



St Columba's Catholic Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers,
Please find below some items of news:

Attendance:

Our school target is **96%**; as you can see **Year 2** have reached this target and will be given extra play as a reward.

As they highest class in the school, they will also be given a lolly ice on Friday afternoon

Class	Percentage	Place	Class	Percentage	Place
Reception	93.7%	2nd	Year 3	93.7%	2nd
Year 1	89%	3rd	Year 4	90.2%	3rd
Year 2	97.3%	1st	Year 5	89.7%	4th
			Year 6	95.7%	1st

Please note that Mr. Murphy will be contacting families on the first day of absence, if school has not been informed of the reason for the absence. This is in order to ensure school can record an authorised absence for your child.

Health and Fitness Week:

I am sure that you will all agree that the children had a fantastic time last week. They took part in a variety of activities and practised their team work skills. This would not have been possible without the hard work of all the staff. Thank you to all. Hopefully, we will have

Text service:

This is now under way. We will use this service in case of emergencies, but also for any class news, or whole school news and information. Much thanks to the many families that have returned the contact forms. If you have not, could you please do so as a matter of urgency?

School uniform:

'Lisa's Schoolwear' are now selling our school uniform. The shop is located at 275 East Prescot Road, L14 2DB. You can telephone the shop on 0151 259 8277 to check that the uniform required is in stock.

Year 6 photograph:

We have booked in the photographer to do a class photograph for the year 6 on Thursday 7th July 2016

Industrial action, Tuesday 5th July 2016:

As you may have read in the press, the National Union of Teachers are planning industrial action on Tuesday 5th July. This will result in some classes being closed for that day. I will inform you as soon as I can of which classes they will be.

Parent Mentor:

Miss Lorraine can **sign post** parents for **benefit advice**, who are experiencing problems with their benefits or change of benefits. She will be also offering the **Solihull Parenting Course** in September. This will be introduced by the school's Educational Psychologist. Please contact Miss Lorraine if you are interested in attending this course.

www.stcolumbasknowsley.co.uk

Please visit our website. Key information is updated regularly. Our children are now writing their own blogs in order to keep you informed of the work they have been doing in class.

Child Protection:

Our Child Protection Co-ordinator is Miss M Evans. Our Deputy Child Protection Co-ordinator is Mrs Oprey.

Diary dates:

Date and time	Event
Wednesday 29th June 2016	Reception Class Assembly
Thursday 30th June 2016 Tuesday 5th July 2016	Year 1 class trip to Chester Zoo Year 2 class trip to Dobbies
Wednesday 6th July 2016	Year 5 to visit St Edmund of Arrowsmith
Friday 8th July 2016	Children's reports out to parents
Wednesday 13th July 2016	Year 6 end of year production.
Tuesday 19th July 2016	Prize Giving
Wednesday 20th July 2016	Year 6 Leaving Assembly
Thursday 21st July 2016 Thursday 21st July 2016	Nursery trip to Underwater Street End of Summer Term

Miss M Evans _____ (Headteacher)

