



WB 10th October

Mental Health Week

Monday 10th October

Wear Yellow to school

Monday 17th October

Parents' Evening (3.30pm - 6pm)

Thursday 20th October

Break for Half Term

Monday 31st October

Back to School

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

Parents' Evening

Parents' evening will take place this Autumn on

Monday 17th October 2022.

This meeting is to see how your child has settled into their new year group and targets for the rest of the academic year.

We will also discuss attendance and time keeping.

Please complete your time slots letter and return to school as soon as possible.



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
	7th October 2022
Nursery	Alana
Reception	Aisling
Year 1	Pippa
Year 2	Oliver
Year 3	Freddie
Year 4	Darcy
Year 5	Oliver
Year 6	Tomasz



St Charles' Catholic Primary School

Newsletter

"Love, learn and grow together"

Headteacher Mrs Rebecca Dean

7th October 2022



Online Safety

Our pupils are growing up in a world of ever-changing technology. While we feel that the use of technology is a largely positive aspect of modern life, we cannot ignore the risks that can be associated. Throughout school we aim to teach children about the impact of cyber-bullying and what to do if they have been affected, to be vigilant when communicating online, recognising that people may not always be who they say they are and to be sensible about what they share. To tell an adult they trust if something is upsetting them. To question the reliability of information given through a web based source and to search responsibly for information while using internet browsers.

We understand that much of our pupils use of the internet will occur at home, away from the school filters. Below are a list of useful websites, advice and resources that you may find helpful when navigating the issue of online safety with your child. At the bottom of this page are resources that your child can directly access to help them learn about online safety.

Thinkuknow <http://www.thinkuknow.co.uk>

Internet Matters <https://www.internetmatters.org/advice/esafety-leaflets-resources/>

National Online Safety <https://nationalonlinesafety.com/resources/platform-guides/>

NSPCC <http://www.nspcc.org.uk/preventing-abuse/keeping-children-safe/share-aware/>

BBC <https://www.bbc.com/ownit>

CEOP <http://ceop.police.uk/safety-centre/>

Indoor footwear

Children from Year 1 to Year 6 are asked to bring indoor footwear that they can change into for inside use. We have lots of new flooring across school and this will help to ensure the longevity of the carpets

The children should wear plain non-branded black school pumps which can also be used for indoor PE.

Children should still arrive at school in normal school shoes.



PICKING UP CHILDREN AT THE END OF THE SCHOOL DAY

We would ask that Parents/Carers **DO NOT** allow their children to play on the play equipment during pick up time.

School **cannot be held responsible** for any accidents or incidents taking place whilst they are in the care of their parents/carers.

Please ensure your children remain with you at all times.

Congratulations to **Year 2** for being our best attenders this week.

Well done **Reception & Year 6** who had best punctuality.

No lates for the whole week for both classes which is amazing.

THERE IS A TUB OF SWEETS ON OFFER FOR THE CLASS WITH 100% ATTENDANCE FOR THE WHOLE WEEK NEXT WEEK—GOOD LUCK!!

Class	Attendance & Punctuality for this week
WHOLE SCHOOL	91.59% 18 Lates
Reception	88.18% 0 Lates
Year 1	83.00% 3 Lates
Year 2	95.33% 3 Lates
Year 3	94.67% 4 Lates
Year 4	94.58% 3 Lates
Year 5	91.79% 4 Lates
Year 6	88.46% 0 Lates



Mini London Marathon 2022

All the children will be taking part in the Mini London Marathon over the next couple of weeks. They will be completing 2.62 miles around the playgrounds to achieve this distance, while our younger children will be completing a lap of the playground each day. We always encourage the children to be active at playtime and lunchtime and this is another way to get everyone moving.

The children are able to walk, jog or run their laps around the playground. Once they have completed the children will receive a certificate while we wait for our special pin pages.

We hope that one day, lots of our children will take part in the London Marathon and become one of the special 1% of the population who have completed a marathon.

Look out for Dojo messages from your child's teacher for when they will complete their Mini Marathon.

We're taking part in the



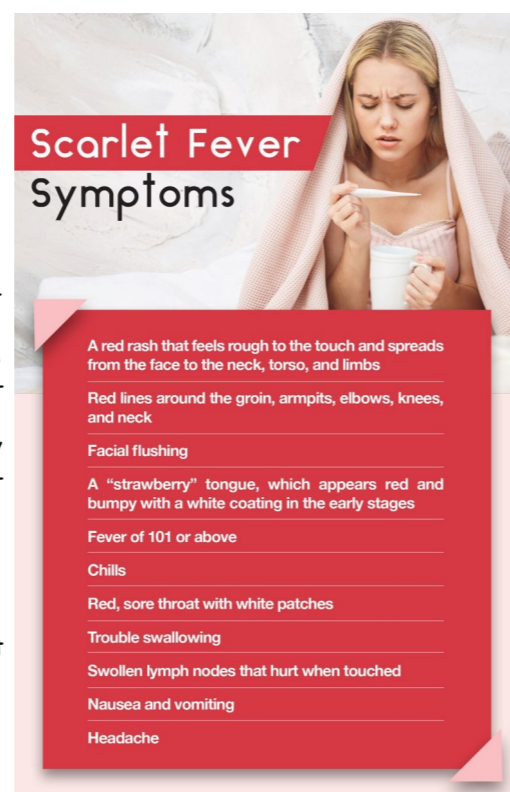
Scarlet Fever

We received we received an letter from Public Health England updating school with information that the number of cases of Scarlet Fever had increased. Whilst we have **NOT** had any cases in school, we would like you to be aware of the symptoms.

Scarlet fever is a common childhood infection caused by *Streptococcus pyogenes*, or group A streptococcus (GAS). The early symptoms of scarlet fever include sore throat, headache, fever, nausea and vomiting. After 12 to 48 hours the characteristic red, pinhead rash develops, typically first appearing on the chest and stomach, then rapidly spreading to other parts of the body, and giving the skin a sandpaper-like texture. The scarlet rash may be harder to spot on darker skin, although the 'sandpaper' feel should be present. Patients typically have flushed cheeks and pallor around the mouth. This may be accompanied by a 'strawberry tongue'. As the child improves peeling of the skin can occur.

Children and adults with suspected scarlet fever should not attend nursery / school / work until 24 hours after starting appropriate antibiotic treatment. Whilst scarlet fever is circulating it is important that any children and adults with chickenpox do stay off school or nursery until all their blisters have dried over, which is usually 5 days after they first appeared.

Please be aware we do have children in school who are medically vulnerable. Please inform school if you suspect Scarlet Fever.



Items from Home

We have noticed that children are bringing items from home. Please could you check that your child does not bring items other what is needed for learning. There are been a few disputes between the children which has caused issues in class

Footballs

Pokemon cards or equivalent

Lego or small toys

Fidget toys

Year 4 Library Visit

Year 4 visited Sefton Park Library to celebrate Black History Month. They listened to a talk by three authors and had the chance to listen to and read a number of their publications. Year 4 were fantastic and had lots of interesting questions for each of the authors.

