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SUMMER TERM 2026

Friday 17th July

Dear Parents and Carers,

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the Friends for all their support this year and the events they planned for the children. Their fundraising effort has helped the school enormously. A huge thanks to the Friends from all the staff; we are so very grateful for everything you have done for the pupils at St. Theresa's.

A final goodbye to Zuzanna Decsak; we wish you the very best of luck.

Goodbye to our Year 6 pupils and finally, a farewell to all the other children and families who are leaving us today. May you remember, when you make new friends, your old friends here at St. Theresa's. Thank you to everyone, including all staff, for your continued support. Wishing you all a happy and safe holiday and see you in September.

Barbara Costa

NEWS from the FRIENDS

Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you for all your support with this year's fundraising and we look forward to welcoming you back in September with more exciting events!

Wishing you all a fabulous Summer holiday!

The Friends

Information for Parents and Carers

Barnet Integrated Clinical Services (BICS) are inviting you to join our virtual workshops. These workshops aim to increase your knowledge of common wellbeing and mental health difficulties faced by children and young people. They also aim to provide you with strategies to assist you in supporting your young person. Please click link for further information:

<https://admin.barnet.gov.uk/sites/default/files/2026-06/08%20BICS%20Family%20Minds%20Workshops%20%20Invitation%20June%20-%20December%202026.pdf>

Settle outstanding payments

Could all parents please settle any outstanding payments on School Money today.

Y4 (Current Y3) Swimming Autumn Term 2026

Year 4 will begin weekly swimming lessons starting from Wednesday 9th September 2026



BELS Advisory Team for Autistic Children and Young People

BACPAC: Barnet Autism Course for Parents And Carers. An Online Parent/Carer Training Course

BELS Advisory Team for Autistic Children & Young People run BACPAC, a 6-week (or 5-week) course, usually twice a term, online.

BACPAC is a comprehensive training and support programme for parents/carers of children aged 7-19, with a diagnosis of Autism.

This course is available **free of charge** to families living in Barnet.

The online training course covers topics including:

- An overview of what it means for your child to be Autistic.
- Communication.
- Sensory needs.
- Understanding emotional regulation/'behaviour'.

BACPAC also gives parents/carers an opportunity to learn together and share experiences online.

Morning or evening sessions available.

Further information available on the Barnet Local Offer:

[Barnet Local Offer :: Home / Training and Events](#)

For any enquires or to be added to the BACPAC waiting list and receive the latest BACPAC flyers please email Autism.Team@barnet.gov.uk with 'BACPAC course' as the subject, thanks.

Goodbye, thank you and good luck

It is that time of year again when we have to, sadly, say goodbye to a number of families who will be leaving our school community after some years . . .

The Rapala family	11 years
The Rybka family	11 years
The Varnava family	11 years
The Krzastek family	10 years
The Beggs family	7 years
The Capistere family	7 years
The Castano Ruiz family	7 years
The Chapman family	7 years
The Hawramy family	7 years
The Jastramskas family	7 years
The Kukulski family	7 years
The Moldysz family	7 years
The Pedranjo Linh family	7 years
The Torfegoo family	7 years
The Otulak family	6.5 years
The Soliven family	6.5 years
The Silva Balista family	5 years
The Tirinzoni family	5 years
The Correia Ales Sanca family	4 years
The Rahmani family	4 years
The Ogunrombi family	2 years
The Zamin family	1.5 years

Thank you for all your support over the years and we wish you the best of luck for the future.

The Wednesday Word

“Ask and seek and your heart will grow big enough to receive God.” *St Teresa of Calcutta*

What will the farmer do with the wheat? This Sunday's Gospel reminds us that the Kingdom of God is growing all around us. We live in a world where we see both good and bad and we can choose to be like the wheat or the weeds. We all make mistakes, but God is loving and patient and gives us time to grow into the people we were created to be. Ask your child what the word 'growing' means to them (other than increasing in height). Tell your child how they've grown as a person (and in goodness) during this school year.

“We cannot grow up by ourselves; rather, we journey and grow in a community, in a family.”

Pope Francis (Pope from 2013-2025)

Each new day is an opportunity to grow in God's goodness. Regularly praying together is a powerful way for the family to keep growing in love. Loving and following God makes us like the 'wheat' in this story. Throughout the summer holidays, what can we do to help the world to grow as God intends in these coming weeks? Perhaps we can: avoid doing wrong and always try to do what is right; try to be more patient with people around us; always try to forgive; say a prayer for someone who might have upset us; regularly share the gift of your smile with others; always try to be fair with others.

<https://wednesday-word.paperturn-view.com/summer-holiday-special?pid=MTA101634&v=217.5>



Reception	To our wonderful Reception Class for an amazing year of learning, growing and making us proud. You are all superstars! Thank you!
Year 1	Whole Class for a wonderful year of learning, kindness and hard work.
Year 2	Whole Class for a wonderful year of learning. Your hard work, positive attitude and enthusiasm have been outstanding.
Year 3	Whole Class for a successful Year 3. Good luck in Year 4 everyone!
Year 4	Whole Class Well done for your hard work, kindness and enthusiasm throughout the year. All the best in Y5.
Year 5	Whole Class for your incredible hard work, perseverance and achievements throughout Year 5. You have overcome challenges, made fantastic progress, and should all be incredibly proud of everything you have accomplished. Well done!
Year 6	Whole Class for a successful year and good luck with moving onto your new secondary schools!
The Golden Ticket Winners are: Avina (Y3) Andrew (Y5)	

Safeguarding at St. Theresa's

Miss Costa is the Designated Safeguarding Lead at the school; Mr Troy and Mrs Folan are members of the safeguarding team. Parents can find the school's Child Protection and Safeguarding Policy on the school website: <https://www.st-theresas.barnet.sch.uk/school/policies/>

Please contact a member of the safeguarding team if you have concerns about a child. Other important contacts:

- Barnet Multi-Agency Safeguarding Hub: 0208 359 4066
- NSPCC Whistleblowing Help: 0800 028 0285

Barnet Youth Summer 2026 Magazine

Please click the link to view the digital version of the Barnet Youth Summer 2026 Magazine. Please book onto activities this Summer – there is something for everyone!

<https://barnetyouth.uk/uploads/files/187/Barnet-Youth-Summer-2026-Magazine.pdf>

Have your say on school-aged childcare in Barnet

Barnet Council is inviting parents and carers to complete a short survey about childcare for school-aged children, including holiday provision.

This information has been requested by the Department for Education and will help the Council plan and improve childcare services for local families.
[Parent/ Carer School Aged Childcare Sufficiency Survey – Fill out form](#) **Deadline: Friday 31 July 2026**

Classes and Staffing for 2026-2027

Nursery/ Reception	Mrs Decuseara, supported by Mrs Barnes and Mrs Johansson
Year 1	Mrs Reimus, supported by Ms Yan Yu
Year 2	Miss Kastanias, supported by Ms Bouchelaghem and Mr Nze
Year 3	Mrs Conway, supported by Mrs Coleman
Year 4	Miss O'Brien, supported by Mrs McGrath and Mrs Fraser
Year 5	Miss Porcu, supported by Mrs Espinosa and Miss O'Hara
Year 6	Mr Owen, supported by Mrs Tarrant and Ms Patel
Office Manager	Mrs Orsi (Mon, Wed, Thurs)
School Secretary	Mrs Tsui (Mon, Tues, Thurs am, Fri)
Site Manager	Mr Adhikaram Mudiyansele
Mealtime Supervisors	Ms Espenica Ms Jaramillo Mrs Ottery
Breakfast Club Supervisors	Ms Espenica Ms Jaramillo
Inclusion Leader	Mrs Folan (Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri) – not class based
Head of School	Mr Troy – not class based
Executive Headteacher	Miss Costa (2.5 days a week) – not class based

Dates for your diary

Friday 17 th July	End of term: 1pm finish
Wed 2 nd Sept	Existing Nursery and Y1-Y6 pupils return to school
Mon 7 th Sept	2.15pm Y6 Curriculum Meeting for parents
Tues 8 th Sept	2.30pm Y5 Curriculum meeting for parents
Wed 9 th Sept	2.30pm Y4 Curriculum meeting for parents
Thurs 10 th Sept	2.30pm Y3 Curriculum meeting for parents
Tues 15 th Sept	2.30pm Y2 Curriculum meeting for parents
Wed 16 th Sept	2.15pm Y1 Curriculum meeting for parents
Thurs 17 th Sept	2.30pm Reception and Nursery Curriculum meeting for parents
Tues 22 nd Sept	9.30 and 6pm Open Day tours for prospective parents
Thurs 24 th Sept	3.30pm Residential Trip meeting for Y5 parents
Fri 25 th Sept	Macmillan Coffee Morning
Wed 7th-Fri 9th Oct Y6 Residential trip to Grosvenor Hall	
*New dates in bold	



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YEAR 1,2



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Thursdays
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