



St John's Catholic Primary School



Newsletter: Monday 22nd January 2018

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Battery Hunt!

The School Green team launched this initiative in assembly today and each child has been given a box in which to collect batteries for recycling. As a 'green' school we would like families to work on this together. There will be prizes!

Did you know it takes over 100 years for a battery to decompose and when they do the chemicals can pollute the soil?

Important information regarding late collection of children after school

There has been a new directive from the Local Authority regarding children who are not picked up at the end of the school day. If the school has not been able to establish communication with the parent or guardian listed on the contact forms by 4.30pm, the school is required to contact the Early Help Team or Social Worker to report this.

For After School Clubs finishing at 4.30pm the cut off time is 4.45pm, when contact with the Early Help Team will need to be made if we have not been able to establish communication with you.

Therefore, please ensure that if you are running late to pick your child up you call the Office as early as possible.

Outdoor PE kit

During this cold weather we advise you to provide your child with navy blue tracksuit bottoms, labelled clearly with their name.



Wednesday 24th January – Year 6 trip to the Bank of England

Thursday 25th January – Year 3 trip to the British Museum

Thursday 25th January – Year 1 Class Assembly

Tuesday 30th January – Year 5 trip to watch 'Bugsy Malone' production at St. Michael's College

Thursday 1st February – Year 3 Class Assembly

Friday 2nd February – 9am Friends of St. John's Coffee Morning and 3.30pm Second Hand Uniform Sale.

Thursday 8th February – Year 5 Class Assembly

Please remember that assemblies for parents begin promptly at 3pm as we cannot keep the children waiting. Therefore we advise that you arrive by 2.55pm at the latest.

If you are late you will not be allowed into the assembly as it is too disruptive.

Friends of St. John's



The Friends of St. John's are holding two events on Friday 2nd February 2018. The first is a Coffee Morning at 9am, please come along and meet the parents who are involved in supporting our school. All are welcome and they are always looking for new parents to join! The second event is a **Uniform** Sale after school. Please start to gather any unwanted or outgrown uniform that you would be happy to donate, which is in good condition.



Celebrating Success

KS1

The children in Year 1 and 2 have been working hard to develop their skills during PE. This week the children in Year 1 used bean bags to practise their throwing skills. The children had to keep their own scores as they travelled around the various stations. Activities such as this are great for children as they help them to stay fit, as well as giving them an opportunity to use Maths in action.



KS2

Year 6 thoroughly enjoyed performing their 'New Year's Resolutions' assembly on Thursday. With plenty of singing and dancing, we hope that all of the children at St John's went away feeling excited about the year ahead!



Attendance 09/01/18 - 19/01/18



- Reception – 97.04%
- Year 1 – 92.41%
- Year 2 – 95.77%
- Year 3 – 97.78%
- Year 4 – 95.73%
- Year 5 – 94.63%
- Year 6 – 98.08%



Well done to Year 6!

Stay warm on the PM school run and visit The Friends Of St John's

Hot Drinks Stall

Every Friday in January

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