



St Johns Catholic Primary School

School Information February 2020

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Head Teacher's Message

Dear Parents and Carers,

The school is full of music at the moment and it sounds beautiful! Our Year 4 choir are rehearsing for Cornwall Schools Songfest and all are having a super time in their recorder lessons. All the children in Year 5 have worked together to compose a song about their space topic, to showcase at the Kresen Kernow festival next week. I've seen a sneak preview today and it is brilliant! We continue to have guitar lessons here each week and our resident rock stars are preparing for their next concert with Ed from Rocksteady Music. Don't forget, you can go on the Cornwall Music Trust website and follow the tuition links, if you would like your child to learn an instrument. They offer reduced rates for children receiving free school meals. With one week to go until half term, I would like to remind you that Go Active are once again hiring our school for holiday childcare, on Thursday 20th February. Parents can sign up directly on their website, or paper forms are available in our office. The Monday after half term is a staff training day, so children are back in school on Tuesday 25th February.

Best wishes,
Miss Teixeira

Diary Dates

17th - 24th Feb: Half term
25th Feb: Back to school
 25th Feb: Fairtrade tuckshop week
 6th March: Fairtrade assembly, coffee and cake for parents
 16th, 17th March: Parents' evenings
 19th March: Tempest class photos
 26th March: Spring term disco
27th March, 1.30pm: End of term
14th April: Back to school for summer term

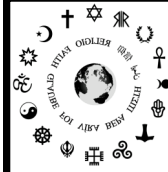
House Points



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Our Spiritual and Religious

Education



Our visitors for our Friday assemblies this month will be: CAFOD, Handover KS2—Y5, Fairtrade & Open the Book.

Mass rota (this may change):

Mass starts at 10am. Everyone is welcome to join us.	12/2/20	Y1 & Y2 (Parish Lead)
	26/2/20	Y4 (Y4 Lead)
	4/3/20	Y5 (Y5 Lead)
	11/3/20	Y2 (Y2 Lead)

School Attendance

Our school Attendance for last month was	Congratulations to Year 2, year 4, Year 1, Year 3, Year 5 and Year 6 for achieving above the national average last month!						
	Y2	Y4	Y1	Y3	Y5	Y6	YR
96.1%	97.4%	96.9%	96.6%	96.6%	96.4%	96.3%	92.3%

Online Safety

This week has been Children's Mental Health Week. The children had a special assembly with the theme: Find Your Brave. There are follow up activities for parents on the Place 2b website, or an online guide for parent conversation starters from the National Online Safety website.

School Council

The deadline for donating stationary for the school in Kenya was today, Friday 7th February. The Mini Vinnies have done a sterling job organising and energising people for donating to the cause; the children in Kenya will be so grateful.