



Our Mission statement at St Joseph's encompasses our ethos and values:

Inspired by Jesus, we grow closer to God through prayer and worship. We always do our best and show respect, love and care for everyone.



Reading Stars



Well done to these lucky children whose tickets were drawn this week.

Reception—Amelia
Year 1- Thomas Ha
Year 2—Carter
Year 3—Cooper
Year 4— Niamh
Year 5—Riley
Year 6— Charlotte

Thankyou to all the parents who have listened to and read with your children this week, you are making a huge difference in their lives—well done.

Chicks

The children (and staff) have been delighted to welcome our newest St Joseph's members this week 5 beautiful fluffy chicks have hatched this week under the watchful eyes of the Reception class. The children have behaved wonderfully around the chicks and whispered and tip-toed as not to scare our new borns. Thank you Reception for taking such wonderful care of our little chicks.





Cross Country

Well done to our school cross country team who represented us on a cold, wintry Monday night.

They persevered and never complained once.

So proud of all your determination!

Huge well done to the Girls Football team who have been chosen to represent Huyton in the Liverpool Cup on 18th March.

Everybody wishes them "Good Luck!"



Clamber-stack

The children have watched with interest whilst a new climbing frame has been installed on the school field.

The children can start to use the equipment next week and can't wait to try it out.

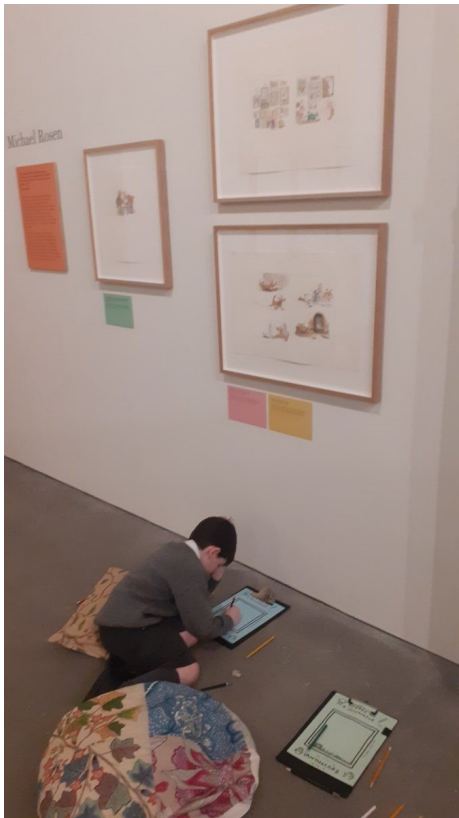
Daily Mile Track

A daily mile track has been completed on the KS2 yard. All the children in school from Reception to Y6 will be timetabled to use the track every day. The children will be encouraged to complete as much of the mile as possible depending on age. I didn't realise how long a mile was - they will have to run around the yard 10 times to complete a mile! The children all enjoyed having a go during break times and some have already completed the mile in one play time.




Y2 Trip

Year 2 had a wonderful time visiting Kirkby Art Gallery and exploring the Quentin Blake: Illustrating Verse exhibition. Our children behaved impeccably and were a credit to the school. Well done year 2.



Attendance

Well done to Year 5 who are our attendance winners this week. I wonder who will be our first class with 100% attendance?

R	68.8%
Y1	93.6%
Y2	90.8%
Y3	92.1%
Y4	88.7%
 Y5	94.8%
Y6	85.9%

Remember attending school is so important, as is being on time.

Our school target is **97%**

Our overall school attendance is 93.3%

Green met the target or exceeded, yellow just below, red is below and must be improved.

Well done Year 5 you have won the Attendance and will now be the first class to use our new Clamber-stack.

School Menu

This week the children will have a 3 choices. Option 1 will be a hot meal (see table below), option 2 will be a jacket potato and Option 3 will be sandwiches.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Option 1	Chicken burger with cross-cuts	Spaghetti Bolognaise and garlic bread	Chicken Kor-ma and naan bread	Roast pork Dinner	Fish and chips

Next week:

- Cross country race
- Girls Football
- Y4 Holy Communion Preparation
- Y5 swimming

Keep Safe and God Bless

Ms McIlroy