

St. Theresa's Newsletter

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AUTUMN TERM TERM 2019 – Friday 27th September 2019

Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you to all those who were able to join us for the MacMillan Coffee Morning today helping raise lots of money for a really good cause. It was so nice to have the opportunity to talk to so many parents and hear about how well they have settled into their new classes and how much they have enjoyed their learning. Throughout the day the children all got the opportunity to have squash and cake in the playground and thoroughly enjoyed it. Thank you to all members of the Friends who helped set up and run the Coffee Morning. Their hard work and dedication to supporting the school with these events is greatly appreciated.

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Whilst at the Coffee Morning a number of parents have paid compliments to the new balance bikes in the Early Years Area. The children in Reception, Year one and Two have really enjoyed using them at break times. The school were given a free training day and 6 Strider Bikes and Helmets for free which was fantastic!

Finally, thank you to all those who were able to come and celebrate Mass with us yesterday to commemorate the start of the new school year. Thanks especially to Father John who celebrated Mass with us and Miss O'Brien and Sister Jenny for helping to organise the Mass. The children all read with confidence and sung beautifully. Our new Reception children were wonderfully behaved and it was a lovely opportunity for them to join the rest of the school and be welcomed into the school community.

Have a wonderful Weekend,

Mr Troy

Sport at St Theresa's



This Wednesday at the Art Depot the school was handed over our School Games Platinum Award for 2018-19. We are determined to keep our Platinum status for this academic year and have lots of sport planned for the coming months. This Autumn Term we have lots of sports events for the children to take part in and already our Year 6 Children have taken part in an indoor rowing challenge competing against eight other schools across the borough. We are delighted that Vera came second across all the girls in the competition with a result of 204m rowed within the 1-minute time limit. Well done!

Events that will be taking part in the Autumn Term are: Primary Cross Country meet for Years 4-6, Year 5 and 6 Indoor Athletics, Year 3 and 4 Cheerleading Festival and a Key Stage 1 Christmas Sports Festival. Year 6 will also be taking part in Bikeability training.

We also have entered our Years 5 and 6 children into the Boys Football League and Cup, Girls Football Cup, Mixed Netball League and Mixed Tag Rugby League. In order for all these events to go ahead we will on occasion be asking for parental volunteers to help with accompany the children to all the different events.

All of our events are organised and run by the Schools Games Organisers from Barnet Partnership for School Sport. We gave feedback to them last year asking for more events for Key Stage 1 so hopefully we will have sporting opportunities for the whole school!

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY



-SAVE THE DATE-

African Drum Workshops – Monday 30th September
 Year 6 Class Assembly – Wednesday 2nd October
 Year 2 Class Trip Maritime Museum – Friday 4th October
 Year 3 and 4 Mass St Phillips – Friday 4th October
 Year 2 Class Assembly – Wednesday 2nd October
 Primary Cross Country – Thursday 10th October
 Year 1 and 2 Mass Friday 11th October
 Tuesday 15th October Parent Consultations
 Thursday 17th October Parent Consultations

Attendance and Punctuality this week

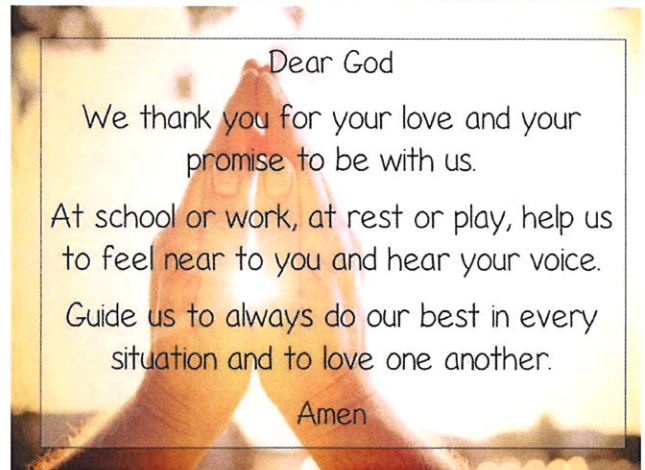


	Absence	Late
Year 1	92%	0
Year 2	99%	0
Year 3	98%	0
Year 4	99%	0
Year 5	98%	1
Year 6	99%	2

Well done to Years 2, 4 and 6 for your excellent attendance this week!

Well done to Years 1, 2, 3 and 4 for coming to school on time!

Yr 1	Jonathan – For using his learning muscles this week in our English learning. Matylda – For making a great effort with her handwriting.
Yr 2	Matteo – For settling in very well to St Theresa's. Nyshita – For settling in very well to St Theresa's.
Yr 3	Nathan – For his great effort and amazing vocabulary in his Villain character des. Sebastian – For his improvement in his handwriting and presentation.
Yr 4	Noah – For his show-stopping gladiator battle scene that he presented to the class. Olivia – For settling into Year 4 with a brilliant attitude and friendly demeanour.
Yr 5	Marina – For the confidence you are showing in class and for your improved focus. Alvaro – For the amazing effort you put into your home learning. I was very impressed.
Yr 6	Enda – For a very well written non-chronological report on St Theresa's School. Francesca – For an excellent attitude to her learning.



House Points

This week the house with the most house points was St George's!



Genevieve Year 3
and Tania Year 6