

St Patrick's Catholic Primary School Newsletter

Number 5 Friday 9th November 2018

This Week's Ethos Statement: I try to be just and fair.



November

During November we remember our loved ones who have died.

The children brought home a prayer card today. You are invited to write the names of any family or friends who have died that you would like us to pray for during the month of November.

Many thanks to Year 6 who led a thoughtful assembly today to remind us of those who died in the wars trying to protect their families and country.

100% Attendance in November PRIZES!!!

There is a special competition in our local area for any children who have 100% during November. There are some great prizes for the children and the chance of receiving a special award for the school with the best attendance overall.

I am sure St Patrick's can win this!!

Do all you can to be in school every day this half term!



Anti Bullying Week - 'Choose Respect' 12th to 16th November

Next week the children will be learning about what bullying is and is not and how to ensure our school continues to be a safe and happy place to learn and play. The children will share a special assembly about the theme of being respectful to all and celebrating our differences. Their PSHE lessons during this week will also focus on this theme.



School Photographs - Wednesday 14th November

All children will have an individual photograph. If applicable, they will also have one with their brother or sister in school time.

If you would like your child to have a family photo with a **pre-school brother or sister** please arrive at school between 8.15am and 8.30am. These photos are taken before the start of the school day.

There is no obligation to buy any of the photographs.

Weekly Draw

Many thanks to all those who have returned their weekly draw envelopes. If you would like to purchase a ticket please do so as soon as possible. Profits from the draw help to fund the running of our school minibus for the children. EVERYONE WILL GET A NEW NUMBER THIS YEAR.



It is only £6 for the whole year! Many thanks for your support!

Year 6 – Robinwood Residential Please ensure all forms and deposits are returned as soon as possible. Many thanks.

Ofsted

As you know we had a visit from Ofsted this week. Thank you to all those parents who completed the online survey and added comments. As soon as we receive our report we will share it with you.

Year 6 Confirmation Preparation Classes - CANCELLED NEXT WEEK due to Athletics competition.

The next class will be on Tuesday 20th November at 3.15pm

FOSP Meeting – Rearranged date – Tuesday 13th November at 2.30pm in school.

New members are always welcome.

Dates for your Diary

12-16th November – Anti-Bullying Week

13th November – Y4 Road Safety Day

13th November – Athletics Competition 3.30-5.30pm at Roundhay High School

14th November – School Photo day

16th November – Children in Need day

19th - 23rd November – Safeguarding Week

19th November – Influenza Programme

21st November – Staff Training Day – school closed for pupils

27th November – Owl visit – Year 2

30th November – Year 4 assembly at 2.40pm

3rd December – KS2 Carol Concert in church at 2pm – All welcome

12th December – KS1 nativity play at **1.45pm** (Reception/ Year 1/ Year 2)

14th December – Christmas Dinner and Christmas Jumper Day.



Children in Need - Friday 16th November

Children and staff are invited to come in their own clothes and to wear something spotty for a £1 contribution to the charity.

After School Clubs

Lexia Clubs									
Morning sessions (8.15-8.40am)	WB 12.11.18	WB 19.11.18	After school (3.10-3.45pm)	WB 12.11.18	WB 19.11.18				
Tuesday	Yes	Yes	Monday	Yes	Yes				
Wednesday	Yes	NO	Tuesday	Yes	Yes				
Thursday	Yes	Yes	Thursday	Yes	Yes				
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	Class		WB 12.11.18	WB 19.11.18			
Monday	Y5/6	Brass Band	Yes	Yes			
Monday	Y4,5&6	Football - boys	Yes	Yes			
Tuesday	Y3	Cookery Club	Yes	Yes			
Tuesday	Y3&4	Recorders	Yes	Yes			
Wednesday	Y4,5&6	Dance	Yes	NO			
Thursday	Y4,5&6	Football - girls	Yes	Yes			
Thursday	Y4,5&6	Basketball	Yes	Yes			
Friday	Y5&6	Multi Skills (Hall)	Yes	Yes			

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Parents Consultation Evening / Questionnaire Responses

Many thanks to all the parents and carers who attended the consultation evening. We had a fabulous turn out and your support is greatly appreciated.

Many families completed the online questionnaire. Your responses are below.

Thankyou also for your comments and suggestions – we will summarise those in the next newsletter.

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Don't know
My child is happy at this school	97	17	0	1	0
My child feels safe at this school	91	21	0	1	2
My child makes good progress at this school	86	26	1	0	2
My child is well looked after at this school	91	23	1	0	0
My child is taught well at this school	89	25	1	0	0
My child receives appropriate homework for their age	78	32	2	0	3
This school makes sure its pupils are well behaved	89	24	1	1	0
This school deals effectively with bullying	66	25	4	6	14
This school is well led and managed	89	23	2	0	1
This school responds well to any concerns I raise	78	27	4	1	5
I receive valuable information from the school about my child's progress	79	30	2	0	4
The quality of Religious Education at this school is very good	99	16	0	0	0
The Catholic Life of the school is a strength of this school	98	17	0	0	0
Would you recommend this school to another parent?	99	15	1	0	0