



ST COLUMBA'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Week Commencing 6th November 2017

PE Kits

Due to a number of children missing out on PE lessons, please can parents/carers ensure that your child brings their full kit into school with them every day. Children can leave PE kits in school if they would like to. A full PE kit must include: PE top, PE shorts and trainers or pumps
Children are not allowed to wear school shoes for PE lessons.

National School Dinners Week

As part of National School Dinners Week, each school get the chance to pick a hot meal from any nationality. Here at St Columba's, we have chosen 'The Best of British' because of remembrance day. Therefore, on Monday 13th November, the school meal will consist of scouse and apple pie with custard. The price of a hot lunch on Monday will be £1. If your child would like a hot lunch, please ensure they bring £1 in on Monday.

Parents Evening

Parents evening will be held on Tuesday 14th November 2017 and Wednesday 15th November for all year groups. Letters with further information have been given out to all children. Please send in the return slip for your child as soon as possible. All staff at St Columba's greatly enjoy getting a chance to show parents/carers how well the children are progressing through the year. We also find that parents evening is a good opportunity for parents/carers to express any worries or concerns that they may have. Therefore, please do your best to attend. You may also have the opportunity to meet with a member of the governing body, our parent mentor and our learning mentor. If you have any problems with your appointment, please contact your child's class teacher or speak to a member of staff in the school office.

We look forward to seeing you soon!

(Due to parents evening, all of Tuesdays after school clubs will be cancelled)



Don't forget
Parents'
Evening!

Year 4 Assembly

We would like to say a massive thank you to all of the families who attended the year 4 assembly on Thursday 2nd November. Your cooperation with the signing in procedures and keeping the small reception area clear is greatly appreciated in accordance with schools health and safety procedures.



Children in Need

On Friday 17th November, we are asking all children to come into school dressed in something spotty to support Children in Need. We are asking for parents to donate 50p per child or £1 per family on the day. All donations will go to the Children in Need Charity.



ATTENDANCE

This Weeks Maths Challenge

Above 97%	96% - 97%	Under 96%
Exceeding Target	On Target	Below Target
Class	Graded	%
Reception		95.5
Class 1		98.7
Class 2		91.3
Class 3		98.3
Class 4		96.3
Class 5		99.2
Class 6		88.1
WHOLE SCHOOL		95.6

Winners

The award for the best class goes to
Year 5 with 99.2%
WELL DONE!!



Punctuality

In total we had **49** pupils
arrive late to school last week.



Connect Four!

Addition

8	2	7	11	3	9	6
4	10	5	12	9	2	11
7	3	8	10	5	8	4
9	11	4	2	6	12	9
6	10	7	5	3	8	9
10	7	2	11	6	3	12

How To Play:

1. Roll two dice
2. Add the numbers
3. Cover the sum with your marker.
4. First player to get 4 in a row wins!

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AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

THURSDAY	DANCE	YEAR 3/4/5/6	3:15-4:15
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IMPORTANT DATES

<u>W/B 13th November 2017</u>	Parents Evening
<u>Monday 13th November</u>	National School Meal Day
<u>Thursday 23rd November</u>	Year5/6 Mass at St Columba's
<u>Thursday 14th December 2017</u>	Infant Christmas Play
<u>Friday 15th December 2017</u>	Christmas parties
<u>Tuesday 19th December</u>	9:15am School Carol Service in Church
<u>Wednesday 20th December</u>	School Christmas Dinner
<u>Thursday 21st December 2017</u>	Break for Christmas 2pm