

The Walburga Weekly



Putting Others First
Let no-one seek his own good
but the good of his neighbour
(1 Corinthians 10:24)



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The Word

Last week, in the Gospel, we heard a parable telling us how we should act towards each other. A servant was freed from a debt by his master but then went on to punish someone who had a debt with him. Jesus reminded us of seeing the dignity in one another and treating others how we would like to be treated. This fits perfectly both with our Mission statement and the theme of encounter - how do we act with each other?



Our Virtue winners

I am a lifelong learner

I am excited and enthusiastic to learn.

Saif - Reception

Emilia - Year 1

Evelyn - Year 2

Laurie - Year 3

Florence - Year 4

Lucas - Year 5

Daniel - Year 6

Attendance

Attendance at school makes a huge difference to your child's education. Please ensure your child attends school every day when they are well.

Class	This week	Overall	Whole school
Preschool	98%	95%	This week
Reception	96%	97%	97%
Year 1	97%	98%	
Year 2	97%	97%	
Year 3	99%	98%	
Year 4	96%	98%	97%
Year 5	97%	97%	
Year 6	98%	98%	



If you need to request absence in term time, these will only be authorised in exceptional circumstances. Please complete the form [here](#), in line with school policy.

Meetings with Mrs Fearnley or Mrs Higgins will take place to discuss your individual case.



Please follow our Facebook page:

St Walburga's Catholic Primary School

Coming up soon



We will soon be issuing the extra-curricular clubs that will be available for your child to choose to attend. Look out for the letter!



The first class assembly of the year will be on Wed 30th Sept our Reception children will be introduced by their buddies.



Year 5 will celebrate their Class Saint day on Monday 12th October - more details to follow...

Diary Dates:

Tuesday 22 nd September	New starters Years 1, 3, 4 and 6 Years 1 and 2	Coffee morning in the hall from 9:00-10:00 Life Caravan workshops Diocesan Choir - Miss Daly
Wednesday 23 rd September	Years 5 and 6 Faith Leaders Years 2 and 5 Reception, Years 1, 2 and 6	Mini Vinnie commissioning Mass - Leeds Cathedral Life Caravan workshops PE - please come to school in PE kit
Thursday 24 th September	Year 2 Year 5	PE - please come to school in PE kit Swimming - please bring kit
Friday 25 th September	Years 3 and 4 Years 1, 3, 4, 5 and 6	Art Day with Mr Bullock PE - please come to school in PE kit

School lunches

Please note the price increase from £2.20 to £2.30 for Reception to Year 6 and £2.10 to £2.20 for Preschool.

Our Merit winners

Very well done to all our children who have been recognised for their hard work and effort. More details on the website...

Reception - Isobelle

Year 1 - Caleb

Year 2 - Ayaan

Year 3 - Kiyaan

Year 4 - Zakariya

Year 5 - Dawud

Year 6 - Bea



Our Mission Models

Our Mission Merits are awarded to children who live out our mission of Putting Others First based on the scripture:

1 Corinthians 10:24.

This week's winners are:

James, Minha, Pippa, Bobby, Olivia, Yara, Shonagh

Well done and thank you to you all!

Next week's lunch menu

Week 1

Drive carefully!



We ask all drivers to consider the safety of our children and other pedestrians when travelling in the vicinity of school.

- Consider parking further away and making the last part of your journey on foot.
- Drive slowly!
- Please do not drive up the cul-de-sac near school as there is no parking available there.
- Keep off double yellow lines and areas where parking is restricted.



School uniform



The children have returned to school looking very smart in their uniforms. Just a couple of reminders:

- please ensure that names are written in to clothes - particularly jumpers and coats that are often removed
- jewellery should not be worn apart from small stud earrings or a religious cross or Sikh Khara
- Nail varnish and make up are not permitted
- Socks should be plain and dark grey, dark blue, white or black
- shoes should be black

