



**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— Favour  
 Year 1— Isobel  
 Year 2— Shea  
 Year 3— Leo  
 Year 4— Max D  
 Year 5— Layla  
 Year 6— Dylan

Thank you 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.

## Judo Demonstration

Key stage 2 children were lucky to have a Judo demonstration from Anthony from Judo Education. We learnt all about the history of Judo and how it became an Olympic sport. We had some demonstrations of the games and activities and Max from Year 3 even threw the black belt master and won the point. Well done to those children who bought the slip back first and got a place on the 10 week course we will keep all the other returned slips on a waiting list.



### 100% Attendance Winner

Well done to Leila in Year 2 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!



### Bank Holidays

Due to the King Charles' coronation the country have been given an extra bank holiday in May so not only will we be closed on Monday 1st May for the original May Bank Holiday but also the following Monday 8th May to mark the coronation.

### King Charles Coronation

To mark the King's coronation school will hold some events on **Friday 5th May**. Weather permitting we will hold a street party at lunch time on the field where all the children can eat lunch together and then play games. The children can come to school that day in their own clothes and are encouraged to come in dressed in red, white and blue.

We will also hold a disco after school. Details of street party and disco will follow when all details are confirmed.






## Dance Sessions

Reception, Year 1 and Year 6 enjoyed a dance session on Monday with Everton in the Community. The children were wonderfully behaved and all spoke highly of the session. Several of the children asked if we could have more classes. On Monday 24th, years 2,3 & 5 will also take part in a session.



## Attendance

Well done **Year 2** who have won the attendance this week.



R	95%
Y1	95.3%
Y2	96.7%
Y3	95.4%
Y4	95.4%
Y5	96.3%
Y6	96.6%

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

Our school target is **97%**

Our overall school attendance is 95.8%

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

Lovely to see no reds this week—so many classes close to being green. Let's see if we can all be green next 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 & Tomato Pizza	All Day Break-fast	Chicken wrap & wedges	Roast Pork Dinner	Fish & chips

## Next week:

- Year 2,3 and 5 dance session
- Judo sessions start Wednesday 26th April at 8am
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Keep Safe and God Bless  
Ms McIlroy