



NEWSLETTER

THIS WEEK IN SCHOOL

Welcome back to the summer term! It has been a lovely start to the new term, with children settling back into school routines so well. We were delighted to see so many creative entries in our Easter bonnet, hat and crazy hair parade, which helped raise valuable funds for our school—thank you for your continued support. Year 2 have also taken part in an internet safety session this week, helping to reinforce important messages about staying safe online.

There are lots of exciting things planned for this term, so please remember to keep checking the diary and school communications to stay up to date. We are looking forward to the weeks ahead!

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

- Monday 20th April** - Reception vision screening
- Tuesday 21st April** - YR 1 phonics Workshop at 9:00am
- Tuesday 21st April** - YR 6 Internet Safety Workshop 2:30pm
- Thursday 23rd April** - St George's Day Celebrations - Children can bring an extra drink and cake to celebrate a traditional English Tea!
- Tuesday 28th April** - YR 3 Internet Safety Workshop 2:30pm
- Monday 4th May** - Bank Holiday Children return on **TUESDAY 5TH May**
- Monday 11th May** - **Thursday 14th May** - SATs Week
- Thursday 14th May** - Y3 Trip to Birmingham Art Gallery
- Friday 22nd May** - Children break up for half term
- Monday 1st June** - Children return to school

GREAT NEWS!

We are delighted that this week we have achieved our

BRONZE AWARD
in recognition for Outstanding Commitment to
a Whole School Approach
to Attendance.

Not only that our commitment as a whole school community
has **MADE A DIFFERENCE!**

Attendance has improved significantly - children are

**IN SCHOOL
ON TIME
READY TO SHINE!**

Congratulations and thank you to our whole school community -
staff, children and families for making this happen



We strive to follow Christ's example to always do our best



In school, on time,
ready to **shine**.

Every Day Counts at St. Wilfrid's

There are **190** school days
in each academic year.
When children miss school,
the days add up quickly.



5 days absent = **1** week of learning lost

10 days absent = **2** weeks of learning lost

15 days absent = **3** weeks of learning lost

19 days absent almost **4** weeks of learning lost

At St. Wilfrid's, we want every child:



In school



On time



Ready to shine

★ Punctuality Matters ★

Being late is lost learning



5 mins late each day = **3** days lost



10 mins late each day = **6.5** days lost



15 mins late each day = **10** days lost

This week's winners are

4B

4M

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CATHOLIC LIFE AND MISSION

In their classes this week, pupils helped to prepare and lead a lovely Celebration of the Word, sharing the joy and hope of Easter. Their prayers and reflections gently reminded us all of the joy of the Resurrection.



BUILDING THE KINGDOM

This week some of our infants have been sampling taster pots of what is available on the school dinner menu.

This opportunity allows the children to try food that they may have never tried. We are grateful to the Lord for the food that is provided to us and our children whether it is school meals or lunches from home. The right balance allows us to concentrate and embrace our school day.



VALUES AND VIRTUES

This half term we are remembering to be
Attentive and Discerning

CATHOLIC SOCIAL TEACHINGS

We are Stewards of Creation
Dignity of the Worker





READING SUITCASES !

Our new Reading Suitcases, which will continue to be coming home with children every Friday . These special suitcases are designed to encourage families to enjoy some quality time together through reading. Inside, you'll find a lovely book to share, a notebook to jot down your thoughts, and even some hot chocolate to enjoy while you read! We hope this becomes a cosy and fun weekly tradition for you and your child.



Please return the suitcase by the following Wednesday so it can be shared with another family.
Happy reading!



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British Values

This week, we celebrated an **Easter WOW Day**, linking to our **British values of community and mutual respect**. The children came to school in their own clothes, with many showcasing wonderfully creative Easter bonnets, while others arrived with fun and imaginative crazy hair.

The highlight of the day was a joyful parade around the playground, where the children proudly shared their creations with parents and carers who joined us. It was a lovely opportunity to come together and celebrate as a school community.

In the afternoon, the children also enjoyed a sweet treat during a short break between lessons. It was a wonderful way to celebrate the risen Lord and share in the joy of Easter together.

We are also pleased that the event helped to raise money for school funds, which will support exciting opportunities for the children, such as school trips.



Each week, our children and staff will be sharing a little bit of news from somewhere in the world. If you want to find out more about the story, log onto BBC Newsround www.bbc.co.uk/newsround or scan the QR code!

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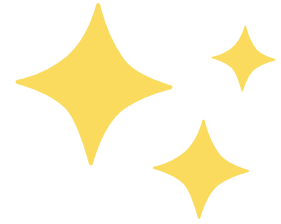
If you're planning to visit Peterborough Cathedral in the next few weeks, you could be in for a roar-some surprise!

Find out more about Titanosaur's visit to the Cathedral!



AWARD WINNERS

Merit of the Week			
Nursery	Idris & Eliora-Zoe	YR4B	Malaika
REC	Sofija	YR4M	Alex
YR1	Dylan	YR5W	Delia
YR2	Yahya	YR5B	Brayah
YR3G	Hareem	YR6M	Diarraye
YR3H	Emmanuel	YR6RM	Dawood



Reader of the Week			
		YR4B	Iosif
REC	Zoya	YR4M	Jan
YR1	Lucas C	YR5W	Yahya
YR2	Sinaayomi	YR5B	Hannah
YR3G	Ehsan	YR6M	Philip
YR3H	Cody	YR6RM	Mason



Wise Owl
Jimmy - 4B

Sports Award
Alex - YR2

Music Award
Samantha - 4B

Values & Virtues
D'Shawntay - YR1
Saphia - 4M

Lunchtime Award

Maya - 3H

Jan - 4M

Year 3

Well Done to Everyone!





We pray for those in our community who are unwell at this time

Mrs Husted, Mrs Milligan, and the staff team



TERM DATES

25/26

AUTUMN TERM	SPRING TERM	SUMMER TERM
Monday 1st September 2025 to Friday 19th December 2025	Monday 5th January 2026 to Friday 27th March 2026	Monday 13th April 2026 to Monday 20th July 2026
Autumn half-term break	Spring half-term break	Summer half-term break
Monday 27th October 2025 to Friday 31st October 2025	Monday 16th February 2026 to Friday 20th February 2026	Monday 25th May 2026 to Friday 29th May 2026
Christmas Holiday	Easter Holiday	
Monday 22nd December 2025 to Friday 2nd January 2026	Monday 30th March 2026 to Friday 10th April 2026	

Teacher Training Days for 2025–2026 School Closed to all Pupils

Monday 1st September 2025

Tuesday 2nd September 2025

Friday 24th October 2025

Monday 23rd February 2026

Wednesday 1st July 2026

Monday 20th July 2026