



St. Stephen's Catholic Primary School









Weekly Newsletter: Friday 19th January 2024

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Celebrating our gifts, talents and achievements...

Stars of the Week:			Proud Work of the Week:		
	YR	Lena		YR	Milan
	Y1	Annalease		Y1	Lucy
	Y2	Tedi		Y2	Macy
	Y3	Ava		Y3	Diana
	Y4	Emily		Y4	Georgina
	Y5	Angel		Y5	Suri
	Y6	Dominik		Y6	Leo



Rainbow Champions



R: Jacob, Scarlett, Theo, Corey, Dominik, Victoria, Lily, Leona, Max, Nova, Teddie

Y1: Anthony, Jessica, Corey, Brooklyn


Y2: Elizabeth, Maisy, Alaya, Gillian, Antoni, Sienna, Rosie, Roman, Madison, Tedi, Zofia

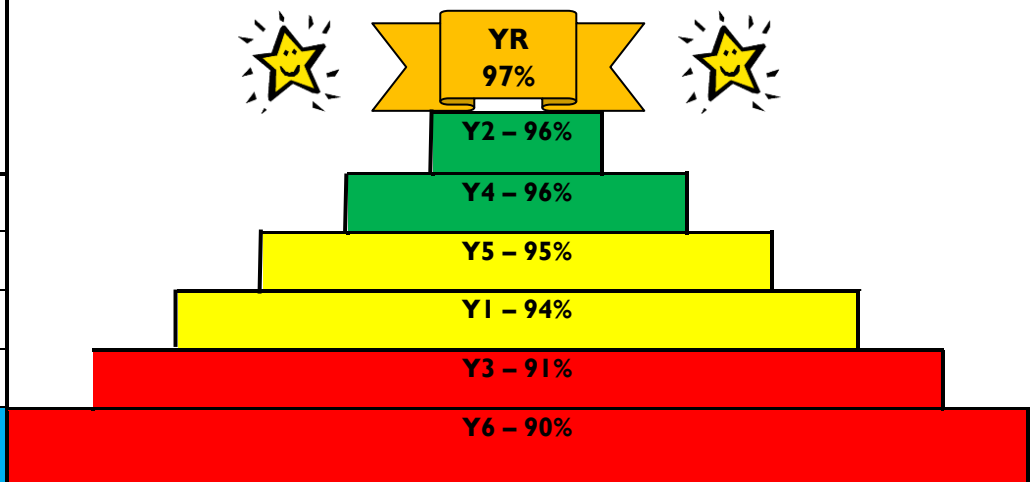
Y3: Hallie, Grace, Szymon, Alexia, Bailey

Y4: Hattie, Emily, Lucas, Jordan, Phoebe, Darcey, Heila, Jaxon, Mete

Y5: Angel, Suri

Y6: Dominik, Isaac, Olivia, Poppy

 Attendance Matters Every student. Every day.	
98-100%	Excellent
96-97%	Good
93-95%	Needs to Improve
90-92%	Cause for Concern
Our attendance target is: 97%	



School News...

Curriculum	Forest Skills	Residential Trips
<p>Last week, teachers sent home the Curriculum Overviews for the Spring Term 2024 for each class.</p> <p>This document shares what your child will be learning about in each subject from now up until Easter. Staff have provided some 'recommended reads' for their classes which are linked to their curriculum topics.</p> <p>Homework and reading expectations have been outlined for the term and as part of our home/school agreement, we expect that families support their child/ren at home in order to enhance and consolidate their learning in school. All homework is handed out on a Wednesday and must be returned on a Monday.</p>	<p>Years 1 and 5 will have their next Forest Skills session this Monday 22nd January. This session will take place on Monday regardless of the weather.</p> <p>Therefore, for these sessions, pupils are to wear old clothes that parents/carers don't mind getting muddy or dirty. Children can wear old trainers or wellies but must bring a change of footwear in to change into after their outdoor session.</p> <p>It is essential that your child wears a waterproof coat in order to take part especially during this cold spell of weather we are experiencing.</p>	<p>The Y4 trip to Winmarleigh Hall is fast approaching and a parents/carers' meeting will take place in March after the Y4 Class Assembly on Friday 1st March. A gentle reminder that the next £20 instalment is due by Friday 2nd February and the final £20 instalment is due no later than Friday 8th March.</p> <p>The Y6 residential trip to Kingswood takes place in June. All initial deposits have been paid and we remind Y6 families that the <u>next instalment of £75 is due no later than Wednesday 7th February. The final instalment for this trip of £70 is due by Friday 12th April.</u> If you have any questions or queries about the Y6 trip then please speak to Mr Gosling or Mrs Coy.</p>
Y3 Class Assembly	Uniform Standards	Diary Dates
<p>Next Friday 26th January, Y3 will be leading our whole school collective worship. The children will be presenting their learning from their Local Church topic and leading us in prayer and reflection.</p> <p>Parents/carers of Y3 pupils are warmly invited to come along and join this celebration at 9.15am in the school hall. Families are most welcome to stay after the Y3 assembly as we present our stars of the week, proud workers of the week and rainbow champions with their awards.</p>	<p>It is important that the children look smart in their school uniform and take pride in their appearance. Please take note of the following reminders around uniform and presentation expectations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Pupils must not wear nail varnish or false nails to school. ● The only permitted jewellery to be worn at school are a wrist watch (not a smart watch) and studded earrings. ● Pupils must wear black shoes with their school uniform not trainers. 	<p>We have a very busy and exciting Spring Term planned. Our diary dates have been updated on the school app and school website. Obviously more dates and events are likely to be added so please keep checking each week for updates. Key forthcoming dates include:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Monday 22nd January Y1 & Y5 Forest Skills sessions</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Friday 26th January Year 3 Come and See Assembly at 9.15am</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Monday 29th January Y2 & Y4 Forest Skills sessions</p>
Safeguarding		
<p>If you have any safeguarding concerns about a child, please speak to either Mrs Georgiou or Mr Hatton, our Designated Safeguarding Leads. In their absence, please speak to Mrs O'Regan (KSI Lead) or Miss Williams (KS2 Lead) if you have any worries.</p> <p>Please be assured that if school have any safeguarding concerns or worries about a child then they will directly speak to the parents/carers of that child in a confidential and sensitive manner. When school is dealing with safeguarding matters, we always feel it is vitally important to protect children from what is happening to avoid any upset or worry.</p>		

Spring Term Diary Dates 2024



Date	Time	Event
22/1/24	All day	Y1 & Y5 Forest Skills
26/1/24	9.15am	Y3 Come and See Assembly in School Hall. Parents/carers are welcome to join us.
29/1/24	All day	Y2 & Y4 Forest Skills
2/2/24	All day	NSPCC Number Day- wear clothes with numbers/shapes on for a £1 donation
5/2/24	All week	Art Week for PAN Art Exhibition
6/2/24	All morning	School Photographs - Individuals
6/2/24	All day	Safer Internet Day 2024
7/2/24	All day	Y6 Residential Trip second instalment due by today
9/2/24	All day	Y4 Residential Trip final instalment due by today
9/2/24	Morning	KS2 Online Safety Production by Altru Drama
9/2/24	3.15pm	School closes for half term holidays (Football Club will still take place until 4pm)
19/2/24	8.45am	School reopens after the half term break
21/2/24	11am	Y6 Lenten Class Mass with Fr John (pupils only)
28/2/24	11am	Y5 Lenten Class Mass with Fr John (pupils only)
1/3/24	9.15am	Y4 Come and See Assembly in School Hall. Parents/carers are welcome to join us.
1/3/24	9.45am	Y4 Residential Meeting for Parents/Carers
2/3/24	10.30am	Y4 Holy Communion Workshops in school
4/3/24	All day	Y3 & Y6 Forest Skills
6/3/24	11am	Y4 Lenten Class Mass with Fr John (pupils only)
7/3/24	All day	World Book Day 2024
8/3/24	9.15am	Reception Mothers' Day Assembly in School Hall. Parents/carers are welcome to join us.
11/3/24	All week	British Science Week
11/3/24	All day	Y1 & Y5 Forest Skills
13/3/24	11am	Y3 Lenten Class Mass with Fr John (pupils only)
13/3/24	2.00-6.00pm	Spring Term Parents' Evening in School Hall
15/3/24	2.00pm	Good Shepherd Friday Fundraising - Y4 & Y5
18/3/24	All week	Spring Term after school clubs finish this week
18/3/24	All day	Y2 & Y4 Forest Skills
22/3/24	2.00pm	Good Shepherd Friday Fundraising - Y3 & Y6
25/3/24	2.30pm	Y1 & Y4 Easter Liturgy - Palm Sunday Parents/carers are welcome to join us.
26/3/24	2.30pm	Y2 & Y5 Easter Liturgy - Maundy Thursday Parents/carers are welcome to join us.
27/3/24	2.30pm	Y6 Easter Liturgy - Good Friday Parents/carers are welcome to join us.
28/3/24	2.30pm	Reception & Y3 Easter Liturgy - Easter Sunday Parents/carers are welcome to join us.
28/3/24	3.15pm	School closes for Easter holidays

We are on Week 1 of the menu next week.

SCHOOL MEALS

Available daily as an alternative: - Filled jacket potatoes and a selection of sandwiches served with vegetables, a dessert and drink. An alternative dessert from a selection of seasonal fresh fruit, fruit yoghurt, sreen and cheese & biscuits
Available daily - Unlimited fresh salad and wholemeal bread, drinking water or fresh milk.



Week One

Meat Free Monday

- Homemade Macaroni Cheese
- Vegetarian Sausage Roll
baked diced potatoes and beans
- Strawberry Ripple Ice Cream Roll

Tuesday

- Roast Gammon
served with sage and onion stuffing
Creamed & roast potatoes,
Carrots and swede batons
And gravy
- Cooks choice curry served with 50/50 rice

- Fresh Fruit Segments
or yoghurt

Wednesday

- Pork Sausage with creamed potatoes, gravy served
with seasonal fresh carrots and peas

- Cheese Panini served with
Coleslaw, sweetcorn and salad

- Homemade Sponge Cake

Thursday

- Pasta Bake
Served with seasonal vegetables

- Homemade Cheese Fian served with baked jacket
wedges
Sweetcorn and salad

- Jelly and Fruit

Friday

- Oven baked Fish Fingers
served with chunky chipped potatoes, garden peas or
baked beans

- Crumb Coated Chicken served with chunky chipped
potatoes, garden peas or baked beans

- Homemade Shortbread Biscuit

Week Two

Meat Free Monday

- Margarita Pizza
served with baked jacket wedges
and sweetcorn

- Homemade Oven Baked Omelette
served with jacket wedges
baked beans and fresh spinach

- Raspberry Ripple Ice Cream Roll

Tuesday

- Roast Turkey with
sage and onion stuffing
served with roast & creamed potatoes,
seasonal fresh carrots and broccoli
and gravy

- Chilli Beef served with 50/50 rice

- Fresh Fruit Salad or
Yoghurt

Wednesday

- Cooks choice homemade pie
Served with baby new potatoes, mixed country
vegetables

- Spicy Quorn served with savoury rice
And mixed country vegetables

- Jelly and Fruit

Thursday

- Homemade Spaghetti Bolognese
served with garden peas

- Vegetarian curry served with 50/50 rice

- Sponge cake

Friday

- Oven baked Battered Salmon
served with chunky chipped potatoes
garden peas or baked beans

- Chicken goujons
Served with chunky chipped potatoes
garden peas or baked beans

- Homemade cooks choice Biscuit

Week Three

Meat Free Monday

- Homemade Tomato and Mascarpone Pasta Bake
served with seasonal vegetables

- Quorn Nuggets with baked herby diced
Potatoes, and sweetcorn

- Chocolate Ice Cream Roll

Tuesday

- Roast Chicken
sage & onion stuffing served with gravy,
roast & creamed potatoes,
seasonal fresh carrot and cabbage

- Vegetarian Burger in a bun
Baked wedged potatoes and fresh salad

- Fresh Fruit Segments or
Yoghurt

Wednesday

- Chicken Tikka Masala served with 50/50 rice

- Pizza
served with fresh salad and coleslaw

- Sponge Cake

Thursday

- Pork Meatballs in homemade tomato and basil
sauce served with wholemeal pasta and garden peas

- Twice Baked Jacket Potatoes
With cheese and onion
Served with baked beans

- Jelly and Fruit

Friday

- Chicken Poppers
Served with chunky chipped potatoes,
garden peas or baked beans

- Oven baked Battered Fish served with chunky
chipped potatoes, garden peas or baked beans

- Homemade Cookie or Biscuit

Menu cycle week one: 31st Oct, 21st Nov, 12th Dec, 9th Jan,
30th Jan, 20th Feb, 13th Mar, 3rd Apr, 24 Apr, 15th May, 5th Jun,
26th Jun, 17th July.

Menu cycle week two: 7th Nov, 28th Nov, 19th Dec, 16th Jan,
6th Feb, 27th Feb, 20th Mar, 10th Apr, 1st May, 22nd May, 12th Jun,
3rd July, 24th July

Menu cycle week three: 14th Nov, 5th Dec, 2nd Jan, 23rd Jan,
13th Feb, 6th Mar, 27th Mar, 17th Apr, 8th May, 29th May, 19th Jun,
10th July.

School Menu Autumn/Winter 2022-2023



= Vegetarian V = Vegetarian substitute available
Lunch will be served with fresh milk or drinking water.
All homemade dishes contain additional vegetables.

For allergen and dietary help please contact school meals
helpdesk on 01925 443082 or visit our website
www.warrington.gov.uk/schoolmeals



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Wasps Breakfast Club at
St Stephen's Catholic Primary School.

If you are interested in securing a place at St Stephen's Wasps please make contact with head office on 01925 818689 or info@waspschildcare.co.uk to request the relevant registration information.

Services delivered are Breakfast club. All prices are per child per day.

St Stephen's Wasps delivers care for the following schools.

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Breakfast club	7.30am - 9am	£ 6.35
	8.00am - 9am	£ 5.80

Children are dropped off at the club and then after the breakfast session are escorted to their classrooms by Wasps staff.

Children will engage in a variety of fun, stimulating and educational indoor and outdoor activities during their time with us.

Holiday club care is also available throughout all school holidays at either our Bruche Wasps, Our Lady's Wasps or Sankey Wasps sites. Further details can be provided on request.



Care • Play
Motivation • Creative
Stimulate • Nurture
Outdoor • Adventure
Inclusive • Development

Link Clubs & Nurseries

Wasps Link Clubs and Nurseries Ltd (incorporating Wasps Care Ltd / Sankey Wasps Ltd)
Link Club: 01925 818685 Nursery: 01925 259367 Enquiry@waspschildcare.co.uk www.waspschildcare.co.uk



Holiday Dates 2023/24

	Open	Close	No. of Days
Autumn Half Term 1	Wednesday 6 th September 2023	Friday 27 th October 2023	38
Autumn Half Term 2	Monday 6 th November 2023	Wednesday 20 th December 2023	33
Spring Half Term 1	Thursday 4 th January 2024	Friday 9 th February 2024	27
Spring Half Term 2	Monday 19 th February 2024	Thursday 28 th March 2024	29
Summer Half Term 1	Wednesday 10 th April 2024	Friday 24 th May 2024	32
Summer Half Term 2	Monday 10 th June 2024	Tuesday 23 rd July 2024	31
			TOTAL: 190

School closed: Bank Holiday Monday - Monday 6th May 2024

INSET Days: School closed for pupils

- Monday 4th September 2023
- Tuesday 5th September 2023
- Wednesday 3rd January 2024
- Friday 28th June 2024 – Warrington Walking Day (TBC)
- Wednesday 24th July 2024