



St. Joseph's Catholic Primary School

# NEWSLETTER

22nd October 2021



## Stars of the Week



Harry, Riley-Jay, Harry, Freddie



George, Evan, Frankie, Logan



Hussein, Paige, Kye, Theo



Charlie, Ellis, Summer, Isla H



Mackenzie, Harry, Barney, George

## Harvest Thanksgiving

Thank you to St Oscar Romero Class for leading us in a celebration of Harvest.

Thank you to all our families for your generous donations to Cafod and the local foodbank.



## The Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal

Poppies & wristbands  
will be for sale in  
school after half term.



## Dates

- 1st Nov Non-pupil day
- 2nd Nov Autumn second half term starts
- 8th Nov Swimming - St Teresa ( 6 weeks)
- 8th-11th Nov England Rocks! Competition
- 12th Nov BBC Children in Need appeal



There have been a number of issues with traffic outside the school recently, Francis reported 11 vehicles driving past on the wrong side of the road in one afternoon. We have been in touch with the local community Police team and requested that they do spot checks at key times. Could we please ask that all parents/carers park sensibly and within the law. **Let's keep our children and Francis safe.**

"...our love is not to be  
just words or mere  
talk, but something  
real and active..."<sup>1</sup>

John 3:18



Live, learn and love in a caring Catholic community.

## Parent Consultations



Thank you to all the parents who engaged in online consultations with your child's teacher. Good communication between home and school is the key to success.

## Anti-bullying

Find out more by clicking the logo or visiting <https://uk.kivaprogram.net/what-is-kiva/>



## APPLYING FOR A SECONDARY SCHOOL PLACE

Applications for year 7 in September 2022 opened on **1 September 2021**. You can [apply online at the Citizens Portal](#).

**The closing date is 31 October each year.** You can apply after this date, but applications will be considered late and may be at a disadvantage.

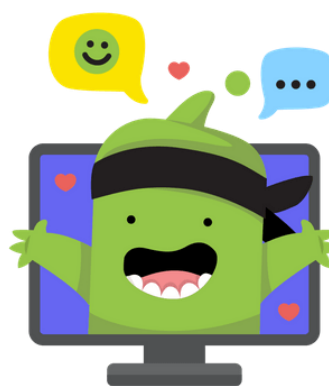
Would you benefit from a Christmas Hamper from the foodbank?



If you feel you would like to be nominated to receive a Foodbank Christmas Hamper, please contact Mrs Hobart. Their hampers are full of Christmas fair and the usual foodbank items – they tailor their hampers according to family numbers and age range.

## KEEP IN TOUCH

Please contact Mrs Hobart via ClassDojo or phone everyday when your child is **absent**, or for advice if your child has **Coronavirus symptoms**.



## Times Tables

We're taking part in the biggest times tables competition for schools in England. The competition will run from Monday 8th November 2021 to Thursday 11th November 2021!

Watch out for details on ClassDojo.

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Kelly Dunne: Headteacher

**St. Joseph's School is committed to safeguarding children.**

Designated Child Protection Officer: Kelly Dunne Deputy Child Protection Officer: Emma Wilson

Named Governor for Child Protection: Stephen Riedlinger