



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

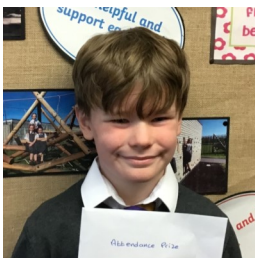


Well done to these lucky children whose tickets were drawn this week.

Reception— Millie
Year 1— Phoebe
Year 2— Connie
Year 3— Arron
Year 4— Gracie
Year 5— Sophia
Year 6— Frankie P

Well done to Zlata from Y4 who won the half-termly raffle and picked a new book from the book hamper.

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 Blake in Year 3 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 every day next week.

100% Punctuality Winner

Well done to Theo in Reception who won the 100% Punctuality Raffle.

Like the attendance raffle, we start fresh every week — so you could still be in with a chance if you are in school on time every day next week.

Good Luck!

Spirit of '71

St Joseph's has been very lucky to be included in a local programme looking at the cultural heritage of the Huyton area. It will commemorate more than 50 years since Huyton Boys team famously won the English School's FA Cup in 1971 - the first non-city team to do so. Y6 will take part in this programme on Monday 10th, Tuesday 11th and Wednesday 13th June. We ask the children to come into school on these days in their PE kits as it will be a very active start to the week.



The week will involve lots of workshops on healthy living, exercise and eating healthy as well as concentrating on mental health and well-being. Y6 will also look at local history with the help of the library archive and will research the town in which they live. The last day will include a celebration of Huyton and those pupils who have gone on to achieve great careers.

St Joseph's Catholic Primary School in the Parish.



Prayer and Liturgy

Our prayer and Liturgy focus this week is : *God's Kingdom*

Mass times at St Agnes and St Aidan's Church this weekend

Saturday 25th May 2024: 5:30pm

Sunday 26th May 2024: 9:30am & 11:00am



Our RE topic is : Reconciliation

St Joseph pray for us and our Parish—St Joseph pray for us.

Dates for Next Half Term

A very busy half-term ahead!

12th June	Skateboarding workshops for Y1 to Y6.
14th June	Special police constable Hazel's workshop on fingerprints Y1 & Y2
18th June	KS2 Sports Day—9:10 start
19th June	Y6 Judo session on staying safe
20th June	EYS & KS1 Sports Day—9:20 start
25th June	New Reception starters (2024) Reception Meeting 2pm
27th June	Y5 Good Shepherd Mass at the Cathedral am
27th June	Special constable Hazel workshop on Anti-Social Behaviour Y6
1st July	Week beginning 1/7/24 Y3 swimming Mon-Thur
3rd July	Class photos
8th July	Week beginning 8/7/24 Y3 swimming Mon—Thur
17th July	Y6 Leavers Mass 9:10 (Parents welcome)
18th July	Prize Giving Assembly 2pm
19th July	Y6 Leavers Assembly 9:15 (Parents welcome)
24th July	Finish for summer 1:30
24th July	Y6 Finish for Summer 1:40

Please be aware that some dates may need to be changed due to unforeseen circumstances (such as weather) but we will inform you as soon as we can of any changes.



Cricket Tournament

A huge congratulations to the pupils who represented St Joseph's at the cricket tournament on Tuesday. Pupils from Year 5 & 6 performed amazingly, winning 3 matches and drawing one, coming second in the group stage. Their attitude and determination made everybody proud—well done team!

Attendance



Well done to **Year 1 & Year 3** who have won the attendance this week.

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

Our school target is **97%**

Our overall school attendance for this week is 95.5%
Green met the target or exceeded, yellow just below, red is below and must be improved.

Please remember punctuality is as important as attendance please ensure your child in in school on time everyday.

	R	95.9%
	Y1	97.9%
	Y2	97%
	Y3	97.9%
	Y4	95%
	Y5	95.9%
	Y6	88.7%

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	Salmon Fishcake or Tomato Pasta	All day break- fast	Chicken Korma with Rice	Roast Chicken Dinner	Fish & Chips

Next week:

- Return to school—doors open 8:40 on **Monday 10th June**
- Special constable Hazel in to do a workshop on Fingerprints for Y1 & Y2 (14/6/24)
- Skateboarding workshops Y1-Y6 Wednesday 12th June

Keep Safe and God Bless

Ms McIlroy