



St. Stephen's Catholic Primary School

Weekly Newsletter: Friday 26th April 2024

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Celebrating our gifts, talents and achievements...

Stars of the Week:			Proud Work of the Week:		
	YR	Amy		YR	Alex
	Y1	Avie		Y1	Mya
	Y2	Mikaeil		Y2	Laura
	Y3	Olivia		Y3	Bella
	Y4	Whole Class		Y4	Ailish
	Y5	Lamiya		Y5	Clement
	Y6	Demi		Y6	Sophia



Rainbow Champions



R: Teddy, Jacob, Amy, Elizah, Theo, Corey, Sienah, Marie, Alex, Leona, Bennett, Max, Nova

Y1: Annalease, Kai, Mya, Lilly, Corey, Olivia W, Brooklyn, Hunter, Dawid

Y2: Mason, Sienna, Gillian, Roman, Madison, Barbora, Maisy, Elizabeth, Rhys S, Mathias

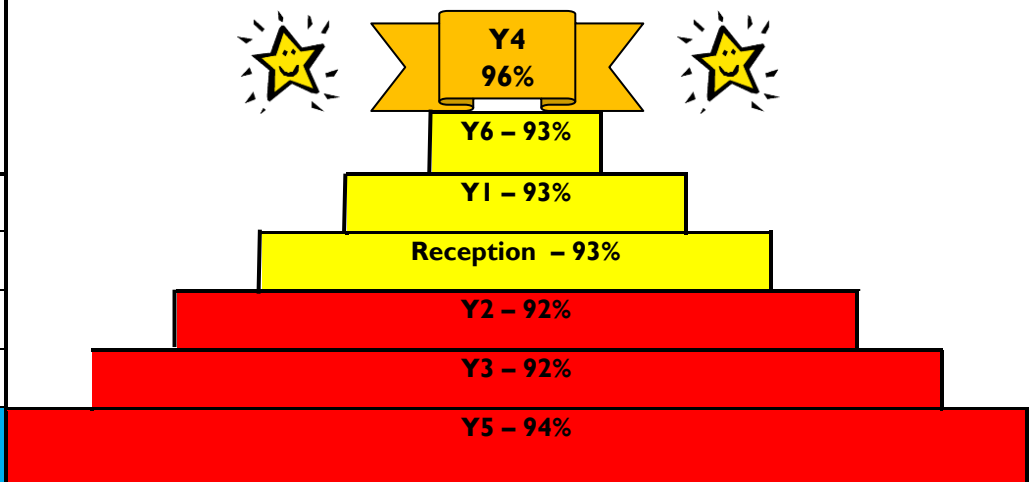
Y3: Ruby, Hallie, Szymon, Alfie, Max, Bradley

Y4: Jakub, Natalia, Alfie, Hattie, Emily, Lucas, Sebastian, Ailish, Phoebe, Darcey, Jaxon O, Natalia, Zac, Jaxon V, Logan, Mete

Y5: Alice, Jake, Flynn, Victoria B, Kasia, Harry War

Y6: Codie, Olivia, Dominik

 Attendance Matters	
Every student. Every day.	
98-100%	Excellent
96-97%	Good
93-95%	Needs to Improve
90-92%	Cause for Concern
Our attendance target is: 97%	



School News...

Reading Champs	Y1 & Y5 Forest Skills	RE Newsletter
<p>This week's reading champs are:</p> <p>Reception: Nova Year 1: Niamh Year 2: Harper Year 3: Frankie Year 4: Mete Year 5: Bianka Year 6: Amelia-Rose P</p> <p>Reading champs will take home their trophy for the weekend but must return it to school on Monday.</p>	<p>Years 1 and 5 will have their next Forest Skills session this Monday 29th April. This session will take place on Monday regardless of the weather.</p> <p>Therefore, for these sessions, pupils are to wear old clothes that parents/carers don't mind getting muddy or dirty. Children can wear old trainers or wellies but must bring a change of footwear in to change into after their outdoor session.</p> <p>It is essential that your child wears a waterproof coat in order to take part especially during this cold spell of weather we are experiencing.</p>	<p>Mrs O'Regan, our RE leader in school, sends home our Summer Term RE newsletter alongside today's newsletter. It provides information on what your child will be covering in Come and See lessons between now and the summer holidays. All classes will cover topics on the themes of Pentecost, Reconciliation, Other World Faiths and Universal Church.</p> <p>We will celebrate the Ascension of Jesus Christ with a Mass in church with Father John on Thursday 9th May at 10.45am. Families are welcome to join us for this celebration. Year 5 will present their Come and See assembly on Friday 10th May at 9.15am. Year 1 will celebrate their RE learning with a special assembly on Friday 21st June at 9.15am. Parents/carers are welcome to join us for these assemblies in school.</p>
Y4 Residential	Earth Day 2024	Conduct
<p>Well done to Y4 who represented St. Stephen's superbly during their residential trip to Winmarleigh Hall earlier this week. Miss Price, Mrs Georgiou and Mrs Bishop were full of praise for the children for their excellent behaviour, manners and attitude throughout the trip.</p> <p>The children showed great maturity, independence and resilience tackling new activities and developing their team work skills. They were very brave as for lots of children it was their first time away from home. We are proud of each and everyone of you - you are a credit to your families and our school!</p>	<p>This week in our whole school collective worship we began by reflecting on Earth Day 2024. We considered the damage that is being done to our planet and how we can play our part in helping to protect and maintain our wonderful planet. This helped us to agree that our Gospel Value this week will be caring for the planet and caring for each other. Mr Hatton also shared with the children how we will be focusing on a brand new initiative as of this term called 'Live Simply'. The project has clear links to caring for and sustaining our planet in any small way that we can! More info to follow soon.</p>	<p>We would like to remind families about the expected conduct of grown ups in and around school due to an increasing number of complaints from parents and staff:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Please refrain from using inappropriate language at/around the school gates and on the playground around the children. ● Staff are to be spoken to in person and via telephone in a calm, respectful manner as this will always be reciprocated on school's part. ● Any concerns or complaints of unacceptable behaviour will lead to potential bans from the school premises and playgrounds.
Summer Term After School Clubs begin next week!		
<p>All after school clubs begin next week and will run until the week ending Friday 12th July from 3.15 - 4.00pm. Thank you to the staff and sports coaches who will be giving up their time to run the clubs and thank you to our children who have signed up for clubs. We ask that pupils who have signed up for clubs attend every week otherwise two or more missed sessions will lead to the place being revoked and the next child on the waiting list for a club will be offered a place. Y1-6 Football Club resumes as usual next Friday and pupils who attended last term are welcome to continue attending the club. Newcomers must confirm their attendance with Mrs Bellis in the office so they can be added to the registers as this club is not available to book via the school app.</p>		

Summer Term Diary Dates 2024



Date	Time	Event
29/4/24	All day	Y1 & 5 Forest School
29/4/24	All week	Summer Term after school clubs begin this week
6/5/24	All day	Bank Holiday Monday - school closed
14/5/24	5.00-7.00pm	Full Governing Body Meeting
9/5/24	10.45am	Ascension Mass at church
10/5/24	9.15am	Y5 Come and See Assembly
13/5/24	All week	KS2 SATs Week
13/5/24	All day	Y2 & 4 Forest School
18/5/24	11am	Y4 Holy Communion Mass
24/5/24	1.00-3.15pm	Sports Day afternoon with parents/carers
24/5/24	3.15pm	School closes for Whit holidays
10/6/24	8.45am	School reopens to all pupils
10/6/24	All week	Y1 Phonics Screening Week
10/6/24	All week	Y4 Multiplication Check Week
17/6/24	All day	Y3 & 6 Forest School
17/6/24	All day	Y5 Taster Day at Cardinal Newman
21/6/24	9.15am	Y1 Come and See Assembly
24/6/24 - 26/6/24	All day	Y6 Residential Trip to Kingswood
28/6/24	All day	Warrington Walking Day
1/7/24	All day	Y1 & Y5 Forest School
2/7/24	Morning only	Tempest Photography Class Photos
3/7/24	All day	Y6 High School Transition Day 1
4/7/24	All day	Y6 High School Transition Day 2
8/7/24	All day	Y2 & Y4 Forest School
10/7/24	10.45am	Y6 Leavers' Mass at Church
18/7/24	5.00-7.00pm	Y6 Leavers' Disco in School
23/7/24	9.30am	Prize Assembly
23/7/24	3.15pm	School closes for Summer holidays



We are on Week 3 of the menu next week.

SCHOOL MEALS

Available daily as an alternative: - Filled jacket potatoes and a selection of sandwiches served with vegetables, a dessert and drink. An alternative dessert from a selection of seasonal fresh fruit, fruit yoghurt, sreen and cheese & biscuits
Available daily - Unlimited fresh salad and wholemeal bread, drinking water or fresh milk.



Week One

Meat Free Monday

- Homemade Macaroni Cheese
- Vegetarian Sausage Roll
baked diced potatoes and beans
- Strawberry Ripple Ice Cream Roll

Tuesday

- Roast Gammon
served with sage and onion stuffing
Creamed & roast potatoes,
Carrots and swede batons
And gravy
- Cooks choice curry served with 50/50 rice

- Fresh Fruit Segments
or yoghurt

Wednesday

- Pork Sausage with creamed potatoes, gravy served
with seasonal fresh carrots and peas

- Cheese Panini served with
Coleslaw, sweetcorn and salad

- Homemade Sponge Cake

Thursday

- Pasta Bake
Served with seasonal vegetables

- Homemade Cheese Fian served with baked jacket
wedges
Sweetcorn and salad

- Jelly and Fruit

Friday

- Oven baked Fish Fingers
served with chunky chipped potatoes, garden peas or
baked beans

- Crumb Coated Chicken served with chunky chipped
potatoes, garden peas or baked beans

- Homemade Shortbread Biscuit

Week Two

Meat Free Monday

- Margarita Pizza
served with baked jacket wedges
and sweetcorn

- Homemade Oven Baked Omelette
served with jacket wedges
baked beans and fresh spinach

- Raspberry Ripple Ice Cream Roll

Tuesday

- Roast Turkey with
sage and onion stuffing
served with roast & creamed potatoes,
seasonal fresh carrots and broccoli
and gravy

- Chilli Beef served with 50/50 rice

- Fresh Fruit Salad or
Yoghurt

Wednesday

- Cooks choice homemade pie
Served with baby new potatoes, mixed country
vegetables

- Spicy Quorn served with savoury rice
And mixed country vegetables

- Jelly and Fruit

Thursday

- Homemade Spaghetti Bolognese
served with garden peas

- Vegetarian curry served with 50/50 rice

- Sponge cake

Friday

- Oven baked Battered Salmon
served with chunky chipped potatoes
garden peas or baked beans

- Chicken goujons
Served with chunky chipped potatoes
garden peas or baked beans

- Homemade cooks choice Biscuit

Week Three

Meat Free Monday

- Homemade Tomato and Mascarpone Pasta Bake
served with seasonal vegetables

- Quorn Nuggets with baked herby diced
Potatoes, and sweetcorn

- Chocolate Ice Cream Roll

Tuesday

- Roast Chicken
sage & onion stuffing served with gravy,
roast & creamed potatoes,
seasonal fresh carrot and cabbage

- Vegetarian Burger in a bun
Baked wedged potatoes and fresh salad

- Fresh Fruit Segments or
Yoghurt

Wednesday

- Chicken Tikka Masala served with 50/50 rice

- Pizza
served with fresh salad and coleslaw

- Sponge Cake

Thursday

- Pork Meatballs in homemade tomato and basil
sauce served with wholemeal pasta and garden peas

- Twice Baked Jacket Potatoes
With cheese and onion
Served with baked beans

- Jelly and Fruit

Friday

- Chicken Poppers
Served with chunky chipped potatoes,
garden peas or baked beans

- Oven baked Battered Fish served with chunky
chipped potatoes, garden peas or baked beans

- Homemade Cookie or Biscuit

Menu cycle week one: 31st Oct, 21st Nov, 12th Dec, 9th Jan,
30th Jan, 20th Feb, 13th Mar, 3rd Apr, 24 Apr, 15th May, 5th Jun,
26th Jun, 17th July.

Menu cycle week two: 7th Nov, 28th Nov, 19th Dec, 16th Jan,
6th Feb, 27th Feb, 20th Mar, 10th Apr, 1st May, 22nd May, 12th Jun,
3rd July, 24th July

Menu cycle week three: 14th Nov, 5th Dec, 2nd Jan, 23rd Jan,
13th Feb, 6th Mar, 27th Mar, 17th Apr, 8th May, 29th May, 19th Jun,
10th July.

School Menu Autumn/Winter 2022-2023

- = Vegetarian = Vegetarian substitute available
Lunch will be served with fresh milk or drinking water.
All homemade dishes contain additional vegetables.

For allergen and dietary help please contact school meals
helpdesk on 01925 443082 or visit our website
www.warrington.gov.uk/schoolmeals



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Wasps Breakfast Club at
St Stephen's Catholic Primary School.

If you are interested in securing a place at St Stephen's Wasps please make contact with head office on 01925 818689 or info@waspschildcare.co.uk to request the relevant registration information.

Services delivered are Breakfast club. All prices are per child per day.

St Stephen's Wasps delivers care for the following schools.

St Stephen's Catholic Primary School

Breakfast club	7.30am - 9am	£ 6.35
	8.00am - 9am	£ 5.80

Children are dropped off at the club and then after the breakfast session are escorted to their classrooms by Wasps staff.

Children will engage in a variety of fun, stimulating and educational indoor and outdoor activities during their time with us.

Holiday club care is also available throughout all school holidays at either our Bruche Wasps, Our Lady's Wasps or Sankey Wasps sites. Further details can be provided on request.



Care • Play
Motivation • Creative
Stimulate • Nurture
Outdoor • Adventure
Inclusive • Development

Link Clubs & Nurseries

Wasps Link Clubs and Nurseries Ltd (incorporating Wasps Care Ltd / Sankey Wasps Ltd)
Link Club: 01925 818685 Nursery: 01925 259367 Enquiry@waspschildcare.co.uk www.waspschildcare.co.uk



Holiday Dates 2023/24

	Open	Close	No. of Days
Autumn Half Term 1	Wednesday 6 th September 2023	Friday 27 th October 2023	38
Autumn Half Term 2	Monday 6 th November 2023	Wednesday 20 th December 2023	33
Spring Half Term 1	Thursday 4 th January 2024	Friday 9 th February 2024	27
Spring Half Term 2	Monday 19 th February 2024	Thursday 28 th March 2024	29
Summer Half Term 1	Wednesday 10 th April 2024	Friday 24 th May 2024	32
Summer Half Term 2	Monday 10 th June 2024	Tuesday 23 rd July 2024	31
			TOTAL: 190

School closed: Bank Holiday Monday - Monday 6th May 2024

INSET Days: School closed for pupils

- Monday 4th September 2023
- Tuesday 5th September 2023
- Wednesday 3rd January 2024
- Friday 28th June 2024 – Warrington Walking Day (TBC)
- Wednesday 24th July 2024

ST. STEPHEN'S CATHOLIC



PRIMARY SCHOOL

Holiday Dates 2024/25

	Open	Close	No. of Days
Autumn Half Term 1	Wednesday 4 th September 2024	Friday 18 th October 2024	33
Autumn Half Term 2	Monday 28 th October 2024	Thursday 19 th December 2024	39
Spring Half Term 1	Monday 6 th January 2025	Friday 14 th February 2025	30
Spring Half Term 2	Monday 24 th February 2025	Wednesday 9 th April 2025	33
Summer Half Term 1	Tuesday 22 nd April 2025	Friday 23 rd May 2025	23
Summer Half Term 2	Monday 9 th June 2025	Wednesday 23 rd July 2025	32
			TOTAL: 190

School closed: Bank Holiday Monday - Monday 5th May 2025

INSET Days: School closed for pupils

- Monday 2nd September 2024
- Tuesday 3rd September 2024
- Friday 20th December 2024
- Friday 27th June 2025 – Warrington Walking Day (TBC)
- Thursday 24th July 2025