



# St. Margaret Mary's Catholic Junior School

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**Value of the Week**  
**Forgiveness**

**Newsletter Issue 26 week ending**  
**Friday 8th April**

***'...Be kind and tender-hearted to one another, and forgive one another, as God has forgiven you through Christ...'***  
***Ephesians 4:32***

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**GROWTH MINDSET QUOTE**

**"Whether you  
think you can  
or you think  
you can't,  
you're right."**

– Henry Ford

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## Award Winners

Congratulations to all our award winners this week:-

Class	Certificate of Achievement	Disciple of the Week	Growth Mindset Award	Attendance Figure
3CF	Alex	Olivia	Sienna	97.0%
3MT	Daniel	Timothy	Oliver	96.1%
3NW	Liam	Ava	Logan	95.6%
3ST	Oliver	Delilah Jae	Sophia	95.8%
4CD	Olivia H	Sydney	Leon	96.2%
4GH	Tess	Eva	Jake	96.1%
4HW	Vincent	Thomas	Sophia	94.3%
4PS	Evie	Niamh	Cody	94.2%
5JO	Kadie	Liam	James	94.5%
5JP	Loui	Cody	Oakley	96.6%
5KN	Luke	Michael	Hani	94.5%
5MB	Joseph	Junior	Molly	94.7%
6AC	Joseph	Archie	Oliver	95.2%
6JK	Arianne	Abbey	Mason	94.4%
6LT	Rubi	Aleena	Michael	95.8%
6SA	Pixie	Finley	Isabelle	93.5%

**Attendance for the whole school is 95.3%**

**HEALTHY SNACK AWARDS: 3CF, 4CD, 5JP, 6JK**

**BEST CLASS AT LUNCHTIME: 3ST, 4PS, 5JO, 6JK**

**HOUSE POINTS -**

	YEAR 3	YEAR 4	YEAR 5	YEAR 6	TOTAL
St Andrew	244	272	101	327	944
St David	255	268	104	256	883

St George	258	289	112	349	1006
St Patrick	278	244	98	290	910

### Times Table Leaderboard

	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Highest number of minutes on TTRS	Mila T	Maisy C	Olivia E	Luke Cu
	Noah P	Aiden G	Cadan H	Ryan C
	Amelia K	Mason M	Ryley R	Grace R
Most Improvement	Martha R	Edward M	Teagan P	Lois R
Class with the best engagement	3CF	4CD	5KN	6AC
TTRS Class Champions	3CF- Oscar M 3NW- Max M 3ST- William M 3MT- Timothy J	4CD- Alvina R 4GH- Joseph Mc 4HW- Kristoffe J 4PS- Diya P	5JP- Lucas B 5JO- Lakshit L 5KN- Nathaniel M 5MB- Harry M	6LT- Austin G 6SA- Maisy B 6JK- Charlie W 6AC- Sonny T

### Faith in Action

We are looking to encourage our children to put their faith into action-basically putting the needs of others before themselves and demonstrating the Gospel Values.

Aaron Barnes from 4HW for writing a beautiful prayer for our Faith in Action book.



**Congratulations**

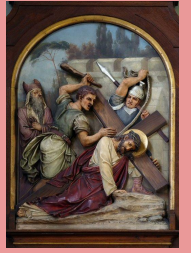


**Congratulations to Lucas M who got trainer of the week at his new rugby team.**

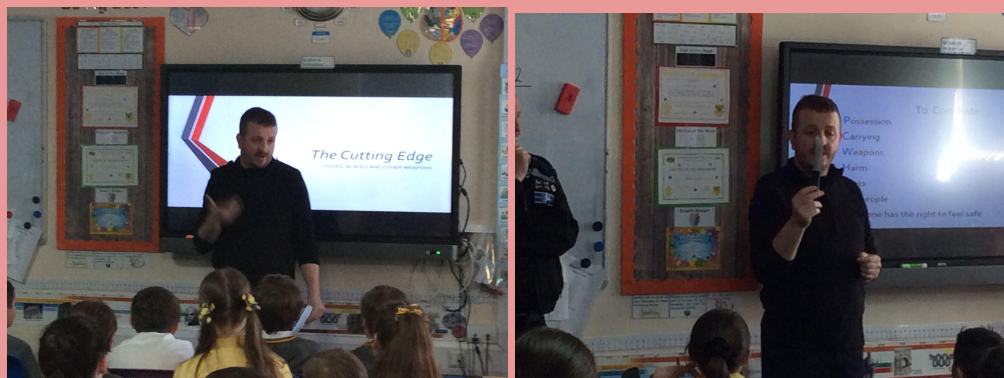


## Gallery

Throughout Lent, each class has visited church to pray the Stations of the Cross. We heard how Jesus, despite his suffering, asked God to forgive those who persecuted him. As Christians, we must always try to show forgiveness to others.



**Some fantastic artwork produced in Year 5 this week during our topic 'Every Picture Tells a Story'.**



**Today, Merseyside Police were in Year 5 educating the children about knife crime and the dangers of it.**

## Sport News

Our Year 6 footballers played their final matches of the Huyton League on Wednesday. In total, they played 5 matches, won 3 and drew 2. They now go through to the Knowsley finals after finishing third in the league. Well done especially to Archie, Oliver and Riley who made very impressive debuts.



## Bleep Test

Well done to all our Y6 children who have been working hard to improve their fitness. We have done 5 bleep tests so far and we will be doing two more on Tuesday and Friday next week. Let's have as many children as possible please!

### **Cutting Edge Knife Crime**

This week Merseyside Police have been into school to talk to Year 5 pupils about the dangers of Knife Crime. In recent years we have seen many people seriously injured or killed as a result of knife crime. This is such an important message for our children to hear. We **MUST** educate our children about the dangers of carrying knives and the impact of knife crime. **Please talk to your child about the sessions and ask your child about what they have learnt.**

### **The Greatest Week**

Next week our pupils will take part in 'The Greatest Week' assembly. The children will be given the opportunity to experience a collective worship which will enable them to remember the greatest week in the Christian Church's year.

### **Church News**

Over the past three weeks our children have visited church to pray around the stations of the cross as a class. It was lovely to allow the children to take time to reflect upon Jesus' journey during Holy Week.

Some of our Governors met, as a part of our school community, in Church this week. They also prayed and reflected upon the stations of the cross.

Sacramental preparation continued this week for our children who are receiving Holy Communion for the first time this year. Please remember how important it is to attend mass as a part of this journey. Saturday 5.30pm and Sunday 10am.

We are currently working on plans to celebrate this sacrament with the children in the Summer term. More information will follow, when all details are confirmed.

### **PTA News**

Thank you to all who supported this week's pre-loved uniform sale.

Tuesday 5th April is non-uniform day- £1 donation. The children will play a game of bingo in their classes in the afternoon and will watch a film. Each class will have a prize for a 'line' and a prize for a 'full house'. All children will receive a small chocolate treat.

The PTA will also be running a tuck shop on the yard at lunch time if children would like to buy a snack or drink for the film. They will have small bags of popcorn, baked crisps, and bottles of plain and flavoured water. They will also be raffling some child related prizes via the tuck shop. Children may wish to bring extra money with them for the tuck shop and/or raffle.

### **Reminders**

**Spring term ends on Friday 8th April and School will close for our Easter Break. We return on Tuesday 19th April 2022.**



## Summer Term Dates for Diary

### April

Friday 8th -Break up for the Easter Holiday

Tuesday 19th-Return to school after the Easter Break

Wednesday 20th and Friday 22nd-Merseyside Police (Tunnels Project) in school.

Friday 29th-Power of Parenting Course to commence (to take place weekly)

Saturday 30th -Junior School to lead the reading in church

### May

Sunday 1st-Junior School to lead the reading in church

Monday 2nd-May Day Bank Holiday (children not in school)

Wednesday 4th-Wednesday 11th-Book Fair

Wednesday 4th-Football finals at Finch Farm

Governors' Building and Finance Meeting

Monday 9th-Thursday 12th-End of Key Stage 2 Test Week

Wednesday 11th-Parent Forum (6pm)-Andrea Bates to attend

Wednesday 8th-Meeting of the Full Governing Body

Week Beginning 16th May (dates to be confirmed)-Performance Week

Friday 20th May-Break Up for the Half Term Holiday

### June

Monday 6th -Return to school for the second part of the Summer Term

Week Beginning 6th -Year 4 Times Table check to commence

Wednesday 8th - Arts Week Celebration (to be confirmed)

Wednesday 15th-Parent Forum (9.30am)

Week Beginning 20th June-Assessment Week (years 3-5)

Mrs Perry to Infant school to commence Year 2 transition

Friday 24th-Summer Term Coffee Morning (to be confirmed)

Week Beginning 27th June-Sports Day

Upper Keystage 2 SEND REviews

5MB and 5JP to take part in PIRLs tests

Tuesday 28th- Year 6 Sports Day

Wednesday 29th-Year 5 Sports Day

Thursday 30th-Year 4 Sports Day

### July

Friday 1st-Year 3 Sports Day

Week Beginning 4th July-Transition Week

Monday 4th-Meet the Year 3 Teacher (Year 2 Parents)

Tuesday 5th-Year 6 Road Safety Training

Meet the Year 4 Teacher (Year 3 Parents)

Wednesday 6th-Meet the Year 5 Teacher (Year 4 Parents)

Thursday 7th-SEND Coffee Morning

Meet the Year 6 Teacher (Year 5 Parents)

Week Beginning 11th July-Reserve Date for Sports Days

Lower Keystage 2 SEND Reviews

Monday 11th-Year 6 Prom

Tuesday 12th-Year 3 Reserve Sports Day  
Wednesday 13th-Year 4 Reserve Sports Day  
Year 6 Production 2pm  
Full Governors' Meeting  
Thursday 14th-Year 5 Reserve Sports Day  
Year 6 production 6pm  
Friday 15th- Year 6 Reserve Sports Day  
School Reports out today  
Tuesday 19th-End of Term Service  
Break Up for the Summer Holiday

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towards Artsmark  
Awarded by Arts  
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