



NEWSLETTER

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Headteacher Notice

Ten Ten RE Newsletter – Jan 2024 - <http://www.tentenresources.co.uk/prayers-for-home/parent-newsletter/>

Our Virtue to live by: - Friendship

*I am friendly and show my friends love.
I want the best for my friends.*

*“Two are better than one, because they have a good return for their labour.
If either of them falls down, one can help the other up.
But pity anyone who falls and has no one to help them up.” Ecclesiastes 4:9-10*

Parents Evenings

Please book appointment times via Class Dojo with your child's class teacher.

Stars of The Week

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| ★ Owls- Poppy Laithwaite | ★ Grenoside Woods- Rim Tedros |
| ★ Owls- A'miyah Sawaneh-Patterson | ★ Beeley Woods- Maleah-Leigh Dawson |
| ★ Hedgehogs- Aaliyah Pancu | ★ Lees Hall Woods- Vince Okoso |
| ★ Squirrels- Leo Edge | ★ Woolley Woods- Antonia Galpin |
| ★ Badgers- Jasper Muthana-Smithers | ★ Ecclesall Woods- Vinnie Burrows |
| ★ Otters- Ahmed Hussain | |

School Uniform

A school uniform is a significant part of life at school because it can play an important role in promoting a sense of pride, self-confidence, and a feeling of belonging within the student body. All these factors positively contribute to pupils' overall wellbeing.

Class teachers will be sending a reminder on Class Dojo to all Parents/Carers. Thank you.

Golden Table



Staff Leaving

Children & Staff sadly said their goodbyes today to Miss Emma Stacey. We wish her all the best for the future. God Bless.

Notice from Mrs Fox

Attendance and lateness

On 8th January 2024 the Government launched the School Attendance National Communications Campaign.

**MOMENTS
MATTER,
ATTENDANCE
COUNTS.**

The link between attendance and attainment is clear:

- In 2018/19, only 40% of persistently absent (PA) children in KS2 achieved expected KS2 standards, compared with 84% of pupils who were regular attenders.
- And 36% of PA children in KS4 got 9 to 4 in their English and maths GCSEs, also compared with 84% of regular attenders.

And it's never too late to benefit from good attendance:

- More than half (54%) of pupils who were PA in Year 10 and then rarely absent in Year 11, passed at least 5 GCSEs, compared to 36% of pupils who were persistently absent in both years.

But attendance is important for more than just attainment:

- Regular school attendance can facilitate positive peer relationships, which is a protective factor for mental health and wellbeing.

Free hugs Friday

This week free hugs were given out by Sleeping Beauty, Tinkerbell and Spiderman. Romaine helped in encouraging everyone to get a hug.



Online Safety Notice

<https://nationalcollege.com/enrol/st-patricks-catholic-voluntary-academy>

Sign up free of charge to our school online safety platform. Did you know on this platform you can access monthly online safety round ups, videos with advice on key topics such as age ratings and online gaming. You can access online guides around key issues such as Tiktok, YouTube and social media safety. There is also the opportunity to complete an annual online safety course specifically aimed at parents of young people.

This resource is full of interesting and relevant information so, parents please sign up and access support keeping our young people safe online.

Afterschool Clubs

DAY	CLUB	TIME	START	FINISH
Monday	KS2 Dance	3:15 – 4:15pm	11/09/23	08/07/24
Wednesday	Y2 Karate Club	3:15 – 4:15pm	13/09/23	10/07/24
Thursday	Y3 & Y4 Girls Football Club	3:15 – 4:15pm	14/09/23	11/07/24

Weekly Attendance – Commencing 8th January

POSITION THIS WEEK	CLASS	WEEKLY ATTENDANCE%	WEEKLY POINTS	TOTAL POINTS	OVERALL POSITION
1	Badgers	98.6%	9	64	8 th
2	Beeley Woods	97.8%	8	97	2 nd
3	Woolley Woods	95.9%	7	96	Joint 3 rd
4	Lees Hall Woods	95.5%	6	69	Joint 6 th
5	Grenoside Woods	95%	5	96	Joint 3 rd
Joint 6	Squirrels	93.7%	4	69	Joint 6 th
Joint 6	Otters	93.7%	4	71	5 th
8	Ecclesall Woods	90.6%	2	104	1 st
9	Hedgehogs	88.3%	1	62	9 th

Logo Leisurewear Ordering

Order School Uniform using the following link: <https://logoleisurewear.com/product-category/schools/schools-st-patricks-primary/>

Dates for the Diary

Thursday 25th January – Owls Parents Evening 8:30 – 10:30am (Conference Room)

Thursday 25th January – Owls Parents Evening 3 – 5pm (Conference Room)

Thursday 25th January – Ecclesall Woods Parents Evening 2:15 – 5:30pm (Literacy Room)

Monday 29th January – Hedgehogs Parents Evening 2:15 – 5:30pm (Conference Room)

Monday 29th January – Grenoside Woods Parents Evening 2:15 – 5:30pm (Literacy Room)

Tuesday 30th January – Squirrels Parents Evening 2:15 – 5:30pm (Conference Room)

Tuesday 30th January – Beeley Woods Parents Evening 2:15 – 5:30pm (Literacy Room)

Wednesday 31st January – Badgers Parents Evening 2:15 – 5:30pm (Conference Room)

Wednesday 31st January – Lees Hall Woods Parents Evening 2:15 – 5:30pm (Literacy Room)

Thursday 1st February – Otters Parents Evening 2:15 – 5:30pm (Conference Room)

Thursday 1st February – Woolley Woods Parents Evening 2:15 – 5:30pm (Literacy Room)