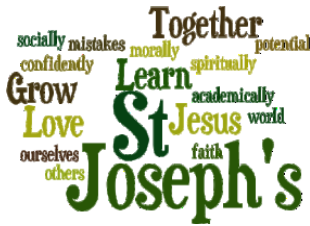


6th June 2025

St Joseph's Catholic Primary Weekly Reminders



Gospel reading for
Pentecost Sunday, 8th June
John 20: 19-23



Headteacher Message

Today, we welcomed back our Year 6 children from their exciting adventures at PGL. This experience is a wonderful opportunity for them to build independence, resilience, and teamwork, while also celebrating their final chapter in primary school. It's been truly heart warming to see how much they've grown—into confident, capable young people who are ready to take on the world. We're incredibly proud of each and every one of them.

Next week is **Active Week**—a fun-filled programme of activities designed not only for enjoyment but also to promote the importance of looking after both our bodies and minds. You should have received a letter today outlining the events planned.

Please take a moment to talk with your child about what they're looking forward to, what they've learned, and how they're feeling throughout the week.



Next week also marks an important assessment period—**Statutory Assessments**

- **Year 1** pupils will take part in the **Phonics Screening Check**
- **Year 4** pupils will complete the **Multiplication Tables Check**

These assessments help us understand how well children are progressing with key skills that support their reading and mathematical development. Our pupils have been practising regularly and are well-prepared. These checks are nothing to worry about—they are simply a chance for children to show what they know, and we're confident they'll do brilliantly.

This weekend and next, a number of our Year 3 children will make their First Holy Communion. Please remember them in your prayers, as they take this important step in their faith journey and receive this Sacrament of Initiation.

Attendance : Week Ending 23rd May 2025

Reg	% Week	Reg	% Week	% Year group YTD
RC	90.4	RMG	92.6	94.6
1D	94.3	1B	90.0	95.6
2WE	95.0	2E	95.6	95.2
3S	95.8	3B	88.9	94.6
4B	96.9	4G/F	92.1	94.7
5F	96.9	5D	93.6	95.3
6O	96.1	6S/T	97.8	96.1
Top Reg	6ST			

*The highest class attendance for the week ending 23rd May
was 6ST with 97.8%*

Awards week ending 6th June

Weekly attendance bag

**Well done to Spencer Barham our
100% attendance Award winner for
this week.**



Awards week ending 6th June



Class Champions

RMG	Leona Sirko	RC	Aspen Talks
1B	Adanna Otuonye	1D	Casey Boot
2E	Ciaran Callery	2WE	Iona Condurache
3B	Reeva Groenewald	3S	Evelyn Houston
4B	Pablo Hernandez de la Cuesta	4FG	Anton Kolencukov
5M	Chiara Goodman	5B	Evie McCarthy
6O		6ST	



Our Rainbow Award Winners this week:

These children all displayed one of the following characteristics:
reflective, bounce-back, teamwork, curiosity, motivation, independence.

Jesse Barrett, Dean Flowers, Freddie Ratcliffe, Olivia May Lyons, Tilly Williams, Edith Johnson, Conor Dundon, Camille Jesus, Blaze Chapman, Heidi Buckingham

HOUSEPOINTS THIS WEEK (RUNNING TOTALS)

St David
(502)

St George
(344)

St Andrew
(412)

St Patrick
(331)

CARRIED OVER TO NEXT WEEK

Reminders for week starting 9th June 2025

Monday— 9th June	ACTIVE WEEK Fathers' Day Sale
Tuesday—10th June	ACTIVE WEEK Fathers' Day Sale
Wednesday—11th June	ACTIVE WEEK Rock Kidz—All Year Groups
Thursday—12th June	ACTIVE WEEK 9.00 Year 1 Assembly
Friday—13th June	ACTIVE WEEK Fathers' Day Sale 1.30 EYFS Fathers' Day Event

Links to specific newsletters

[Preschool Newsletter](#)

[Reception](#)

Key Messages for Parents

Permissions & Deadlines

Please support our administrative staff by replying promptly to requests for permission/consent for your child to attend a trip or event.

It is not possible to send numerous reminders.

If consent has not been received in a timely manner, children will be unable to attend the trip / event and will remain in school with an alternative class for the day.

Y5 Parents—John Hampden Grammar School—Open Evening

9th July 2025 4.00pm and 7.30pm.

Tickets to book a time slot will be available via the box office on our website from Monday 16th June. The direct link to this is [here](#).

Please note this is the only Open Evening Event available.

There will be a very limited number of places for shorter morning tours in October after the results of the transfer test. Bookings for these will be available at the end of September.

Key Messages for Parents



PLEASE BE REMINDED OF THE SPEED LIMIT ON SCHOOL GROUNDS AT ALL TIMES



PLEASE DO NOT PARK ON SCHOOL GROUNDS UNLESS DISPLAYING A BLUE BADGE/PERMIT
(Please note—the Blue Badge holder must be in the car when the badge is being used as either the driver or passenger).



PLEASE DO NOT IGNORE THE 'NO PARKING' SIGNAGE IN THE ALLEYWAY LEADING TO MALTMAN'S SCHOOL. THIS ALLEYWAY IS FOR PEDESTRIAN USE AND LARGE VEHICLE DELIVERIES WHICH MAY CAUSE DAMAGE TO PARKED CARS



PLEASE OBSERVE THE STAFF PARKING ONLY SIGNAGE ON THE SCHOOL GROUNDS



**PLEASE DO NOT OVER-TAKE ON THE TURNING CIRCLE
CHILDREN ARE CROSSING**

THESE RESTRICTIONS, HOWEVER INCONVENIENT, ARE IN PLACE TO ENSURE THE SAFETY OF CHILDREN ON AND AROUND THE SCHOOL

School Website—Class Pages

As the last half-term was only five weeks long, curriculum topics will change starting next week. All class pages will be updated accordingly and will be live by Monday morning. Also, don't forget that next week is 'Active Week'—all pupils should come to school wearing their PE kit each day.

UN-NAMED ITEMS



Un-named school uniform from the lost property tub. These items cannot be returned to their owners as they have not been named. They will be re-cycled via the FOSJS School Uniform shop.

Please name every item if you wish to have it returned.



GIVE IT A GO!!

**SAT 7TH JUNE
10.45 - 12.30**

AT AMERSHAM MUSIC CENTRE

**ARE YOU AGED 8 - 11?
DO YOU DO CLASS MUSIC AT SCHOOL?
ENJOY SINGING OR PLAY THE PIANO?
DID YOU START AN INSTRUMENT IN SEPT 2024?**

BOOK NOW!

BMT
Love Bucks, Love Music

**EMAIL:
AMMUSIC@BUCKSMUSIC.ORG**

Interested in playing the Cornet?
BMT could provide a tutor here at
school—we need 5 interested
students. Please contact
[Bucks Music](#)
if you are interested and we can
organise a trial session.



Have a lovely half term break everyone.

From all at St. Joseph's School.

