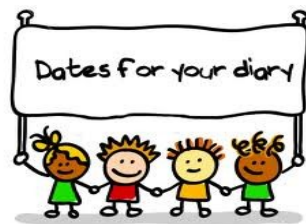


Dates may be subject to change - we will give parents as much notice as possible.



Thursday 27th January **Holocaust Memorial Day**
Friday 4th February **Number Day** (wear a number)
Monday 9th February **Start of Mental Health Week**
Friday 18th February **Break for half term** (normal home time)
Monday 28th February **Return to school** (8.40am)
Friday 8th April **Break for Easter** (2pm finish)
Monday 25th April **Return to school** (8.40am)

Look out for updates on our school website stcharlescatholicprimary.com or follow us on Twitter [@CharlesPrimary](https://twitter.com/CharlesPrimary)

Changes Around School

You will have seen several changes around the outside of school, a new pedestrian gate and the art work on the windows and doors at the front of school. Inside there have been changes in the layout to some of the rooms. We have a new Infant Library, and a small group work room. These additional spaces have been much needed in school for the children's learning.

We are trying to build up the books in both the **Infant and Junior Library** so that the children can choose a library book, in addition to their reading book. If your child has grown out of any of their books we are looking for more, which are in good condition to add to our collection. If you would like to donate a book to school that is in good condition, then please send it into school with your child next week.



St Charles' Catholic Primary School Newsletter

"Love, learn and grow together"

Headteacher Mrs Rebecca Dean

21st January 2022



Send Me a Selfie!

Children in Year 5 & 6 have taken part in a theatre workshop from the Ariel Trust, which explores ideas of online safety, safe relationship building and consent. During the session this week, the children explored the impact and consequences of sharing images. Through role play the children acted out scenes of the consequences of photo sharing. There are a further a 5 sessions over the coming weeks which will focus on giving the children the skills to be able to communicate about issues they may arise.



Thank you Ariel Trust, all the children thoroughly enjoyed the session.

Learn English In 2022

I am delighted to announce a return of our **New to English** sessions for parents and carers. Glynis has very kindly offered to run the programme again after February half term.

Parents who are new to speaking English are invited to attend a course in school every Thursday. The specialist language teacher will teach you English based on your current knowledge. The course will be very informal. It will also be a great opportunity to meet other parents from different countries.

The course will take place 9:00am-10:30am each week.

If you are interested please email jmckinstry@stcharlesliverpool.co.uk or message Mrs Dean via Class Dojo.

Please note places are limited to 8 parents.





Well done Year 6 - are the highest attainers this week—Year 1 had fewest lates

Class	Attendance & lates for the WB 21/01/22
WHOLE SCHOOL	92.70% 40 lates
Reception	90.87% 7 lates
Year 1	93.23% 2 lates
Year 2	92.95% 7 lates
Year 3	97.08% 8 lates
Year 4	83.56% 8 lates
Year 5	96.32% 4 lates
Year 6	95.64% 4 lates

Lost Property

Last week, I ask parents to remember to put names on their child's items. I have collected all 'lost property' items from around the school to put in a central place. Below are the pictures of the items I found without names on! I was able to return items with names on to the right classes.



Pupil of the Week



We are extremely proud of all our children, however the staff are tasked with choosing just one child each week who has stood out amongst the others to receive a special award.

Well done to all our winners.

Class	Pupil of the Week 21st January 2022
Reception	Nico
Year 1	Ida
Year 2	Charlotte
Year 3	Linas
Year 4	Thomas B
Year 5	Tomasz
Year 6	Eve

Times Tables Rock Stars

Top life time earners

1.	Hughie	423,084
2.	Alan	395,813
3.	Oliver W	199,609
4.	Lilly SJ	126,360
5.	Yannis	110,132



Top of the classes

Year 2	Ruben	97,673
Year 3	Alan	395,813
Year 4	Oliver W	199,609
Year 5	Hughie	421,789
Year 6	Shen	44,031

Please encourage your child to log into TTRS and practice their tables. There are different certificates awarded at the end of each half term and a great way for them to become confident in their tables!

FACE COVERINGS ON SCHOOL GROUNDS

We are asking for your continued co-operation with the use of face coverings on our school grounds until further notice. We have been informed by Public Health that rates in the Liverpool region remain one of the highest in the country. In order for us to keep our whole school community safe and to have as few children and staff having to isolate as possible, our face coverings policy remains in place until further notice.

Please do not be abusive to staff if you are asked to wear a face covering.

Twitter

Please check out our twitter page to see what has been happening in our school this week.



Year 5 Swimming

Children in Year 5 have started their swimming lessons as part of their entitlement within the National Curriculum. This is a compulsory subject in the way Maths and English is taught.

As part of the lessons the children will learn how to swim and be taught about basic water safety skills.

All children MUST wear a swimming cap to every session.

If you are struggling financially, please let us know as we may be able to supply a school swimming cap for your child.

