



St Joseph's Catholic Primary School

Friday 27th September 2024

Mission Statement

We work, learn and grow together in God's love

Well done!



Congratulations to **Alex Lowe** for receiving the Headteacher's award this week. Alex has made a great start to the school year with his excellent learning behaviour and positive attitude to learning. Well done Alex!

STARS OF THE WEEK

Year Group	Worker of the week	Reading Award	Values Award
Reception	Evie Gilbertson	Rosie Gilbertson	Spencer Norman
Year One	Leo Richardson	Arthur Haynes	Arlo Wooding
Year Two	Dominic Entwistle	Alice Lees	Zach Waller
Year Three	Bella Christoforou	Phoebe Norris	Archie Conway
Year Four	Ava Wooding	Isaac Crook	Brooke Walton
Year Five	Archie Almond	Macy Simpson	Maxwell Holden
Year Six	Olivia Federici	Connie Bond	Scarlett Healey

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CHRISTMAS CINEMA TRIP

In an attempt to be as organised as possible, we have pre-booked our annual Christmas whole school cinema trip for **Wednesday 18th December**. We are very grateful to the PTFA for their support with the cost of coaches, drinks and snacks for this and look forward to watching the newly released **Moana 2**. Please pay via Eduspot £7.00.



RELIGIOUS LIFE OF OUR SCHOOL

On **Tuesday 1st October** children from Year One to Year Six will attend daily Mass at **10am** to celebrate the start of the school year. Year Six pupils are leading the readings for us. Everybody is welcome.

YEAR FOUR WITH YOU ALWAYS PROGRAMME

There is a meeting for parents on **Monday 30th September** at **6:15pm** for pupils who would like to receive the Sacraments of Reconciliation and First Holy Communion. If your child is not baptised Catholic but you are interested, please still come along to find out more information.



OPEN LEARNING MORNING AND EVENING

Please see below for the dates of our **Open Learning morning** and evening for prospective parents of children starting school in September 2025. We would appreciate it if you could share these with family and friends and welcome any visits to school.



TEMPEST PHOTOGRAPHS

On **Friday 4th October** Tempest photographers are in school. Pre-school siblings can be taken before school from 8:00am, Siblings and all individual photographs will be taken during school.



TRANSITION TO HIGH SCHOOL

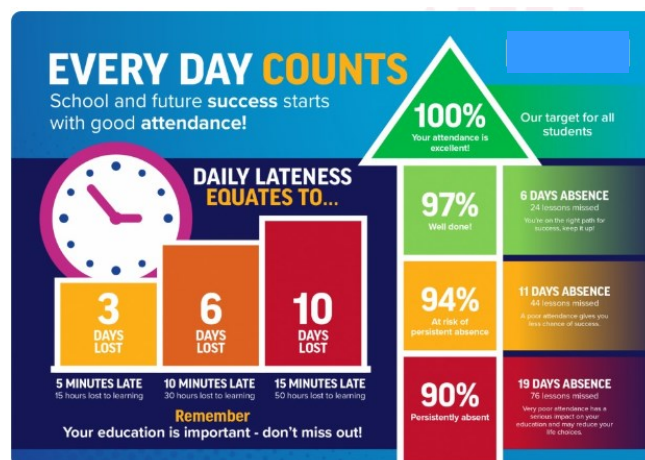
On Monday the children in **Years Five and Six** will be visited by the Headteacher from **Holy Cross, Mr Lindley**. He will speak to the children about transitioning to high school and what Holy Cross offer. Please see below for other dates of open days as we receive them.



WEEKLY ATTENDANCE

Year Group	Attendance
Reception Class	98%
Year 1	96.37%
Year 2	98.26%
Year 3	97.22%
Year 4	99.65%
Year 5	96.33%
Year 6	97.78%

Congratulations to **Year 4** for having the highest attendance this week.



Following in the footsteps of St Joseph

“Every day may not be glorious, but there’s something glorious in every day.”

Find the glory! Caleb

Dates for 2024—2025

Date	Event	Date	Event
30.9.24	First Holy Communion meeting for parents p:15pm Year Four class-room , St Joseph's school	27.11.24	Parents' afternoon and evening
1.10.24	Start of the Year Mass for pupils from Year One to Year Six. 10am St Joseph's Church	4.12.24	Reception Class Christmas production 9:30am
14.10.24	PTFA AGM 7:30pm The Top Spinners Adlington	5.12.24	Reception Class Christmas production 9:30am
16.10.24	Reception Class Phonics meeting 6pm	11.12.24	Christmas Lunch
21.10.24	Year Four class trip	11.12.24	KS1 Christmas performance Y1 and Y2 6pm
21.10.24	EYFS / KS1 UV Disco PTFA 3:30pm—4:30pm	12.12.24	KS1 Christmas performance Y1 and Y2 2pm
21.10.24	KS2 UV Disco 4:30pm—5:30pm	16.12.24	KS2 Carol Service
23.10.24	Open Learning Morning 9:15am— 10:30am	18.12.24	Cinema Trip Whole School
24.10.24	Reception and Year Six Buddies worship in St Joseph's church 10am.	19.12.24	School Closes
25.10.24	Year Six Harvest Worship 9:15am Parents / carers of Y6 invited	20.12.24	INSET Day—staff only
25.10.24	School closes for half term		
04.11.24	INSET Day—staff only		
11.11.24	Open Learning Evening for prospec- tive families 6pm—7:15pm		
26.11.24	Parents' afternoon and evening KS2		

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Saturday
30th
November
Worden Park
10am-2.30pm

Tickets
from
£7.00

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ST JOSEPH'S PRIMARY SCHOOL

Open Days

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23rd October
9:15 – 10:30am

11th November
6 – 7:15pm

*A Catholic
School for
ALL children.*

Meet the Headteacher & Staff

Tour classrooms, meet other parents, learn about our school community, see the children in action and our SEND provision



St. Joseph's Catholic Primary School, Anderton PTFA
PTFA
Charity number: 1039889



Date: 11/09/24

Dear Parents and Carers,

We would like to give notice of the AGM of the St. Joseph's Catholic Primary School, Anderton PTFA to be held on **Monday 14th October 2024**. The evening will start at **7:30pm** with the PTFA Annual General Meeting in **The Top Spinners, Adlington**.

The PTFA plays a vital part in the school community and all parents, as members of the PTFA, are invited to support the AGM. This is your chance to hear and see how the funds you have helped to raise have been used for the benefit of the children/students at our school.

The AGM is also an opportunity for you to elect the PTFA Committee, who represent the association throughout the forthcoming year. Nominations should be sent in advance of the AGM for anyone wishing to stand as an Officer or Ordinary Committee Member, for the first time. Existing committee members wishing to re-stand for re-election do not have to be nominated again but should inform the PTFA of their intention to re-stand in their role via email to andertonstjoesptfa@gmail.com.

If you would like any further information about being a Committee Member, please speak to *Jackie or Lucy*. As our PTFA is a registered charity, all committee members automatically become Trustees of the Charity. Before submitting your nomination, please read the Charity Commission publication 'The Essential Trustee – What you need to know (CC3)'. A copy of the booklet can be found on the Charity Commission website.

If you would like to nominate yourself or anyone else for any of the roles (Chair/Vice Chair/Secretary/Treasurer/Other Officer/Ordinary Committee Member) please email andertonstjoesptfa@gmail.com. If you are nominating someone else please copy them in on the email so we know they have agreed to this.

If you are attending the AGM, or would like to send your apologies, please let us know via email.

You can find us on Facebook for all the latest information https://www.facebook.com/groups/743107821194166?locale=en_GB or search Anderton St Joseph's PTFA community.

We look forward to seeing you on 14th October 2024.

Kind Regards,
Jackie Rypel, Chair
Lucy Lees, Vice Chair



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