

St Elizabeth's Catholic Primary School

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Summer 2 Virtue & Value Focus: Attentive & Discerning

Pupils are growing to be '**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: 94.3% School target attendance 97% This weeks winning class: Y3 & 5 100% Rec: 91.4% Year 1: 98.3% Year 2: 98.3% Year 3: 100% Year 4: 96.6% Year 5: 100% Year 6: 93.3%

Phones and Social Media



Next week, at 2.30pm, Tuesday 23rd June, we have a specialist teacher from Coventry's Social, Emotional, Mental Health and Learning Team (SEMHL) visiting to lead a brief presentation to parents/family members regarding the use and hazards for children when using mobile phones and social media.

The presentation will finish in time for the pick up of children at home time. Please pop into school just before 2.30pm for this brief but important meeting, which will provide ideas and support for your management of home devices and your child's use of social media.



Caritas Partnership Assembly

Last Friday, we welcomed Adele from Farther Hudsons Caritas to share the continuing works Caritas is doing across the West Midlands and to pass on their thanks for all of the support we have given to them this year. Caritas works within the Midlands to respond to need, helping people to lead fulfilling lives, inspired by the example of Jesus and Catholic Social Teaching that flows from his teachings. The money we have contributed this year to Caritas has gone to support their amazing work in the five key areas below:



- ◆ **Homelessness**
- Disability**
- Refugees and Migrants**
- Older People**
- Children, families and schools**



Thank you to you all of our children and families who have contributed to fundraising efforts this year, your support makes a big difference and is very much appreciated!



Courage Storywriting



Thank you to the children who wrote a courage themed story for the Coventry Refugee Week focus in May. We have been made aware the stories have been put on display in Coventry Central Library to view. Well done all!

Diary Dates:

After School Clubs - 3.15 - 4.15pm

Tuesday - Dodgeball Y3/4

Wednesday - Athletics Y5/6 & Cricket Y4/5

Thursday - Dance Y1/2 & Multi skills 2/3



We pray... Dear Lord Jesus, please give us the **courage** always to do and say what is right and help us to remember that we can always put our faith in you. Amen

Final INSET Date

Please be reminded, school is closed for **INSET day on Friday 3rd July**

Year 6 Transition Day

A reminder that all Year 6 children should attend their new secondary school on Wednesday 1st July. Parents and carers will be required to drop their child to the new school on the morning specified by that school.

Children are to return to St Elizabeth's on Thursday 2nd July 8.40am.

Golden Certificates for this week

Nursery: Manan

Reception: Rayaan & Elena-Anais

Year 1: Louie & Anemona

Year 2: Bianca & Rishi

Year 3: Alishba & Ezekiel O

Year 4: Jenuska & Bryan

Year 5: Inaaya & Deepansh

Year 6: Mooja & Aaliyah

Mr Doyle: Natty, Emmanuel, Rohan, and Rishan (Year 3)

World Day of Welcome and Refugee Week

We have spent time last week and this week reflecting once again upon the challenges and needs of different people who become refugees or asylum seekers.

Millions of people travel as migrants across the world each year for many reasons, some for economic reasons, some for family reasons, some because they may face persecution or conflict in their homeland. Regardless of the reason for someone's migration, Christ's teaching constantly remind us how we should meet the stranger as if it were Christ himself (Matthew 25:35-40). Indeed, we are reminded in Matthew 2: 13-15, that Jesus, Mary & Joseph were forced to flee as refugees themselves, escaping Herod's persecution to Egypt. Pope Francis clearly reminded us of what the Gospel's teach us and how we should respond:

"Migrants and refugees are brothers and sisters to be welcomed, respected and loved." Pope Francis



Summer Sports

We look forward to welcoming parents, carers and family members to this years' Summer Sport mornings:

EYFS/KS1 on Monday 29th June:

KS2 Junior on Tuesday 30th June:

Hopefully, the weather will be kind and not too hot or wet.

Please be reminded that any photos taken are strictly for your own individual family use, and please do not encroach or ask your child to come over to say hello, as this causes so many issues and the potential of a child missing out on their sport activities.

