St Elizabeth's Catholic Primary School

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School Virtue Focus: Curious & Active - We are Curious about everything;

and active in our engagement with the world, changing what we can for the better.

This weeks school attendance: 94.9% School target attendance 97%

This weeks winning class is: Y2 99.2%

Rec: 95.1% Year 1: 94.4% Year 2: 99.2% Year 3: 98.8% Year 4: 97% Year 5: 97.8% Year 6: 98.3%

St. Chad's Cathedral



Our Year 6 children enjoyed a fantastic trip to St. Chad's Cathedral, Birmingham on Wednesday. It was great to see our children examining the many wonderful aspects of the Cathedral and celebrating mass in the Cathedral. Our children were super school representatives and demonstrated their eagerness and reddiness to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation on Thursday 10th February, please keep these children in your prayers.

Birthday Treats

Please be aware the school cannot accept large cakes for birthday treats that require cutting and wrapping, our timetable and staffing does not allow for such preparation. If you wish to provide a treat for your child's birthday, please provide a small treat for each child, not a tub of varied sweets (these often contain nuts which are not allowed in school). Also, please be aware that many sweets contain gelatine which some Muslim children do not eat. Often the easiest treat to provide is milk chocolate e.g a freddo or a fudge bar choosing this type of treat allows for everyone's involvement and enjoyment.

Thank you for your understanding and support in this matter.

Nursery Places Available

We have a small number of Nursery places available each morning from 8.30am to 11.30am. Children must be 3 years old before end of August 2019 to be able to start this September.

If you would like any further information or would like to arrange a visit to view the nursery setting,

please contact a member of the school office team.

Breakfast Club Places

We have a few places available for free school meal children in our morning Breakfast Club, from 8.00am with breakfast provided. If you are interested in a place, please see Mrs Holcroft or call into the school office for details.





The Wednesday's Words for this week areGod's Love Dear Lord Jesus, please help our family to



grow in your love and to share your love with others
through the way we live our lives.

Amen

After School Clubs:

We are not restarting after school clubs at this present time due to increasing transmission concerns related to the Omicron variant. We will reintroduce clubs soon but currently feel our primary focus should be on maintaining the security of our daily teaching provision. Thank you for your understanding in this matter.

Breakfast Club drop off

Please ensure you walk your child to the before school club entrance door every morning—do not let your child walk up the school pathway unattended. Also, please use the school paths to enter school and not the school car park.

Football Report

Our school team played their first match of the spring term, at home, against St. Anne's Catholic Primary School. Our team stormed into a 3—0 lead with great teamwork and a hat trick from Nathan but St. Annes's fought back with 2 goals. A nervous finish with great defending from Mike and Ebube and great keeping from Jayden saw the game to it's finish with a final result of St. Elizabeth's 3—0

St. Anne's. Well done to Eyobed and Joseph Year 6 and Nathan, Yanis, Jonathan, Mike, Ebube and Jayden Year 5 and thank you to Mr Aston for leading the team.

Golden Certificates for this week

Nursery: Jordan & Abdullah Reception: Yuvrai & Brenice

Year 1: Bianca & Laiha

Year 2: Sharlene & Takunda

Year 3: Austin Year 4: Naomi Year 5: Aisha

Year 6: Rimsha & Susanna

Mr Doyle: Megan & Naomi Y4 & Aiyaan Y6

Mrs Miles: Jaden Y1

Diary Dates...

Remaining INSET Days: 6th June 2022

Spring half term: 21st February to 25th

February 2022

End of spring term: 8th April 2022

Start of summer term: 25th April 2022

Summer half term: 30th May to 3rd June

End of summer term: 22nd July 2022

