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Our Mission:

We strive to
follow Christ example,
to always do our best.



This week has been about our children showing that they can show

Excellence in Everything!

Last week, we asked that children

- Came on time every day - **this as been much improved—well done**
- Are wearing the correct uniform and sports kit—**lots of smart uniform—well done.**
- Continue to be Ready, Respectful and Safe, treating both children and staff how we would like to be treated—**there is a wonderful atmosphere around school and behaviour has been brilliant.**
- Hard working - **I have seen fantastic engagement in class and wonderful work in books**

So, all in all, it has been a great second week.

All of our Reception children are now in school—they have settled in really well and parents you have been really supportive- thankyou

Our Nursery children have started to come into school and are a super bunch.

School lunches are settling down—please remember to book your-meals ready for next week. If you need help, please ask Mrs Thom-as at the school office.

What an EXCELLENT start to the year!



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Catholic Life and Mission

The God who Speaks

This week we listened to the account in Mark's Gospel of when Jesus opened the ears of the deaf man and loosened his tongue so that he could speak (Mark 7:31-37)

Mini Mission

We asked our children to open their ears and eyes to the needs of others in our local and wider family and community making a decision on who they can help as a class this coming year. We look forward to hearing about who they have decided help when we join together on Monday



Fundamental British Values

Democracy
Everyone has a voice

Rule of Law
A Law put in place to ensure everyone is treated the same

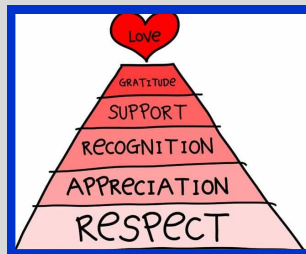
Individual Liberty
Freedom to make our own choices

Mutual Respect and Tolerance
To celebrate diversity and treat everyone how we would like to be treated

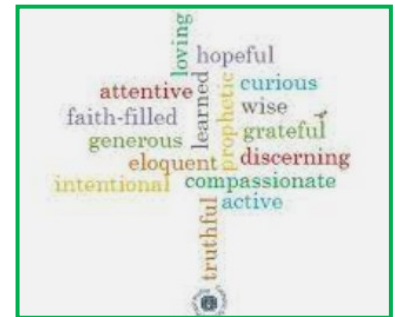


Mutual Respect and Tolerance

What a great start to the academic year! Classes have been busy discussing behaviour expectations and ways to create a positive learning environment for all. The children discussed their responsibilities in achieving this. Education must develop every child's personality, talents and abilities to the full (Article 29)



Virtues of the Half Term And Catholic Social Teachings



Catholic Social Teachings : Stewardship of Creation & Family and Community

Values and Virtues : Curious and Active

Values and Virtues Awards

Infants

Favour 2M

Juniors

Mussie 3G

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Dates for your Diary

These dates are subject to change and more may be added also. Please keep checking

Date	Event
Week commencing 16.9.24	Stay and Prays Monday - Year 1 Friday Y5
9:05 am (these will last about 15/20 mins)	Tuesday - Y2 Friday Y6
Please come to the main office	Thursday y4 Wed 25th Sept Y3
4th October	Wear Green for The Season of Creation No charge but please bring an item of food (NOT FRESH) eg tin, packet, bottle of something for Harvest Festival
16th October	Harvest Festival
9:05am in church	
16th October	Parents' Evening
24th October	Break up for Half Term
4th November	Back to School
20th November	Year 6 Sacrament of Confirmation—information meeting to be arranged
3rd December	Nursery and Reception Crafternoon
2pm	
6th December	Christmas Fayre
10th December	Christmas Pantomime Jack and the Beanstalk
16th December	EYFS Christmas Performance
9:30am	
17th December	Years 1,2,3 Christmas Performance
9:30am	
19th December	Years 4,5,6 Performances
9:30am	
18th December	Christmas Jumper Day and Christmas Dinner
20th December	Class Christmas Parties



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Term Dates and Teacher Days 2024-25



Term Date-

Term		2024-2025
Autumn Term	Term Starts	02.09.2024
	Half Term	28.10.24 - 01.11.2024
	Term Ends	20.12.2024
Spring Term	Term Starts	06.01.2025
	Half Term	17.02.2025 - 21.02.2025
	Term Ends	11.04.2025
Summer Term	Term Starts	28.04.2025
	Half Term	26.05.2025 – 30.05.2025
	Term Ends	21.07.2025

Inset Days-

Autumn Term Inset Days	02.09.2024 03.09.2024 25.10.2024
Spring Term Inset Day	24.02.2025
Summer Term Inset Days	23.05.2025 21.07.2025



School Uniform

We are proud to be St Wilfrid's School Family . We wear our uniform with pride and expect this to be correct and smart every day

Winter uniform

- Grey trousers or skirt /pinafore (girls)
 - White collared (not polo) shirt
- St Wilfrid's School tie (available from school office £3.75 elasticated or £3.78 long tie)
 - Royal blue jumper or cardigan.

(These are available with the school badge on from myclothing.com)

Sensible black school shoes (NOT trainers)

PE Kit

- Plain black shorts, tracksuit bottoms or sports leggings
 - Pale blue collared polo shirt

(These are available with the school badge on from myclothing.com)

- Black pumps or trainers
- A school jumper may be worn over the top of the kit in cold weather

Pupils will NOT wear their Pe kit to school—they will change prior to and after the lesson.

We have a selection of good quality second hand uniform available in school—please speak to our Pastoral team if you would like to see this. There is also a basket of clothes inside the school front entrance

Spot prizes will be awarded each week for children consistently in school uniform



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Awards

Each week, we recognise the special achievements of our children in our
Celebration Assembly

It's a celebration of our God given gifts and talents

'What you are is God's gift to you. What you become is your gift to God'



Merit of the Week

RB	The whole Class	4G	Jeremy
1DS	Ruby	4M	Louis
1P	Michelle	5T	Layla
2B	Henry	5W	Hermela
2M	Jemima	6B	Neeko
3G	Whole Class	6P	Emmanuel
3FS	Eiman		

Reader of the Week

RB	Whole Class	4G	Tiana
1DS	Abdul	4M	Julia
1P	Aaliyah	5T	Dawood
2B	Aero	5W	Niamh
2M	Klara	6B	Eurabena
3G	Arsema	6P	Aimal
3FS	Logan		

Wise Owl

Tajoj

KS1—Lincoln

Music

All of Yr 4

Lunchtime Awards

KS2— Anayah 5T

Sports

All of yr 1

Class—Reception

Well Done Everyone!



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And finally...

Have a wonderful weekend!
We will see you next week
Mrs Milligan, Mrs Husted and all the staff

The family is a community of love
where each of us learns to relate
to others and to the world around
us (Pope Francis)



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Upcoming in the Community

A vibrant poster for the Touchwood Festival. The word 'FESTIVAL' is written vertically in large white letters on a dark red background. To the right, a large yellow sun is partially obscured by a dark blue banner that reads 'SATURDAY 14TH SEPTEMBER 11AM - 4PM Celebrate the Mid-Autumn Festival with us at Touchwood.' Below the banner, a yellow scalloped circle contains the Chinese characters '中秋節快樂' (Happy Mid-Autumn Festival). A blue rabbit is depicted in a boat on a blue body of water with pink lotus flowers. The background features stylized red and orange hills.

TOUCHWOOD

FESTIVAL

SATURDAY 14TH SEPTEMBER
11AM - 4PM

Celebrate the **Mid-Autumn Festival**
with us at Touchwood.

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快樂

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TOUCHWOOD

中秋節
快樂

CELEBRATE THE **MID-AUTUMN FESTIVAL**
WITH US HERE AT TOUCHWOOD.

- 11.00am Opening speeches
- 11.30am Craft Workshops
- 11.15am Hong Kong Music Performance in the Atrium
- 11.45am Chinese Music Performance in Jubilee Walk
- 12.00pm Lion Dancers
- 12.00pm Hong Kong Music Performance in John Lewis
- 12.30pm Lion Dancers
- 1.00pm Calligraphy Workshop
- 2.00pm Music performance by FAVORITE 花火子
- 3.00pm Calligraphy Workshop
- 4.00pm Event close

Guests can enjoy traditional mooncakes & milk tea.

Plus, Yakinori are serving a special LuckyYaki
dish to mark the festival. A box of noodles
& bubble tea for £10.