

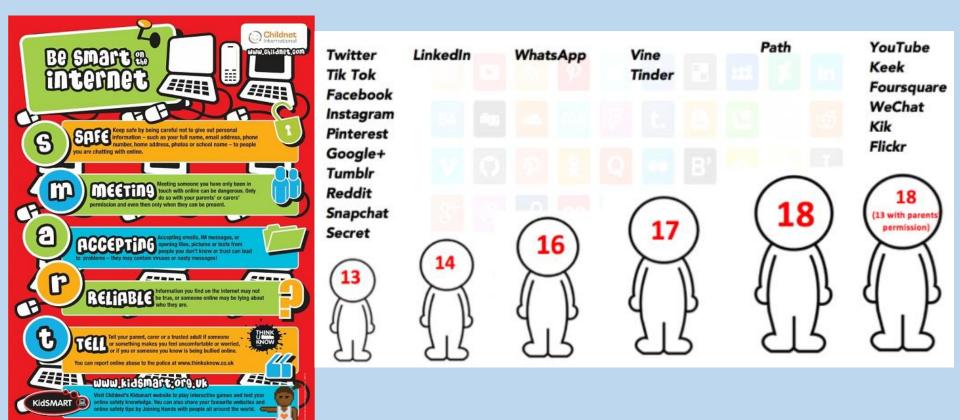


<u>Welcome to the Year 2</u> <u>Parent Workshop</u>





<u>Online Safety</u>



St Joseph's School Rules

Following in Jesus' Footsteps, caring for each other when we work, play and pray





<u>We celebrate the children's</u> <u>academic and behavioural</u> <u>achievements</u>

House points

Certificates

Class trophies

Class Dojo Points

Carpenters coins

Verbal Praise

Home school Agreement



St. Joseph's Catholic Primary School St. Joseph's Catholic Primary School HOME-SCHOOL AGREEMENT Academic year 2023-2024

Mission statement To follow in Jesus' footsteps, caring for each other when we work, play and pray.

Rationale -Why do we need a 'Home School Agreement?

We know what to expect of each other It acts as a reminder of commitments

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- It underpins the school's clearly stated aims
- It is to the benefit of pupils, parents and staff
- It serves as a reminder that we will not tolerate any aggressive behaviour towards staff families or any other visitors to the school premises.

The school will aim to:

- Provide a friendly welcome to your child and a secure, Catholic environment in which to learn.
- Offer a high standard of teaching, promoting high expectations of learning and behaviour in and out of school.
 - Provide a broad and balanced curriculum, including extra-curricular and homework, and meet the individual needs of
 your child.
 - Ensure that your child is valued for who they are and helped to make good progress in their spiritual, moral, emotional
 and academic development.
 - · Provide you with information about your child's progress throughout the year.
 - Demonstrate our school's foundation in the teachings of Jesus Christ, by what we teach and the way we live, treat
 others and worship in school.
 - Instil in your child an understanding that everyone is created in the image of God where everyone in society is valued and respected irrespective of background.
 - Encourage good relationships and develop a sense of responsibility
 - · Keep you informed about school policies, activities and events through regular newsletters.
 - Inform you of any concerns regarding your child's learning or well-being.
 - Encourage your child to work hard and do their best.

I, the pupil, will try to:

- Follow in Jesus' footsteps caring for others when I work, play and pray.
- Support the prayer and worship of my school and parish community.
- · Be the best person Jesus wants me to be, use kind words and hands and Show perfect presentation,
- Display good manners, respect others and the environment and listen to others views
- Say sorry for my mistakes and forgive others when they make mistakes
- Talk to someone in school when I am finding things difficult or feeling sad.

As Parents / Guardians / We will:

- Support the Catholic values of the school mission.
- Ensure that my child attends school regularly and on time, providing a phone call or note of explanation if my child is absent.
- Make sure my child is collected on time.
- Ensure that family holidays and ad hoc days are not taken in term time.
- · See that my child always wears the correct school uniform and is suitably equipped.
- · Inform the school about any concerns that may affect my child's learning or well-being.
- Not use social media to share views/concerns openly but will talk to the school in a professional manner.
- · Support the school's policies and guidelines for behaviour.
- Attend parent consultation evenings and discussions about my child's progress.
- Encourage my child to respect others through understanding, kindness and forgiveness.
- Support my child's learning, valuing and enjoying their learning journey.
- Make an effort to attend Mass where possible with my child.
- Work together with the school staff to achieve positive outcomes for all children

Parent. Date. Date.

School Staff

The home school agreement will be sent out via parent mail and receiving it will be your 'signature'.

Typical Day 2023- 2024



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	9,00-9,15 Whole school Prayers	Phonics/ spelling (20)	Maths		English (60)		PSHE PPA	Science		RE	Story time
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	9.00-9.20 Prayers of Thrakegi Ving (Hall)(alt)	Spelling (20)	Maths		English		Homowork feedback	DT/Geography PPA		Music <mark>PPA</mark>	Story time

English - The writing process



Hook/ introduction to text Reading comprehension (linked to theme/text where possible) Vocabulary lesson Grammar (linked to theme) Shared writing Reading comprehension (linked to theme/text) Planning lesson Shared writing Independent writing Edit and improve

Spellings



Spelling is taught every Wednesday. Spellings are given out every Thursday (with homework) to aid children for the following lesson. Children then apply these spellings in a range of activities in their next spelling lesson to help with their application, comprehension and correct spelling.

Year 2 English texts

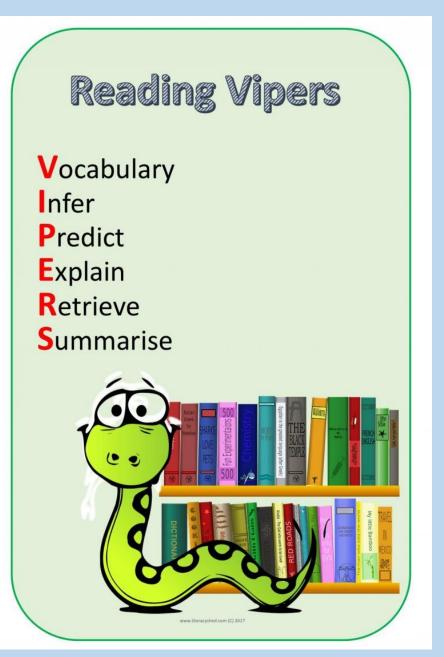






Reading

- In school, we do whole class reading. This allows the class to explore age appropriate texts together.
- The children are exposed to vocabulary and the children have an opportunity to explore different fiction, non-fiction and poetry books.
- The children will then answer questions based on the pages that they have read that day or other tasks depending on the focus for the lesson.
- > At the end of the day we read to the children for 15 minutes before they go home.



Mathematics



- > Mathematics is taught every day.
- > We place emphasis on being fluent in the topic being taught and then move onto reasoning and problem solving - applying that knowledge.
- > As a school, we a following the CPA approach: concrete, pictorial and abstract.





White Rose maths scheme

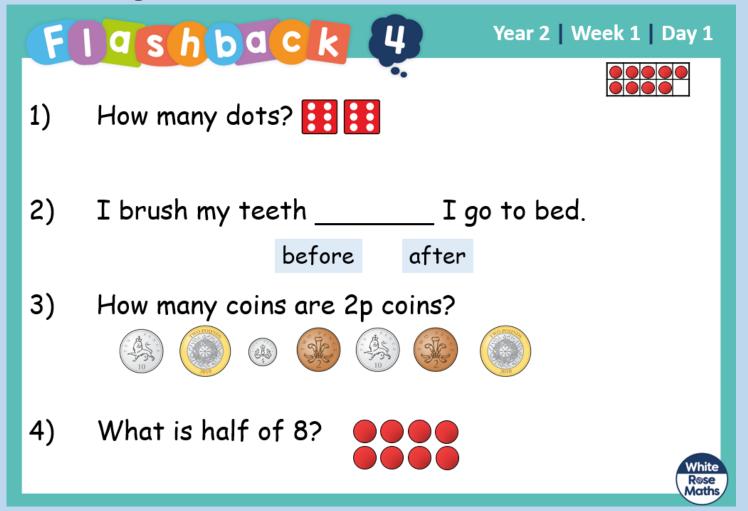


 Week 1
 Week 2
 Week 3
 Week 4
 Week 5
 Week 6
 Week 7
 Week 8
 Week 9
 Week 10
 Week 11
 Week 12



Mathematics

In year 2 we like to begin the lesson by briefly re-capping previous learning or setting some questions based on core understanding. We call this a flashback 4.





Our PE uniform is as follows:

Plain royal blue t-shirt Plain black shorts Indoor black pumps PE socks Plain black / blue (without logo) tracksuit

Children should keep their PE kits in school until the end of the half term. P.E will take place on a Wednesday and a Thursday this term.



Home Reading and Homework

<u>Home Reading</u>

- Your child has a reading diary and reading book from school. Please read the book with your child and ask them questions about the text when you sit together.
- When children have finished their books and there is comment from an adult to say they have finished it, children should put their books into the box in the classroom to have their book changed. We ask that children keep the book they are reading in their bags so that we can read with the children in school as well.
- Although we encourage children to read their reading book from school at home, they can also read other books at home too!

<u>Homework</u>

- Homework will be set on a Thursday and will be due in the following Wednesday. (1 piece of maths, 1 piece of English and spellings).
- Please speak to your child's class teacher if there is an issue in completing the homework to the set dates.



- > Encourage your child to learn and practise their spellings to improve their writing.
- > Encourage your child to complete their homework at home.
- > Instil a love of reading!

> Reading books need to come in on Wednesday in order to be changed by Friday. Please remind children to put their books in the box if they have finished it.



If you ever have any questions or concerns please come and speak to us!

Thank you for joining us today!

