



HOLY CROSS CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Carers,

This week in school:

This morning year 6 presented their assembly on perseverance and aiming to be the best you can be. They told us the story of the Tortoise and the Hare and how perseverance, determination and courage can help you achieve anything. They sang beautifully and performed superbly.

On Wednesday, all children were invited to come in to school in their onesies to support Autism Awareness. Thank you for all of your donations.

On Thursday Reception went on a trip to Windmill Hill City Farm. They loved visiting the animals, especially feeding them and learning how to look after them.



PTFA Information:

Cake Sale - Friday, 27th April, after school in the playground

PTFA Arts Trail Street Party - Saturday 12th May, 12-3PM at school. We will have crafts, BBQ, tea & cake, ice cream, bar & bouncy castle. Please join us for family fun!

Cake Sale - Friday, 15th June, after school in the playground

Summer Disco - Friday, 29th June

Summer Uniform:

During the hotter weather, all children have the option of wearing our summer uniform. This is grey shorts instead of trousers or skirts and a navy (dark) blue checked summer dress. Please note, for safety reasons we do not allow flip flops or a sandal without a back.

After School Club:

From Next September we will be running our own after school club here at Holy Cross. It will be available to all parents and the children will be able to stay until 4:30pm or until 6pm. Further details will be available later this term. If you are interested in your child attending, please see put their name down with Miss Sims in the Office.



Homework:

Homework for all year groups (except Reception) this week is maths.

School Governors:

We currently have 3 vacancies for foundation governors. If you know of anyone who would like to be considered for this position please see me. If you would like to be a governor in another school there are a number of local schools who also have vacancies and I can put you in touch with them.

Windmill Hill City Farm:

Windmill Hill City Farm have been chosen by "The People's Projects" as one of five projects to be in with a chance of receiving £50,000 funding! Voting opens on Monday at 9.00am. Please see this link for more information:

<https://www.windmillhillcityfarm.org.uk/what-we-do/projects/farm-flavours/>

Attendance and Punctuality:

Our attendance target for this academic year is 96.1%. Our current figure is 96.1 %. Thank you to those who attend regularly. Please remember to phone the school office if your child is going to be absent, and on any subsequent days. If we do not hear from you, we will ring you and then may also make a home visit if we are unable to contact you.

The winning class this week are Year 6 with 99.3%.

This week 9 children were late to school. Thank you to those who arrive on time. Remember, children can go straight to class from 8:45am or attend breakfast club from 8am if necessary. If we receive pupil premium funding for your child then breakfast club is free.

Thank you for your continued support and interest.

Yours sincerely,



Mrs. J Kingston
Head teacher

Term 5 Key Dates:

Thursday 3 rd May	-	Year 3 / 4 tri-golf competition (selected children)
Friday 4 th May	-	Year 5 assembly 9.05am
	-	Year 3 trip
Monday 7 th May	-	Bank holiday (no school)
Wednesday 9 th May	-	Year 4 trip
Friday 11 th May	-	Year 4 assembly 9.05am
Saturday 12 th May	-	Arts Trail – Summer Fair
Sunday 13 th May	-	Arts Trail
Monday 14 th May	-	Start of year 6 SATs week
Thursday 17 th May	-	Year 3 / 4 gym competition
Friday 18 th May	-	Favorite Colour clothes day
	-	Special assembly 9.05am
	-	Nearly new toy sale PM
Monday 21 st May	-	Start of year 2 SATs week
Tuesday 22 nd May	-	Year 5 and 6 trip to Aerospace (STEM workshop)
Thursday 24 th May	-	Year 5 / 6 gym competition
Friday 23 rd May	-	Year 3 assembly 9.05am
	-	End of term