



ST COLUMBA'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

Week Commencing 25th November 2019

Parent Meetings

Thank you to all parents who attended the Reading Meeting last week. We hope you found the meeting informative and interesting.

Following on from the Reading Meeting, Mrs Lewis will be holding a whole school Curriculum Meeting on **Tuesday 26th November at 2:30pm** in the school hall. We hope you can attend and we look forward to seeing you there. To confirm your attendance, please go to the consent forms tab on the school app.



Infant Nativity

We are very excited to announce that our infant classes will be performing an 'It's a Baby Nativity' on **Thursday 12th December**.

There will be a morning and an afternoon performance and tickets will be given to parents this week.

If you have any spare angel or shepherd costumes, we would be very grateful if we could borrow them for rehearsals and the performance.

We look forward to seeing you there!



Christmas Jumper Day

Children are welcome to attend school wearing a Christmas jumper or t-shirt on Friday 13th December.

We will be accepting £1.00 per child and £2.00, per family donations for wearing a Christmas item and all money raised will be split between Save the Children and St Columba School Fund.



Trips

We hope Year 5 and Year 2 are excited for their trips to Weaver Hall Museum this week!

Year 5 will be going on Tuesday 26th November.

Year 2 will be going on Friday 29th November.

Please ensure that your child arrives to school on time as the coach will be leaving at 9:00am, sharp. Children are due to return to school in time for the end of the school day.



PART OF
**WEST CHESHIRE
MUSEUMS**

Messages

Due to staffing and time constraints, the school office will NOT be able to take messages or belongings, to give to children, after 12:00pm. Please give your child all relevant information and belongings before they leave for school.

If you need to inform school that someone different will be picking your child up, please do so before 12:00pm.

Blitzen Bear Raffle Tickets

Raffle tickets for Blitzen Bear are available to purchase during break and lunch time for £1.00



ATTENDANCE

Above 97%	96% - 97%	Under 96%
Exceeding Target	On Target	Below Target
Class	Graded	%
Nursery		90.5
Reception		86
Class 1		86.9
Class 2		97.6
Class 3		92.7
Class 4		97
Class 5		94.9
Class 6		98
WHOLE SCHOOL		93.2

Winners

The award for the best class goes to Class 6 with an amazing 98%. **WELL DONE to all children and parents/carers!!**



This Weeks Maths Challenge

$$7745 + 2321 = \boxed{}$$

Recommended Reads

The Lost Diary of Sami Star
Hannah's parents seem to have forgotten her, and school isn't going well. Then she finds Sami Star's journal in the park. Who is Sami? Can Hannah unpick the clues in the diary to find her?



Once Upon a River

Beguiling and multi-faceted, the latest novel from the author of *The Thirteenth Tale* brings together a winning cast of characters around the meandering Thames, each drawn into a mystery that reopens old wounds and lays to rest unburied ghosts. There's much to enjoy in Setterfield's ability to spin a deeply satisfying and richly told story and *Once Upon a River* contains just the right balance of the sweet and the bitter, along with a clever and satisfying playfulness with the traditions of storytelling itself.

Weekly Attendance Information

Here are some of the vouchers that are up for grabs in our 7 Weeks of Christmas Attendance Initiative which will run from 04/11/19 to 20/12/19.



AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

MONDAY	HIIT STEP CLASS	YEAR 3/4/5/6	3:15-4:15
TUESDAY	DODGEBALL	YEAR 3/4/5/6	3:15-4:15
WEDNESDAY	CHOIR	YEAR 3/4/5/6	3:15—4:00
WEDNESDAY	BASKET BALL	YEAR 3/4	3:15-4:15
THURSDAY	ART CLUB	YEAR 5/6	3:15-4:15



IMPORTANT DATES



TUESDAY 26TH NOVEMBER 2019	YEAR 2 TRIP
TUESDAY 26TH NOVEMBER 2019	CURRICULUM PARENT MEETING
FRIDAY 29TH NOVEMBER 2019	YEAR 5 TRIP
FRIDAY 29TH NOVEMBER 2019	NURSERY CHRISTMAS CARD MAKING & PERFORMANCE