



ENJOY YOUR HALF-TERM HOLIDAY

CHILDREN RETURN TO SCHOOL ON
MONDAY 29TH OCTOBER

Whole School Mass

Thursday 1st November

11.00am



All parents /carers and friends are cordially invited to join children and staff for this Mass. This Mass will be led by Yr.3.

Nursery and Reception

Coffee Morning



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8.30am to 9.30am

2.30pm to 3.15pm

Data Collection Sheets if you have not yet returned your child's Data Collection Sheet please do so on Monday 29th October. It is very important that we have up to date records.

PASSPORTS

In the past we have been happy for a member of staff to sign Passport forms.

But unfortunately the law has changed and our staff are now unable to do this due to new General Data Protection Regulation.



Diary Dates



October

20.10.18—28.10.18 HALF TERM

- 29.10.18 9.15am Whole School Assembly
- 30.10.18 Yr.5 top up Swimming

November

- 01.11.18 11.00am Whole School Mass led by Yr.3
- 01.11.18 Coffee morning/afternoon—Nursery
- 02.11.18 **Romero Day—School Closed**
- 05.11.18 9.15am Whole School Assembly
- 05.11.18 2.30pm School Mass led by Yr.4 Yr.3 attending
- 06.11.18 Yr.5 top up Swimming
- 06.11.18 Football Match V Corpus Christi (A)
- 08.11.18 Cake Sale—School Council
- 08.11.18 9.15am Celebration assembly
- 12.11.18 Anti-Bullying week
- 12.11.18 9.15am Whole School Assembly
- 12.11.18 2.30pm School Mas led by Yr.2 attending Yr.6
- 12.11.18 Netball Match V Corpus Christi (A)
- 13.11.18 Anti-Bullying Week
- 13.11.18 Yr.5 top up swimming
- 14.11.18 Yr.6 Visit to St Chad's Cathedral with St Elizabeth's
- 14.11.18 Netball V St Peter & Paul (H)
- 16.11.18 Flu immunisation Yrs. Reception to Yr.5
- 16.11.18 9.15am Celebration Assembly
- 19.11.18 9.15 Whole school Assembly

Teacher training Days: 02.11.18 22.07.19 07.01.19



Cardinal Wiseman
Corpus Christi
Good Shepherd
Sacred Heart
SS Peter and Paul
St Gregory
St John Fisher
St Patrick

Training day Friday 2nd November 2018

Please be advised that we have co-ordinated all schools to take part in a training day on 2.11.18 to enable us to have all staff together for one day as one Romero company. Therefore all Romero schools will be closed to pupils on this day.

This is the one day when we can all come together as over 500 staff to focus on our vision to be a 'Beacon of excellence for Catholic Education'.

The day has been well-planned with a range of speakers to provoke thought, discussion and reflection as we focus on 'Romero Excels'



Attendance

Actual Attendance: 98.02% Week beginning: 08.10.18

School Target: 97.00%

Reception: 98.02% Year 4: 99.33%
Year 1: 97.98% Year 5: 98.00%
Year 2 : 98.67% Year 6: 97.93%
Year 3: 94.29%

Birthday Wishes

Zuzanna Yr.1 Daniella Yr.6 Oluferanmi Yr.N Om Yr.N
Keevie Yr.3 Jersey Yr.N Zofia Yr.3 Brajan Yr.5 Kyan Yr.R
Eynan Yr.6

Star of the Week

Reception: Zuzanna
Class 1: Liam Class 2: Karson
Class 3: Kaitlyn Class 4: Zion
Class 5: Kacie Class 6: Zuzanna

Class Achievement

Reception : Archie & Kyan
Class 1: Yu Fan & Riley Class 2: Milena & Tatenda
Class 3: Joseph & Nathan Class 4: Nicole & Demi-Lea
Class 5: Rhys D & Menara Class 6: Paul & Athalia

Virtues Award

Reception : Lucas
Class 1: George Class 2: Poppy
Class 3: Brandon Class 4: Esther
Class 5: Mehaan Class 6: Daniella

Sports Award

Reception: Jasmine K
Class 1: Emily D Class 2: Jakub
Class 3: Roman Class 4: Esther
Class 5: *** Class 6: Ethan



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Internet Safety Tip of the Week

Don't video chat with strangers



School Council

Representing Yr.3 - Israel & Jessica

Yr.4—Esther & Reece

Yr.5 Bella & Mehaan

Yr.6 Enya, David, Susan & Eynan

Chaplaincy Elizabeth, Wren, & Kacie

New—Callum, Nicole & Demi-Lea

Library—Jason, Ava, Katie & Kya

Please note: when we return to school on Monday 29th October winter uniform must be worn. Bottle Green Sweat shirt/cardigan with School Logo. School tie, white shirt or blouse, grey skirt/trousers, black shoes. Other information can be found on our school web site.

Is my child eligible for free school meals?

For an online form go to <http://www.coventry.gov.uk/applyforfreeschoolmeals>

From December 2015 entitlement to Free School Meals will be processed as part of Housing Benefit/Council Tax Support claims by the Benefits Service. Free School Meals are a statutory benefit. Applying for a free school meal could raise up to an extra £1320 per annum for six years for your child's school (funded by central government). This can help to fund valuable teaching and learning support for your school (and is still paid to the school even if your entitlement ceases). The Government does not allow us to recognise any other benefit other than those mentioned below. If you are not sure, please contact us. Free school meals are available to children of families who are in receipt of:

income Support

income Based Jobseekers Allowance

an income-related employment and support allowance

support under part V1 of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999

the Guarantee element of State Pension Credit

child Tax Credit, **provided they are not entitled to Working Tax Credit** and have an annual income (as assessed by HM Revenue & Customs) that does not exceed £16,190

Parents receiving Working Tax Credit for four weeks after their employment finishes are entitled to free school meals during that period. This also applies to parents who start working less than 16 hours per week (please seek advice about this from the Benefits Agency)

If you receive Working Tax Credit only, your child is NOT eligible.