



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— Alfie J
Year 1— Jessica
Year 2— Bobbi
Year 3— Frankie
Year 4— Cooper
Year 5— Lewis
Year 6— Riley H

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.

Year 2 Assembly

Huge congratulations to our lovely Year 2 class on their amazing assembly today on Thanksgiving. You reminded us of all the things in our lives we should be grateful of from our family, friends, school and even the sun. Thank you year 2 you were all amazing!



Book Fair

Thank you for all who have supported the school by buying a book at the book fair this week. The book fair will also be available on Monday 13th and Tuesday 14th next week from 3:15 till 4:00.



Cross Country

Well done to everyone who attended the cross country race at St Margaret Mary's after school on Tuesday. You all ran with gusto and determination. Well done.



100% Attendance Winner

Well done to Amelia in Year 1 who won the 100% Attendance Raffle. She was so delighted to win.

Remember we start fresh every week so don't worry if you were sick this week you could still be in with a chance if you are in every day next week. Good Luck!

Thank you Mr Mackay

We would like to say a big thank you to Mr Mackay who will be leaving us at the end of the Spring term to continue with his teaching career. Year 5 will be taught after Easter by Mrs Byrne as she returns from her maternity leave.

Easter Competition

The children have been excitedly asking about if we are doing our easter competition again this year and I am sure you will be delighted to know—of course we are!!!


Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 will compete in an easter bonnet parade—last years creations were amazing and I can't wait to see what you all come up with.



Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 will again decorate an egg, please keep the surrounds of any designs to the size of a egg box as some designs were bigger than the children last year! Some of the designs you came up with last year were truly amazing and the judges can't wait to see this years designs.

Attendance

Well done Y4 who have won the attendance this week with no lates this week.

R	97%
Y1	93%
Y2	93%
Y3	97%
 Y4	97%
Y5	92%
Y6	93%

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

Our school target is **97%**

Our overall school attendance is 94.8%

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

Shame to see so many red classes this week.

Well done to all the green classes this week—new week next week lets all be green!

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 & Ham Panini	All Day Breakfast	Cheese and Tomato Pasta	Roast pork Dinner	Fish & chips

Next week:

- Y1 Road Safety Session Wednesday 15th
- CLC session Y3 & Y4
- Book Fair 13th & 14th March—Books available to buy in school hall.

Keep Safe and God Bless

Ms McIlroy