



Mrs Carr's Newsletter

20th November 2023



Our mission

St Joseph's is a place of learning, where we grow in faith and feel safe, loved and encouraged each day.

We value everyone, knowing that we are stronger when we work together.

Through the virtues, we show care and respect for our families, friends, neighbours and our Common Home.

We try to live like Jesus, With God and Saint Joseph by our side.

School Rules



Be ready



Be respectful



Be safe

Winter Uniform

(after October half-term holiday until Easter holidays)

White shirt/blouse with
a school tie

Nursery children -
burgundy polo shirt

Mid-grey
trousers/skirt/pinafore
dress

School jumper/cardigan

With trousers - dark,
plain socks

With skirt/dress - grey
tights or socks

Black shoes

Uniform Policy

No jewellery should be worn other than a watch and stud earrings.

There should be no nail varnish or make-up.

Long hair should be tied back in a plain headband or bobble.

All children need to bring a coat to school when the weather is cold for play times.

Please make sure that all clothes are labelled.

PE Uniform

Plain or school branded white t shirt

Plain black shorts or joggers/plain black PE leggings/plain black tracksuit trousers

Dark coloured trainers or black plimsols

School jumper/cardigan/hoodie

Reminders



Please could I remind you that we are a healthy school



If your child brings a snack for break time it must be a healthy snack please (fruit, cereal bar/rice cakes, etc – not crisps or chocolate)



Water in drinks bottles please



Punctuality reminder

If your child arrives after the doors to school have closed (children in after the Daily Mile) they will need to be signed-in on the electronic system in the main entrance to school by an adult please.

This is to ensure the ultimate safety of our pupils as class registers will have closed by this point.

Homework

Parents who take a supportive role in their children's learning, make a difference in improving achievement and behaviour.

Please support and encourage your child to complete the weekly tasks/activities.

If you have any questions/need guidance or support, please just ask.

Homework will be given out on Friday and must be handed in by the following Tuesday please.

Weekly homework

Reading - to form part of your child's weekly homework, we would like them to read to an adult at least three times a week and have their reading-record dated and signed. If your child completes this every week, they will earn a raffle ticket for an exciting draw at the end of the half-term (the first prize is cinema tickets!)

Spellings - your child will be given a set of weekly spellings to practice

Maths - your child will be given a weekly Maths activity to consolidate learning

End of term homework - will be project based to celebrate learning in the wider curriculum subjects



Parents Evening

- Tuesday 28th November
- Wednesday 29th November

Bookings will be released tomorrow



Christmas Jumper Day

Thursday 7th December

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Whole School Choral Poetry Competition

Friday 8th December

More details to follow soon



Whole School Trip to Winter Wonderland

Wednesday 13th December



Infant nativity

Tuesday 19th December 1:45pm

Wednesday 20th December 5:30pm

Nursery, Reception, Y1 and Y2 pupils

All children to attend both performances please

Tickets will be allocated to families in the coming weeks

INSET Day

Friday 22nd December



Back to school

Monday 8th January 2024





Social Media

Keep up-to-date with celebrations of the amazing things that are happening at Saint Joseph's via Facebook & Twitter



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Inspire each other – Grow together!