

'Working together to succeed, through faith in Jesus Christ'

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Celebrating our gifts, talents and achievements...

Stars of the Week:			Proud Work of the Week:		
	YR	Logan		YR	Jaxon V
	Y1	Kai		Y1	Nicolae
	Y2	Hannah		Y2	Jimmy
	Y3	Dominic		Y3	Cecylia
	Y4	Tyler		Y4	Jake
	Y5	Elis		Y5	Alfie
	Y6	Damian		Y6	Emilia



Rainbow Champions



Rec: Nova, Hattie, Jordan, Blake, Evelyn, Dawid, Phoebe, Darcey, Heila, Natalia R, Levi, Tilly-Rose, Logan

Y1: Victoria, Kasia, Flynn, Lucas, Toby, Chloe, Anthony, Pola, Bianka, Max, Cameron, Keilon, Suri, Alice, Nicolae, Kai, Lamiya, Alfie, Harry

Y2: Alexis, Frankie-Joe, Dominik, Stefan, Lacie, Olivia, Nathaniel, Franek, Kaden, Izabelle, Demi, Brodie, Niall, Amelia, Thomas, Poppy, Amelia, Simon

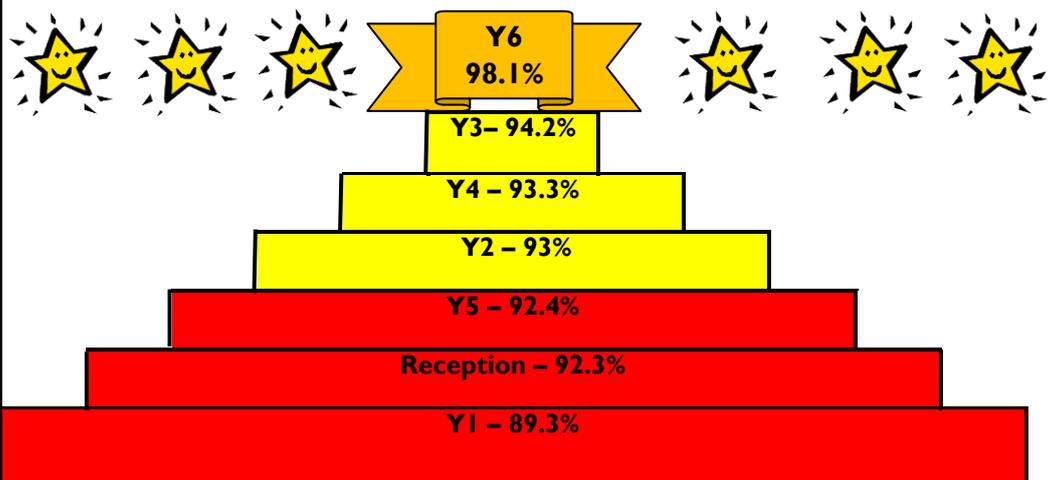
Y3: Oliver, Damian, Amelia, Riley, Tia, Tallulah, Mimi, Nikola, Maria, Millie, Connor, Cecylia, Dominic, Alissa, Laney, Paula, Oliwier, Julia, Freya, Lacey, Berrie

Y4: Olivia, Charlie, Kiara, Mya, Angel, Bobby, Niia, Charlotte, Filip, Nikodem, Maci-Beau, Oliver, Ryan, Porchia, Bradie

Y5: Elis, Connor, Faith, Tyler, Weronika, Skye, Vienna, Lola, Jakub, Courtney, Abdul, Finlay, Emily-May

Y6: Jazmyne, Cerys-Ann, Euan, Tyler, Lena, Joshua, Harvey, Emilia, Hannah, Molly, Thomas, Lewis, Nicholas, Bart, Bogdan

Attendance Matters Every student. Every day.	
98-100%	Excellent
96-97%	Good
93-95%	Needs to Improve
90-92%	Cause for Concern
Our attendance target is: 96%	



School News...

<p>PAN Exhibition</p>	<p>Internet Safety</p>	<p>Parent Governor</p>
<p>We are preparing for Primary Arts Network Exhibition again this year and are getting very excited. The children throughout the school have been working very hard on their artwork that will be displayed as part of the exhibition.</p> <p>This year's theme is 'Same but Different'. Our school's display will be set up in the Gateway from Thursday 19th March. The exhibition will run until Thursday 23rd April.</p> <p>We encourage you all to go and visit the Gateway and see our (and other school's) wonderful work. We have also kept some samples of work to help create our own displays in school so that everyone's work can be displayed based on the theme and the activities carried out in Dance and Art Week in February.</p>	<p>Our monthly Internet newsletter has been sent home along with the newsletter. This month's editions provides information and updates on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Media Use and Attitudes • Tik Tok • Snapchat • You Tube • Fortnite • Cyberbullying • Useful parental tips <p>Please use the newsletter to share with your child and wider family as a means of promoting Internet safety and positive online behaviours. We live in such a busy, technology driven world these days it is good to develop positive, safe habits for our youngsters.</p>	<p>Information has been sent home this week as we begin the search for a parent governor. The nomination papers have been sent home and anyone putting themselves forward for the role must be seconded by another parent/carer. The deadline to submit a nomination is Wednesday 25th March. Please submit your nomination to the school office. If we have more than one nomination for the role of parent governor then a ballot paper will be sent home for all parents to vote for their preferred candidate. If you are interested in becoming a parent governor and would like to find out more about the role then please do not hesitate to contact Mr Hatton or Mrs Georgiou for further information.</p>
<p>Coronavirus Update</p>		<p>Parents' Evening</p>
<p>We continue to receive and monitor information from the DFE and Public Health about the Coronavirus and we will keep you up to date with any advice or notifications we receive. We are following guidance about prevention and continue to promote good hygiene procedures and additional cleaning measures are in place. Should school closure be enforced upon us, then we have a contingency plan in place to communicate with families and support with learning activities at home.</p>	<p>Should we close, we will be providing work for the children to complete at home. Primarily, the majority of activities will come through our online learning resources such as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TT Rockstars • Spelling Shed • Read Theory • Learning by Questions (Y6) <p>However, if access to the Internet at home is an issue for your child then please speak to their class teacher as soon as possible.</p>	<p>Further to the letter that was sent home from school yesterday, Parents' Evening is now cancelled next Wednesday and the Y3 Parents' Evening scheduled for Tuesday 24th March is also postponed.</p> <p>We will reschedule these important meetings for after the Easter holidays.</p> <p>Apologies for any inconvenience caused.</p>

REMINDERS:

- Please make sure you update the school office/Parentapps of any change of contact details such as new addresses or telephone numbers – this enables us to keep our records up to date in case of an emergency.
- As we come to the end of the financial year, it is essential that your child's ParentPay account is in credit so that no debt is generated in order to support our 'no debt policy' and ensure that your child is still able to access funds to pay for lunches and snacks.
- The final Y4 workshop takes place Saturday 14th March (tomorrow) at 10.30am – 12.30pm at St. Stephen's School. Attendance is vital for you to complete this year's preparation programme. Fr John and the catechists look forward to seeing you tomorrow!