer the Sacrament of Confirmation. This wonderful milestone of our children's faith, sees our children take their next steps on their Sacramental journey, marking their increasing maturity and their ability to choose and make their own decisions.



Bishop Richard plans to visit our children on the Thursday afternoon, when he will have an opportunity to meet our children and discuss their sacramental preparations. Our whole parish and school community is invited to attend the Sacramental Mass next Thursday. **Mass begins at 7.00pm.**

A Message from 10 Downing Street

We were delighted to receive a copy of a letter sent to Pru Poretta, Lady Godiva, from Prime Minister, Sir Kier Starmer, regarding Coventry City's focus and work on peace, reconciliation and remembrance.

Pru passed the letter to our school in thanks and recognition for the continued peace and work we do within the city and our support for services of remembrance each year.



Monday 26th January: Green Non-Uniform Day

We are having a 'wear green' (or something green) day on Monday 26th January.

This special school 'Care for Creation' day will focus on our growing understanding of our stewardship of creation, a central pillar of our Catholic Social Teaching.

The day also coincides with International Clean Energy Day and we will strive to reduce our use of electricity throughout the day and be a 'low power green





Dear Lord Jesus, thank you for our school and parish communities.
Please help me say 'Yes' to you, and enrich the communities to which I belong. Amen.

AT7 Free Basketball Sessions Y3/Y4

Every Monday from 4.00pm— 5.00pm AT7 are offering a FREE basketball session for any Year 3 and Year 4 children from St. Elizabeth's school. **The dates are as follows:**

Monday 23rd Feb, 2nd March, 9th March, 16th March, 23rd March.

We will be attending a Y3/4 basketball tournament later in the term with children who attend the after school AT7 sessions having priority.

Coventry Family Hubs—One Stop Shop

Come and meet local partners, discover helpful services, and explore resources that support families. Everyone is welcome! Thursday 26th February, 2.00pm—3.45pm at St. Elizabeth's Catholic Primary.

Housing & Energy advice Libraries Clothing Coventry Green Doctor P3 Housing and many more.
Just drop in no appointment needed!

Handwriting Focus Day

Today, we spent extra time focusing on and celebrating the handwriting of our children. It is wonderful to see how our children take such pride and make such an effort in their written work!



Library Visits

We are planning Class visits to Foleshill Library over the next few weeks. Please keep your eye on Class Dojo for reminders of when to return public library books if your child has one.

Library visit dates.....

Monday 26th January—Y4 & Y6
Tuesday 27th January—Y1
Thursday 29th January—Y2
Friday 30th January—Y3 & Y5



Netball Match

This week our Netball team took on St. John Fisher and St. Osburg's in two brilliant games, the team showed fantastic teamwork and resilience. We didn't get the results we wanted but showed great skill and respect in their performances. Well done team!

Golden Certificates for this week

Nursery: Adam & Arpandeeep
Reception: Sajiska & Elena Rose
Year 1: Kehlani & Temi
Year 2: Demian & Kiya
Year 3: Alishba & Andres
Year 4: Vicky & Augusta
Year 5: Kamtochi & Maxwell
Year 6: Tim & Joanna
Mr Doyle: Atara & Alishba
Mrs Miles: Gabriel Rec

Diary Dates:

After School Clubs—3.15—4.15pm

Monday - Cricket Y3/4
Tuesday - No after school club
Wednesday - Boys Football Y5/6
Girls Football Y5/6
Thursday— Gymnastics Y3/4
Netball Y5/6