



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.

- Year 1— Nellie
- Year 2- Leila
- Year 3— Frankie
- Year 4—Paul
- Year 5— Isobel H
- Year 6— Jonah

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.

Y4 Art Gallery Trip

Year 4 went to the Walker Art Gallery where they took part in a workshop about Greek Myths and Legends. They looked at a piece of art and listened to the myth which the piece of art was based upon. The children all enjoyed the day.

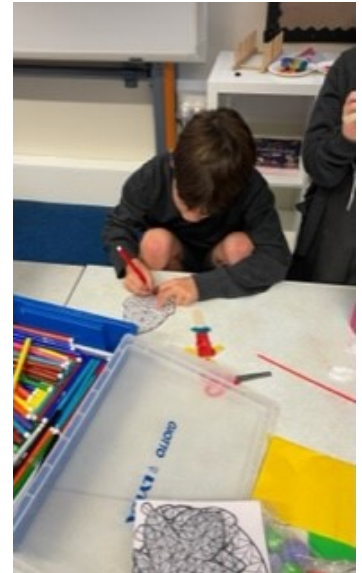


Before School Club

Mrs Humphreys and Mrs Caddock-Gaskell set up some lovely activities every day for the children who attend the before school club.

If you are interested in you child attending please see Mrs Clarke in the office for the forms.

Before school club runs from 8:00 to 8:40 and costs £2 a day.



Autumn Walk

Reception class enjoyed exploring the school grounds on their autumn walk this week. We are so lucky to have all the beautiful trees surrounding our school which allows the children to explore the nature around them.



Girls Football Match



Congratulations to the children who represented St Joseph's in the Girls Football League on Monday. All the girls joined in with enthusiasm and all came back proud of their performance. They won one match, drew two matches and lost one.

Well done to our very own lionesses.




Half Term

Please remember that school breaks up next Friday 21st October at **2pm**.

School reopens on the 31st October—doors open at 8:40 and children must be in before 8:45.

Enjoy the half term.

Attendance

R	93.7%
Y1	84%
Y2	92.4%
Y3	95.9%
 Y4	98.2%
Y5	93.7%
Y6	97.6%

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

Our school target is **97%**

Our overall school attendance is 94.3%

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

Well done Year 4 you have won the attendance this week.

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	Cheese & chorizo pizza	Spaghetti Bolognese & Garlic bread	Chicken Wrap with Salad	Roast Pork Dinner	Fish & Chips

Next week:

- Y6 at residential Wednesday–Friday
- Y2 Healthy Eating talk
- Finish for half term 2pm

Have a lovely half term, fingers crossed for nice weather.

See you all back on Monday 31st October safe and well.

Keep Safe and God Bless

Ms McIlroy