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CONGRATULATIONS

Well done to our pupils on achieving Prefect status and also to our newly appointed House Captains! We know they are going to do a fantastic job supporting the school and acting as role models for all our pupils.



ST. JOHN BOSCO

ST. ANNE LINE

ST. LORENZO RUIS

ST. JOSEPHINE BHAKITA

"FOLLOWING CHRIST WE REACH OUR GOALS"

Virtual Coffee Morning

A very big thank you to all the parents who participated in our first ever virtual coffee morning.

It was nice to see parents join in our quiz. Congratulations to Ms Lewis for winning the cake!



CAKE SALE



A big thank you to all the children for buying a cake and supporting our MacMillan Cake Sale fundraising event!

We have raised a total of:

£513.64

Thank you to our parents and carers, pupils and staff for all your generous donations!



Well Done to Ash and Poppy classes for raising the most contributions in our cake sale! They have been awarded the Golden Tickets by Mr P Underwood!

Lily and Fern class have also been awarded Golden Tickets for parents contribution from ParentPay!

Thank you all so much for all your generosity and support.



Newham Educational Psychology Service



Parent Advice Phone-In with an Educational Psychologist (EP)

The EPS Parent Advice sessions are offered to any Newham parent or carer who would like to discuss concerns about their child with an educational psychologist (examples may include: your child's emotional well-being, challenging behaviours, learning progress, your relationship with your child or some of your own worries). The sessions aim to be supportive, confidential, and informal. Each session is 40 minutes.

Please note these are stand-alone, one-off sessions that do not result in follow-up work. They are free sessions and open to all parents and carers of Newham children and young people. There is no criteria or threshold to access these sessions.

Sessions will operate weekly starting: Tuesday 8th September

To book a session email or phone

susan.gowans@newham.gov.uk

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Bookings can be made 10am-3pm Mon to Fridays

Book early to avoid disappointment



Who are Educational Psychologists? Educational psychologists are trained psychologists, registered with the Health and Care Professionals Council (HCPC) with enhanced DBS checks. We work with children and young people aged 0-25 years of age in partnership with young people, families, schools, practitioners, services and voluntary agencies. EPs offer focused support informed by sound psychological theory to bring about positive change. The aim is to promote and facilitate the educational, social and emotional development of children and young people.

What do Newham Educational Psychologists do? Newham's Educational Psychology Service (EPS) offer psychological services including consultation, advice and training. Newham EPS input aims to support children and young people to help facilitate their development, including improving learning, understanding their own learning needs, identifying, managing and exploring their emotions, regulating their behaviours, developing their communication and interaction skills and forming and maintaining positive peer relationships. Working with adults who support young people is central to our model of working.



The SPORTS SECTION

Sportshall Athletics Champions

Congratulations to Years 5 and 6 for winning the first virtual competitions organised by our partnership. The competitions were open to all pupils within the year group and involved scores being recorded for long jump, speed bounce, chest push and javelin. The top 8 girls and 8 boys combined scores were then used for St. Edward's entry.



Year 5 Results		Girls	Boys	Total
1	St Edward's	568.3	609.1	1177.43
2	St Luke's	452.7	459.5	912.20
3	St Joachim's	341.1	353.2	694.30
4	St Winefride's	315.9	348.8	664.72

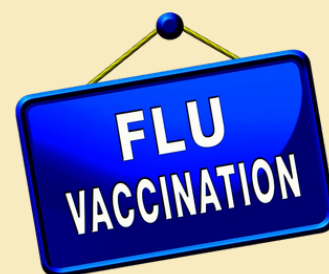
NOTICE TO PARENTS



SchoolPing

We have now successfully moved our communications to SchoolPing! We strongly recommend for everyone to download the SchoolPing App from your phone as it will give you straight access to all correspondence from the school including events (which will show in the app's calendar), Parent Consultation appointments, surveys and any many more!

Flu vaccination consent forms must be in by the 12/10/20. If you do not have your forms, your child will be refused the flu vaccination. Please ensure you return the forms before the deadline. The team will be coming on the 20/10/20 for the vaccines.



TEAMS



We have introduced Microsoft Teams to KS2 and have been practising using it in school. Can parents please bare with them and offer any help if possible. Thank you.

Polite Reminder

Parents/carers, We have received a number of complaints from the residents recently regarding disturbances mostly driving through private roads. May we please remind you that you are not permitted to drive down the private road to drop/pick up your child/ren at the main playground entrance.
Thank you.

IMPORTANT DATES THIS TERM

ACTIVITY	DATE
Nursery Virtual Parent Meeting	8th October
Flu Vaccinations for Reception to Year 6	20th October
HALF TERM	26th to 30th October



RE Section



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AUTUMN TERM 2020

Dear Parent(s)/Carer(s),

Welcome to the new academic year. This term we will be studying the three themes of Domestic Church (Family), Baptism and Confirmation (Belonging) and Advent and Christmas (Loving). Each class will approach the themes through different topics. The children will also spend a week studying Judaism.

DOMESTIC CHURCH - FAMILY (Topic 1)

Early Years MYSELF - God knows and loves each one
Year 1 FAMILIES - God's love and care for every family
Year 2 BEGINNINGS - God is present in every beginning
Year 3 HOMES - God's vision for every family
Year 4 PEOPLE - The family of God in Scripture
Year 5 OURSELVES - Created in the image and likeness of God

SUGGESTIONS FOR HOME ACTIVITIES

Make a collage using family photographs of all the significant family members—grandparents, parents, children, aunts, uncles etc. who show God's love.

Write underneath it
"We show God's love to one another."

Include those who have died.

THE HOLY ROSARY

Pupils will study various aspects
The Holy Rosary for one week.

JUDAISM

Pupils will study various aspects of Judaism for one week. Ask them what they have been learning about.

BAPTISM AND CONFIRMATION - BELONGING (Topic 2)

Early Years	WELCOME - Baptism: a welcome to God's family
Year 1	BELONGING - Baptism: an invitation to belong to God's family
Year 2	SIGNS AND SYMBOLS - Signs and symbols in Baptism
Year 3	PROMISES - Promises made at Baptism
Year 4	CALLED - Confirmation: a call to witness
Year 5	LIFE CHOICES - Marriage, commitment and service
Year 6	VOCATION AND COMMITMENT - The vocation of priesthood and religious life

SUGGESTIONS FOR HOME ACTIVITIES

Talk to someone who has been to a Baptism and/or Confirmation about their memories of this celebration.

Visit to the Jewish Museum
Raymond Burton House
129-131 Albert Street

ADVENT/CHRISTMAS - LOVING (Monday 14th November to 20th December 2016)

Early Years	BIRTHDAY - Looking forward to Jesus' birthday
Year 1	WAITING - Advent: a time to look forward to Christmas
Year 2	PREPARATIONS - Advent: preparing to celebrate Christmas
Year 3	VISITORS - waiting for the coming of Jesus
Year 4	GIFT - God's gift of love and friendship in Jesus
Year 5	HOPE - Advent: waiting in the joyful hope for Jesus, the promised one
Year 6	EXPECTATIONS - Jesus born to show God to the world

SUGGESTIONS FOR HOME ACTIVITIES

Discuss with the children how your family welcomes visitors to your home.

Samaritan Shoe box Appeal.
Find out about some Christian symbols for Advent e.g. Advent wreath, calendar, Jesse tree.
Use the CAFOD or Missio websites to get a religious Advent calendar



GOSPEL - MATTHEW 22:1-14



1 Jesus began to speak to them in parables once again,

2 'The kingdom of Heaven may be compared to a king who gave a feast for his son's wedding.

3 He sent his servants to call those who had been invited, but they would not come.

4 Next he sent some more servants with the words, "Tell those who have been invited: Look, my banquet is all prepared, my oxen and fattened cattle have been slaughtered, everything is ready. Come to the wedding."

5 But they were not interested: one went off to his farm, another to his business,

6 and the rest seized his servants, maltreated them and killed them.

7 The king was furious. He despatched his troops, destroyed those murderers and burnt their town.

8 Then he said to his servants, "The wedding is ready; but as those who were invited proved to be unworthy,

9 go to the main crossroads and invite everyone you can find to come to the wedding."

10 So these servants went out onto the roads and collected together everyone they could find, bad and good alike; and the wedding hall was filled with guests.

11 When the king came in to look at the guests he noticed one man who was not wearing a wedding garment,

12 and said to him, "How did you get in here, my friend, without a wedding garment?" And the man was silent.

13 Then the king said to the attendants, "Bind him hand and foot and throw him into the darkness outside, where there will be weeping and grinding of teeth."

14 For many are invited but not all are chosen.'

ST EDWARD'S FEAST DAY 13th October

ALL SAINTS

1st November

2nd November

THE COMMEMORATION OF ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED (ALL SOULS)

Today and throughout the rest of November we pray for those who have died. Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen.

OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

20th November

Begins from 2nd December

ADVENT

ADVENT means 'coming'. We think of the coming of Jesus when he was born but we also think of his promise that he would come again at the end of time. It is a time of waiting and preparing. It is only in the last week of Advent that we focus upon the events to be celebrated at Christmas.

8th December

THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

This feast marks the first stage of the existence of Mary, the mother of Jesus. She was 'full of grace' from the very beginning and co-operated with God throughout her life.

CHRISTMAS DAY, THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD

25th December

On this day we begin our celebration of the birth of Christ.

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