



# Friday Flyer

Friday 16<sup>th</sup> May  
2025

## Headteacher Awards

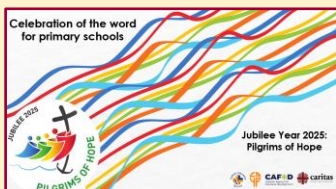


**Kindness: Isabella (Year 5)** for being kind to others at lunchtime.

**Kindness: Elise (Year 2)** for being kind and considerate to others.

## Headteacher Weekly Message

This week, the Year 6 children have conducted themselves fantastically in their attitude to the SATS. On Thursday, we welcomed another trainee teacher who will be working in Year 6. This week, the children have been thinking about loving one another as Jesus loves us. Our children generally show this throughout the school day consistently. Thank you to all the parents who booked a school dinner yesterday – your continued support is much appreciated. Have a lovely weekend, Miss North.



## Catholic Life and Mission



Jesus invites us to love one another like he loves us. This is his commandment to his friends in the Gospel. Mary reflects upon how we can live out this invitation from Jesus. In our world where there is unrest and difficulties, this message is important.

### WONDER QUESTIONS

**HOW DOES IT FEEL TO  
KNOW THAT YOU ARE  
LOVED BY JESUS?**

**WHAT TYPE OF LOVE  
SHOWS OTHERS THAT A  
PERSON FOLLOWS  
JESUS?**



## **Terrific Teddy Awards**



### **Pre-School: Noah**

for settling in well with his new preschool and making new friends.

### **Reception: Jack**

for remembering his helping hands when he is playing with his friends and he is trying hard to listen carefully in our class lessons.



## **Pot of Gold Awards**

**Year 1: Anthony**, for following instructions carefully and helping his friends.

**Year 2: Danielle**, for her enthusiasm and flair as a writer this week in planning and composing an excellent non chronological report on plants. Very well done, Danielle!

**Year 3: Freddie**, for working hard at upleveling his vocabulary in his writing this week. Well done!

**Year 4: Bonnie**, for showing determination and resilience this week as we are preparing for our time tables check. Well done!

**Year 5: Joanna** for showing kindness to others and for also showing great resilience this week.

**Year 6: The Whole Class** - A huge well-done for all your efforts during SAT's week. Not only did you approach the tests with positivity and maturity, but your calmness and focus around the school was amazing.

### **Year 5 Residential to Bradwell-On-Sea**

Pupils from Year 5 recently participated in adventurous outdoors activities at the Bradwell Waterside Outdoors Centre, during a two night, three days residential experience. The children had the opportunity to develop skills in sailing, off road biking, crabbing, archery and high ropes whilst developing team building skills in the Bradwell Olympics! The pupils developed resilience and self-reliance skills whilst challenging themselves to learn a new skill. Staff at the ECC Bradwell Centre commented on how polite and well-mannered the children were and how they supported each in completing the all the activities.

Mrs Huish (Senior Leader)



## PTA News

Total raised this academic year: **£1915.22**

We appreciate all your support. Thank you!

**WATCH THIS SPACE NEXT WEEK FOR AN UPDATE!**

We are currently fundraising for:

- 1) A bank of 6 ipads for each class. £329 per ipad, £1,316 per class.
- 2) A greater range of books for more able readers - £500

## Attendance

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|-----------------|-----|
| Reception Class | 97% |
| Year 1 Class    | 96% |
| Year 2 Class    | 94% |
| Year 3 Class    | 95% |
| Year 4 Class    | 96% |
| Year 5 Class    | 96% |
| Year 6 Class    | 99% |

The whole school aims for 96% attendance.

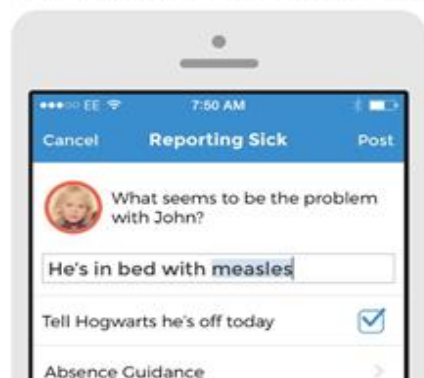
## Notices

### Should I send my child to school, if they are ill?

During the winter months we are seeing an increase in children being off school because they are unwell. We support you, as parents to decide what is best for your child, but the guidance below is useful. Alongside this guidance, please support your child's health, by ensuring that they are getting all the vitamins and minerals they need to stay healthy. Where appropriate, consider whether your child could come back to school a day or so earlier when they have been off with a cold/cough.

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## Studybugs for Parents and Carers



### A better, safer way to report when your child is sick and off school.

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## Diary Dates:

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| <b>9:00am 19<sup>th</sup> May</b>         | Class photographs   |
| <b>9:15am 20<sup>th</sup> May</b>         | Year 4 Class Assembly   |
| <b>21<sup>st</sup> May</b>                | Pre-School & Reception Open Morning                                 |
| <b>2<sup>nd</sup> June</b>                | INSET Day – School closed to pupils                                 |
| <b>Week beginning 9<sup>th</sup> June</b> | Phonics screen check for Year 1 pupils.                             |
| <b>10<sup>th</sup> June</b>               | Year 1 Class Assembly<br>Stay and Play for New Reception children   |
| <b>11<sup>th</sup> June</b>               | Year 4 trip to the Science Museum                                   |
| <b>17<sup>th</sup> June</b>               | Year 5 at the Junior Music Festival                                 |
| <b>23<sup>rd</sup> June</b>               | Pre-School & Reception Open Morning                                 |
| <b>24<sup>th</sup> June</b>               | Year 5 at Hampton Court Palace<br>New Reception Class Stay and Play |
| <b>30<sup>th</sup> June</b>               | Sports Day  |
| <b>9:15am 25<sup>th</sup> June</b>        | Year 2 Class Assembly   |
| <b>9:15am 2<sup>nd</sup> July</b>         | Year 3 Class Assembly   |
| <b>1:30pm</b>                             | Year 6 Production   |
| <b>3<sup>rd</sup> July 5:00pm</b>         | Year 6 Production   |
| <b>7<sup>th</sup> July</b>                | Year 6 to the Isle of Wight   |
| <b>9:15am 15<sup>th</sup> July</b>        | Reception Class Assembly<br>Year 6 Leaver's Mass & Buffet           |
| <b>16<sup>th</sup> July</b>               | French Day  |

## SNAP Information Network

Remember to take a look at our Information Network to find out what else is happening across Essex for families with children and young people with additional needs and disabilities.



## St Joseph's After School Club



Children will be able to access a range of age appropriate activities and crafts. A healthy snack and drink will also be offered.

### Session timings and cost

3:20 -4:15pm - £5.00

3:20-5:00pm - £7.00

3:20-5:30pm - £9.00

3:20-6:00pm - £12.00

If you would like your child to attend, please contact the school office,

