

St Elizabeth's Catholic Primary School

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School Virtue Focus: Attentive and Discerning -
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: 95.1% School target attendance 97%

This weeks winning classes are: Year 5 100%

Rec: 97% Year 1: 96.7% Year 2: 96.6% Year 3: 99.3% Year 4: 94.3% Year 5: 100% Year 6: 91.8%

Sports Morning Changes

Due to the expected very high temperatures next week we have amended our sports day plans to reduce the time our children will be in the sun.

Monday 18th July—Nursery & Reception—9.00 to 9.45am, Year 1 & 2 9.45 to 10.45am

Tuesday 19th July—Year 3 & 4— 9.30 to 10.30am, Year 5 & 6—10.30 to 11.30am

We will have a small number of activities rather than a full sports day programme as we ensure our central focus is keeping our children safe from the sun.

Parents and carers are invited to attend but please be mindful of the short nature of the activities and your own sun protection.

If attending, please ensure you do not cross over to your child during the activities and you do not encourage your child to come towards you—we have explained to the children to wave rather than going to see a parent or carer.

Thank you for your co-operation and continued support.

Goodbye and Thank you!

As our school year draws to a close, we have a number of changes within our school staff team.

As mentioned last week, we welcome Mr Wishart to Year 4 and Mr Harris to Year 6.

We also sadly say an enormous thank you to Mrs Fish who will be retiring from teaching at the end of the year. Mrs Fish has been a tremendous servant to the St. Elizabeth's family providing so much through her leadership of school sport and teaching a variety of year groups over the years.

Thank you Mrs Fish, you've been an absolute star!!

Transition Day

Our children 'moved up' to meet their new teachers today and begin their preparation for their class moves in September.

They were all very excited and made wonderful first impressions on their new teachers and we are all very much looking forward to the start of our next academic year on **Tuesday 6th September at 8.40am.**



Dear Lord Jesus, thank you for always being ready to **listen** to us.
Please help us to **listen** and understand your words
and to be good listeners to each other too.
Amen.

Reception Vocabulary

'Extending Language in EYFS' We are sharing new words and vocabulary you can discuss and share with your child at home each week/fortnight.
Please make a note of the 'new' words below and try to find time to discuss their meaning and find ways to use within a conversation or sentence.

Friend, strong, contents, village, forest, edge, unique

School Hats

Our children have all been provided with a free red school hat for added sun protection and as part of their uniform. The hats look wonderful at playtimes and dinnertimes and on school trips.
Now all children have a school hat, our children do not need to bring their own hat into school, our school hats will be the expectation on the playground/field and when out of school on school trips and sporting activities. We are also planning to provide our children with a free red beanie hat for the autumn and winter months next term.

Golden Certificates for this week

Nursery: Abdullah & Ezekiel

Reception: Whole Class

Year 1: Dedeви & Jaden

Year 2: Hartlyn & Sharlene

Year 3: Sabah

Year 4: Leon & Riththika

Year 5: Paris

Year 6: Lidiia & Susanna

Mr Doyle: Karol Y5

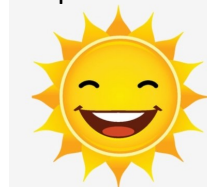
Office: Devontae Y3

Year 3 Scooter/Bike day

Year 3 will have their Bike/
Scooter day next Wednesday
20th July, so please bring in your
child's bike/scooter
with a helmet.
Thankyou

Next Week - Heat Wave

Next week we are predicted to have a national heat wave, with this in mind please ensure your child has plenty of sun cream applied before school, and a school water bottle brought in to school each day. Also, children can continue to wear their school PE kit rather than uniform, please do not dress your child in layers e.g vests, as they may overheat. School sun hats to be worn in school for added sun protection.



Diary Dates...

July 20th: Y6 Drayton Manor

End of summer term: Thursday 21st July 2022

INSET Days for 2022-2023

5th September 2022

30th September 2022

5th June 2023

The school is aggregating Monday 24th July and Tuesday 25th July as INSET days therefore, school will close for the end of summer 2023 on Friday 21st July.