



Rawmarsh St Joseph's Catholic Primary School

Newsletter

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Dear Parents and Carers,

We have had a busy week in school this week as we have been updating our assessment information for the children.

As the weather is so unpredictable during this half term please ensure that your child has sun hats, water bottles and appropriate shoes. A reminder that "Astro Turf" trainers are not considered part of our school uniform.

We received a Silver Anti Bullying Award at the Healthy Schools Awards ceremony this week in recognition of our work over the last year on preventing bullying, dealing with bullying incidents and raising awareness of cyber bullying. Thank you and well done to all of our community for working together to achieve this. We will be working towards the Gold Standard over the coming year.

We have now had a phenomenal number of children who have achieved their Yellow Outstanding Learner Bands and Certificate. Well done everyone. Let's see who can be the first person to achieve their Green one.

The staff have been working on the curriculum topics for next year. Following consultation with them and the children, we will be having whole school topics over the course of the next academic year.

Autumn Term Natural Disasters and Advent

We will also be holding a Diversity and Acceptance Week in September.

Spring Term Shakespeare and Lent

Summer Term Living Things and Easter and Pentecost.

Thought for the week

"I stand up for people who are being treated unfairly"

Please speak with your child about this. Part of our Anti Bullying work is about other people standing up for what they know is not appropriate behaviour and not being by



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standers. Please reiterate to the children that if they see or hear something that they feel is unfair then to speak to an adult about it,

Attendance

<u>Class</u>	<u>Number Of Lates</u>	<u>% Attendance</u>
FS2 Miss Cooper	2	95.7
Year 1 Mrs Potts	1	97.8
Year 2 Mr Terry	5	96.5
Year 3 Mrs Beckett	1	99.2
Year 4 Mr Searson	2	97.3
Year 5 Mrs Butler/Mrs Briggs	0	94.6
Year 6 Mr Howard	1	90.7
<u>School Totals</u>	12	95.8

Well done to Year 3 who were our Attendance Winners last week. Well done to Year 5 whose learning was not interrupted at all last week by children arriving late.

Head Teachers Tea Party

I will be inviting children who have received 3 or more 100% attendance certificates (Since January) to a tea party on Wednesday 19th July. Children who have achieved 100% attendance over the whole school year will be entered into a raffle to be drawn on the last day of the term.

Sports Day

Sports Day will now take place on **Friday 7th July** in the afternoon. Mrs. Butler, Mr. Rockett and Parent Voice will be organising an afternoon of exciting sports events. There will be additional activities organised by Parent Voice AFTER the event on the school field and playground. They will include a Penalty Shoot out and a Parents Race.

Scholastic Book Club

The order form and magazine are both online this half term. If you would like to order any books then please go to:

Scholastics.co.uk/clubs-leaflets.

Orders need to have been made by 19th August.

Classes for September

Our new teacher Miss Bingham will be getting married during the summer holidays and so will be known as Mrs. Smith when she takes up her post as Year 6 teacher.



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As I have mentioned in previous newsletters there will be opportunity to meet with the teachers in July.

Monday 17th July parents of current FS2 to meet Mr. Terry

Monday 17th July parents of current Y1 to meet Mrs. Potts

Tuesday 18th July parents of current Y2 to meet Mrs. Briggs and Mrs. Butler

Tuesday 18th July parents of current Y3 to meet Mrs. Beckett

Wednesday 19th July parents of current Y4 to meet Mr. Searson

Wednesday 19th July parents of current Y5 to meet Mrs. Smith

Teddy Bears Picnic

We will be having a Teddy Bears Picnic on Thursday 20th July. There will only be a picnic choice for lunch on that day. If parents would like to join us from 11:45am that would be lovely. If you would require a school picnic lunch then there will be a cost of £2.25. Children will collect their lunch from the hall and then go out onto the field to eat with yourselves and each other.



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Diary Dates

Thursday 6th July

Friday 7th July

Friday 14th July

Monday 17th- Wednesday 19th July

Thursday 19th July

Thursday 20th July

Friday 21st July

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Whole School mass in church.

Sports Day

Reports and progress
information out to parents.

Meeting new class teacher
transition appointments.

Head teachers Tea Party and
Film afternoon for Attendance
awards.

Teddy Bears Picnic Lunch

Whole School Mass in church

School closes for the Summer
holiday at 2pm