



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.

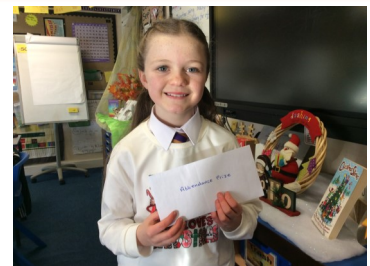
Reception— Lilly
Year 1— Alan-John
Year 2— Ivy
Year 3— Ava
Year 4— Max L
Year 5— Max D
Year 6— Anthony

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.

100% Attendance Winner

Well done to Darcie in Y6 who won the 100% Attendance Raffle.

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



Whole School Pantomime

The whole school will be walking up to the Pantomime on Tuesday 5th December. Due to the late finish the children will have a packed lunch on that day which they will eat in their classrooms. KS2 children will need a packed lunch provided on this day, if you are eligible for free school meals and would like a packed lunch provided for your child please let the office know. Please ensure the children have a coat that day as the weather is due to be cold.

Y6 Library Visit

Y6 pupils visited Huyton Library on Monday. They had a great afternoon with a session from a librarian and then had time to explore the library and look at all the lovely books they have on offer. All the children took away a form to become a member of the library also—great chance for the children to read loads of books for free!!!



Y5 Field Trip

Y5 took part in a geography field trip where they followed the path of the River Alt from its source at Huyton Wetlands to Hightown Beach.



Christmas Tree Dressing

It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas! We all had a lovely morning singing carols and Christmas songs whilst dressing the Christmas tree. All the children and staff came up and placed a bauble on the tree.




Christmas Draw

All children have been given a Christmas draw card to bring home. Please returned cards completed with any entries and money to the school office. The draw will be made during the last week of term.



Attendance

Well done to **Year 4** who have won the attendance this week.

R	97.3%
Y1	95.5%
Y2	97.7%
Y3	95.3%
 Y4	98.5%
Y5	89.5%
Y6	94.3%

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

Our school target is **97%**

Our overall school attendance for this week is 94.9%
Green met the target or exceeded, yellow just below, red is below and must be improved.

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	Pizza or salmon fish fingers	Packed lunches	Lasagne with Garlic bread	Roast Turkey Dinner	Fish & Chips

Next week:

- Whole school pantomime 5th December
- Parents evening Tuesday 5th December
- Y3/4 attending Advent Service at the Cathedral (Wednesday 6th December)
- Parents Evening Thursday 7th December
- CLC session for Y5 & Y6 (Friday 8th December)

Have a Lovely Weekend
Keep Safe and God Bless
Ms McIlroy