



St Joseph's Catholic Primary School, Bingley

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Wednesday 20th September

This week we have been thinking about how special we are and about all of the things that we are good at. Our children achieve great things, whether they are mathematicians, footballers, artists or writers. At St Joseph's, we celebrate our successes and we are happy when others do well. We also encourage the children to work hard at improving themselves in areas they feel less confident. We are all on a learning journey together:



'I can do all things through Him who strengthens me.' (Philippians 4:13)

Our statement to live by this week is:
'I can say one good thing about myself'

Every day counts!

We are going to try really hard with our attendance this year. Attendance at St Joseph's is usually good, but we would like to encourage everyone to attend school every single day.

Being frequently late or absent really interrupts the continuity of children's learning. To reach their potential, every child needs to be in school!

Class	Attendance this week:	Attendance to date this year:	Whole School % this week:
Seacole	98.8	99.0	99.0%
Teresa	99.7	99.5	
Nightingale	97.7	98.1	
Mandela	99.4	99.5	
Barnardo	99.4	99.5	
Gandhi	98.2	97.9	
King	99.7	99.6	

Gold Medals:

Class	Gold Medals this week:	Gold Medals Leader Board:
Seacole	24	
Teresa	50	●
Nightingale	28	●
Mandela	38	
Barnardo	29	
Gandhi	29	
King	41	

Stars of the Week:

EYFS Rowan Bromley

Year 1 Isaac Snape

Year 2 Ella Hudson

Year 3 Archie Lee

Year 4 Jasmine Parry

Year 5 Tomas Martin

Year 6 All of Y6





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Dates	Time	Who	What
Wed 20th Sept	3:30	Y1	Meet the teacher
Thurs 21st Sept	9:30	Whole school	Panto
Fri 22nd Sept	9:10	Whole school	Y5 assembly
	3pm	Whole school	Pebble assembly
Mon 25th Sept	ongoing	parish	Building work starts on Sacred Heart Church
	3:30	Y4	Meet the teacher
Fri 29th Sept	9:10	Whole school	Y3 assembly
Thurs 5th Oct	am	Whole school	School photos
Fri 6th Oct	9:10	Whole school	Y4 assembly

News:

There is a **Parents and Friends** meeting at the Glen this evening at **8 o'clock**. All parents old and new are most welcome. They do a fantastic job of raising money to help school provide lots of exciting opportunities and new equipment.

Please support them if you can!

The **Pebble Assembly** will take place on Friday at 3pm. This is where we invite each new member of our school family to put a pebble into our bowl which represents our school community. All welcome.

Church Building Work will begin on Monday 25th September. The church carpark will be **CLOSED** to all parents, please do not park there for the duration of the renovations.

Reading Volunteers needed! If you have some spare time and would like to help out at school, we need some parent volunteers to help support children's reading.

There is a list for volunteers outside the office. Many thanks!

Please do apply for **free school meals** if you are able, even if you receive a universal free school meal (free meal in Reception, Y1 or Y2). We receive extra funding that we spend directly on your child to support their progress. To apply on line, or to get further information please follow the link www.bradford.gov.uk/schoolmeals or call 01274 432772.

Year 5



Year 5 went to Pizza Express

today as part of their DT topic, where they had to design and make a pizza! They had a great time and the pizzas look and smell amazing!

Scarecrow Day

Reception and Y1 are having a mini scarecrow festival on Wednesday 18th October.



Please see their letters for further details!

If you are worried or concerned about the safeguarding of any of our pupils, please make an appointment to speak to Mrs Robinson or Miss Lister who are our safeguarding leaders. All other concerns should be raised with the class teacher.

