



St John's Catholic Primary School



Newsletter: Monday 24th January 2022
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Catholic Life Committee Choose New Resources



Following an audit of religious icons and artefacts the Catholic Life Committee have given up their playtime to spend the annual budget choosing and ordering new resources for the class focal areas.

Mission Merits



As part of the Catholic Life Committees ongoing work in promoting the schools mission statement the children attend an assembly with a focus on a different aspect of the mission statement. Each week a new theme is explored. Last week we reflected on friendship and forgiveness and talked about what makes us good friends. For the remainder of the week, teachers look for examples of this in children's behaviour and they are rewarded with a Mission Merit during the following week's assembly



Feast Day of St. Johns Bosco

The 31st January is the Feast of John Bosco. To celebrate the children will be invited to wear their own clothes and take part in a talent show for a donation of £1 per child. The money raised will go towards the Catholic Children's Society.

The children have been taking part in auditions ahead of the much-anticipated talent show!



Please find the link below for this weeks Wednesday Word: <https://www.paperturn-view.com/uk/wednesday-word/good-news?pid=MTA101634&v=49.4>

School Uniform Policy

Please make sure your child is wearing the correct school uniform clearly marked with your child's name, this includes:

- Navy-blue coat
- Black leather type school shoes
- School tie
- Navy blue jumper or cardigan with the school crest

Earrings: Small plain stud ear-rings may be worn, but your child must be able to remove them independently for PE. Staff are not permitted to remove or insert earrings. Diamanté, crystals, gemstones or other decorative styles are not acceptable.

Free parent support for online safety and digital resilience

Parent Zone are continuing with fantastic webinars this term to support parents with keeping their child safe online. Sessions are open to all Southwark parents and carers.

Online Gaming: What you need to know
Thursday 27th January, 5pm-5:30pm
Explore the world of online gaming; the benefits, the risks, and when to log off.

Digital Wellbeing and Screen Time
Thursday 3rd February, 5pm-5:30pm
Managing screen time and helping your child's wellbeing.

Online risks, extremism and misinformation
Thursday 10th February, 5pm-5:30pm
"Digital resilience" parenting approach to keeping your child safer online.

Helping your child stay safer online
Thursday 24th February, 5pm-5:30pm
How you can help your child explore their online world safely.

Being Internet Brave
Thursday 3rd March, 5pm-5:30pm
Communicating with your child about online safety.

To sign up, visit:
<https://www.pzlocal.org.uk/events>
or scan the QR code



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The Family Fund

We would like to thank all the families that have contributed to the family fund. If you haven't yet made your donation, please do so as soon as possible. Those that do not contribute will be paying a higher rate for any 'extras' that the school provides after half term. This will include:

- After School and Breakfast club
- After School Activity Clubs
- Music lessons
- Opportunities that the school subsidises

Unwell Children

As a school; an educational establishment, we simply do not have the facilities or the staff to care for unwell children.

If your child has a new cough, high temperature, loss or change to sense of smell or taste the rules continue to be the same. You will need to source a PCR test.

Please do not send poorly children to school because you have 'things to do'!

Celebrating Success

After School Club



Our children who attend the wrap around care provision have been very busy with their display board.

We think they have completed some fabulous art work!!

Year 1 Maths



Year 1 have been enjoying role playing toy shops, during their Maths lesson. Ms Katie took on the role of shop keeper. The children had to pay for their selected items with the correct amount of money. They then took turns being the shop keeper or a customer. The shop keeper also had to practise giving the correct change.



The children then went on to solve word problems.

