

PE KIT

Following discussions with some parents, staff and governors, we have made the decision to trial children coming to school in their P.E kit on their P.E days. This is to alleviate any issues children have about changing and it will also mean they have longer for their actual P.E session. We will start this from Monday next week. The children will take home their PE kits today.

Currently, Nursery are settling in and will do any P.E in their normal uniform.

The P.E days are as follows :

Reception - Thursday

Year 1 -Tuesday and Thursday

Year 2 - Wednesday and Friday

Year 3 - Monday and Friday

Year 4- Monday and Wednesday

Year 5 - Tuesday and Wednesday

Year 6 - Wednesday and Friday

EXCEPTION: This coming Wednesday 23rd, we will be having our Mercy Mass and the Caritas Ambassadors and the Prayer Leaders will be receiving a blessing at Mass. Please could they attend school in their winter uniform.

Children should wear navy shorts, a white T-shirt and trainers. They will also wear their cardigan or jumper on top throughout the day. No other sports attire is permitted as it is still uniform. On colder days, the children can wear jogging bottoms which should also be plain black or navy with no logos.

MERCY MASS

As mentioned, on Wednesday 23rd September at 9.00am we will celebrate our Mercy Mass. Parents and family members are all welcome to attend. Pupils from Yr 2-6 will attend and our Caritas Ambassadors will help lead the Mass. We hope that you can join us.

OFSTED MEETING

I have attached the slides that I created for the Ofsted meeting that took place on Tuesday night. As we are due an inspection this year, I felt that it was important for you to learn about the changes to the inspection. Please take the time to read the slides and watch the video.

Thank you to the parents who completed the online survey. I have included all the data from the survey in the slides and some of the comments that were made. There were so many therefore, I have only added a few. I have also added some of the areas for development, which we will work on.

This week and last, I conducted a survey with the pupils in Years 2-6. I have not collated all the data yet, but at glance, I am pleased to say that an overwhelming majority of the children are happy at school and they feel safe, which is always good to hear. The vast majority also said that they had not seen any bullying in our school, or if they did see any unkindness, that teachers dealt with it quickly.

As always, if you are ever concerned about anything, please speak with your class teacher first of all and if the issues cannot be rectified, please make an appointment to firstly see Mrs Gallaher and finally myself. We always prefer to deal with issues rather than letting them fester, so please make contact so that any issues can be addressed.



CATHOLIC LIFE

WEDNESDAY WORD

The Wednesday Word is a gift to families because of their connection with a Catholic school.

Every Wednesday a 'word', inspired by the coming Sunday's Gospel, will be suggested for families to talk about in the home. The *Wednesday Word* Family Time leaflet presents an opportunity for even the busiest of parents to enrich relationships with their children through spending a very special 10 minutes together each week.

Follow the link to find this week's Wednesday Word: <https://wednesdayword.org/home/index.htm>

MARK 10 MISSION

Please follow the link for this week's Mark 10 Mission for you to share with the children. The Little Liturgies videos are age appropriate. <https://www.themark10mission.co.uk/the-little-liturgies>

WELL DONE TO OUR WINNERS!!!

AWARDS THIS WEEK ARE

HOUSE POINTS - CONGRATULATIONS ST LUKE!!

St Luke = 232

St Mark = 189

St John = 181

St Matthew = 145

Class		
Reception	Veronika	Zari
Year 1	Rory	Mushang
Year 2	Violet	Rhea
Year 3	Habibur	Ryan
Year 4	Enoh	Mia
Year 5	Dollcie-Anna	Xander
Year 6	Skylar	Ivy

IMPORTANT UPCOMING DATES

- Wednesday 23rd September @ 9.00am - Mercy Mass - Parents welcome
- Friday 25th September @ 9.15am - Open morning for new Nursery or Reception children in Sept 2027

DATES FOR THE DIARY FOR THE WHOLE SCHOOL YEAR ARE ON THE SCHOOL WEBSITE

[Click here](#)

Have a great weekend everyone.

Many thanks,

Mrs Porter