

St Joseph's Catholic Primary School

Newsletter No.1
24th October 2025



Dear Families,

We are now half way through our first academic term of 2025 and it has been wonderful to see our students settling into their new classrooms, engaging with new learning and growing both inside and outside the classroom.

Whether its through academic progress, extracurricular involvement or building connections with peers we certainly have a lot to celebrate so far.

Your support plays a vital role in making our school community a success; if you have and questions or concerns then as always, please don't hesitate to reach out.

Thank you for your kind donations for the Harvest collection.



These donations will be going to the Rawmarsh Food Bank.

Term Dates and INSET Days

October Half Term: 27th October- 31st October

Christmas Holidays: 22nd December- 2nd January 2026

February Half Term: 16th February- 20th February 2026

Easter Holidays:

Friday 3rd April – Friday 10th April 2026

May Half Term:

Monday 25th May – Friday 5th June 2026

Summer Holidays:

break up Friday 17th July 2026

Inset days 2025/2026

23rd February 2026

5th June 2026

20th July 2026

Upcoming Dates:

Monday 3rd November- Wednesday 7th November – Y6 Robinhood residential

Wednesday 19th & Thursday 20th November– Y5 Technology Day at St. Pius

Sunday 23rd November – Christ the King Mass

Wednesday 26th November – Pantomime

**Tuesday 2nd December- Y3/Y4 Carol Concert
2:30pm**

**Wednesday 3rd December- Y5/Y6 Carol
Concert 2:30pm**

Tuesday 9th December- KS1 Nativity in Church

**Wednesday 10th December- FS2 Nativity in
Church**

**Thursday 11th December- Christmas jumper
and dinner day**

**Friday 12th December- Mini Vinnies/Choir at
Abbey's Care Home**

Attendance

Be an Attendance Hero...



Here Every day Ready On time

Regular attendance is vital to your child's academic progress, personal development and overall success. As such, we kindly remind all families of the importance of ensuring children arrive at school on time and attend consistently.

Keep a look out for Mrs Grainger's posts / updates on Dojo.

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On Friday the 14th November we will be raising money to support BBC Children in need charity by having a non-uniform day.

Children are invited to come to school in non-uniform. To make this event a success, we kindly ask for your support through a £1 contribution. The money raised will go a long way to helping this worthy cause. Contributions should be sent in cash on the day.

Rice cake snacks for sale

The school council will be selling snacks for 20p at break times every day from Autumn 2 term.

Please remember to send your child with the money if you would like your child to enjoy these delicious snacks.



Lost Property

We are excited to introduce a dedicated email address to help streamline our lost property process. If your child has misplaced an item at school, you can now reach out to us at:

uniform@rsjp.org.uk

Here's how it works:

Send an email with a description of the lost item, (colour, size, brand) Don't forget to include your child's name and class

Our team will then check the lost property and get back to you as promptly as possible.

Thank you for helping us keep our lost property organised and helping to ensure items find their way back home!

After School Clubs

Our current after-school clubs for Autumn term are:

- Sewing
- Arts and Crafts
- Football
- Outdoor/Forest school
- Basketball
- Poetry
- Performing Arts
- Life skills/cooking
- Multi-skills sports
- Film club

Please ask at the office if there are any spaces left on these clubs.

Dear St Joseph,

This is our school. Let peace dwell here. Let the rooms be filled with happiness, Let love be here, Love of life itself and love of God. Let us remember, That as many hands build a house, so many hearts build a school.

Amen