

**Friday 12th July 2024 - Newsletter 38**

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## **Aladin Performance**

Yesterday, we were treated to an amazing performance of Aladin from some children in Key Stage Two. They sang beautifully and the acting rivalled a Hollywood production! The children have been working really hard after school for over two terms to prepare for the performance. We are so proud of them! A big thank you to Miss James, Miss Jeffery, Miss Deamer and Mrs Walker who ran the Aladin club and helped the children prepare for the show. Well done to everyone involved!





# MESSAGE FROM THE HEADTEACHER, MR. LANE

It is difficult to believe that next week is the last week of the school year before we break up for the summer holidays next Friday (Thursday for Nursery children). The children have been amazing this year, showing great resilience and determination. We are really proud of their achievements and I hope this came across in their end of year reports that went home today. We are already planning ahead for September and have an exciting curriculum planned again for 2024-25.

We are particularly proud of our Year 6 pupils who will be leaving primary school next week. There are many events in school next week to mark this very important time in their lives. Next Wednesday 17th July there is a special celebration in school when there will be the presentation of the Governors Awards followed by a disco for the children. A BIG thank you to FOSH who are busy organising this event. Parents/carers and family members are invited to join us in Church next Thursday 18th July at 10:00am for their Leavers Mass. On the last day of term, Friday 19th July, there will be a special leavers' assembly in SMMA which parents/carers are warmly invited to. Next week is a very important and special time for these children so we look forward to seeing you at some of these events.

Our Reception Sports Day on Monday was great fun. The children really enjoyed themselves and it was lovely to see so many parents/carers and family members join us and encourage their children.

Next week, the children will bring home their school books which they are, rightly, very proud of. Please spend some time getting them to talk to you about their work and achievements this year. You might want to get them to explain which learning they enjoyed the most, which learning was the trickiest, which learning was the most exciting and which learning they still need to work on in September.

Next week is the final of Sacred Heart's Got Talent. We have been mesmerised by the fantastic talent in our school and want to say well done to every act that has taken part. Good luck to all our finalists next week.

Today, your child(ren) will bring home their end of year school reports. We are very proud of our children's achievements and I hope you enjoy reading them.

You will have received information recently about changes we are making to our school uniform next year. Thank you for your support with these changes which we really appreciate.

Next Friday 19th July is the last day of term for children in Reception and Years 1-6 so we will finish at the earlier time of 2:30pm. Children in Nursery finish one day earlier on Thursday 18th July at the usual time of 3:25pm.

There will be great excitement on Sunday evening with the final of the Euros. England have made it through and will play Spain. It should be an exciting match.

Have a lovely weekend.  
Mr. Lane





One child per class is awarded a VIP certificate in our celebration assemblies. They also get lunch on a specially decorated table with table service!

Child's Name	Key	Reason
Ibrahim St Francis	Hunger to Achieve	Ibrahim has shown he is ready to learn by using new strategies in Maths to solve addition calculations.
Noor St Brigid	Power of Me	VIP is awarded to Noor for always helping to tidy the classroom without having to be asked and has been an excellent role model to all the others with her behaviour.
Enoch St Teresa	Power of Me	VIP this week is for Enoch for consistently showing Ready, Respectful, Safe this year!
Ilyssa St John Paul	Hunger to Achieve	She has been working super hard on her reading and writing both at home and in school. Well done Ilyssa!
Joel St Bernadette	Curiosity and Wonder	Joel has shown Curiosity and Wonder throughout our lessons. He especially asks very interesting questions during our Design and Technology lessons. I am please that Joel shares his thoughts with the rest of the class as his contributions are often insightful - thank you Joel.
Oriana St Martin	Power of Me	Oriana has made a great effort to join in with our daily routine since joining us a few weeks ago. She has made new friends and is trying really hard to learn and practice speaking English. I am very impressed with her progress so far, keep up the great work!
Nehemiah St Catherine	Hunger to Achieve	Nehemiah has shown a Hunger to Achieve in English this week, creating a fantastic creature based on The Jabberwocky and using great descriptive language to bring it to life.
Donnie St Elizabeth	Power of Me	This week goes to Donnie, for working hard to listen to feedback this year and putting a great deal of effort into editing and improving work. Donnie is an incredibly valued member of the class and we all feel so proud of him!
Kairo St Benedict	Power of Me	He knows that everyone has their strengths and weaknesses, but he doesn't give up! Kairo has also done amazingly well in his latest reading assessment. He is extremely kind to his peers and adults in our school community. Keep being a ray of sunshine!
Ares St Faustina	Hunger to Achieve	Ares has demonstrated a 'Hunger to Achieve' this week! He has been contributing more in class discussions and did some great work in writing! We have been doing poetry and Ares planned a very mysterious and scary poem! Well Done Ares!
Murrewa St Maximillian	Power of Me	Well done Murewa for being so determined to remember all the songs and actions for our leavers assembly! You are doing such a great job-keep it up!
Harry St Josephine	Community Unity	A big well done to Harry our has consistently demonstrated 'Community Unity' throughout his time in Year 6. Harry always speaks to staff and his peers respectfully and is a huge help in the classroom! Thank you Harry!

# Libraries

ReadLearnConnect

Welcome to the 2024 Summer Reading Challenge, Marvellous Makers, where you can explore your creativity – whether that's arts and crafts, music or dance.

Join the challenge at your local library, read 6 books over the summer and pick up mini prizes after each book.

Completers get a certificate and a medal.

You can join at any time during the summer holidays (from Saturday 6 July) at your local library - it's free to join!



## Sign Up Saturday!

Pop into your local Islington Library on Saturday 6 July to join in our Fun Day. There will be face painting, crafts events, stories and more to entertain the whole family. Sign up for the Summer Reading Challenge and start your summer reading journey!



# Beach Trip

Today, Reception have been on a very exciting trip to Chalkwell Beach in Southend. The children were very excited to get a coach there. They enjoyed paddling in the water, having a picnic on the sand and an ice cream in the sun. Thank you to all the staff and parent volunteers who made this special trip possible.



## Thank You and Good Luck

We would like to wish farewell and good luck to the following Learning Support Assistants who are moving onto pastures new at the end of term: Mr Rutter, Miss Gloria, Miss Saba and Miss Ansar.

We want to thank them for everything they have done for the school community during the time they have been here.



## No After School Club

There will be no after school club on Thursday 26th September due to a staff event.

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Thursday 26th Sep 2024

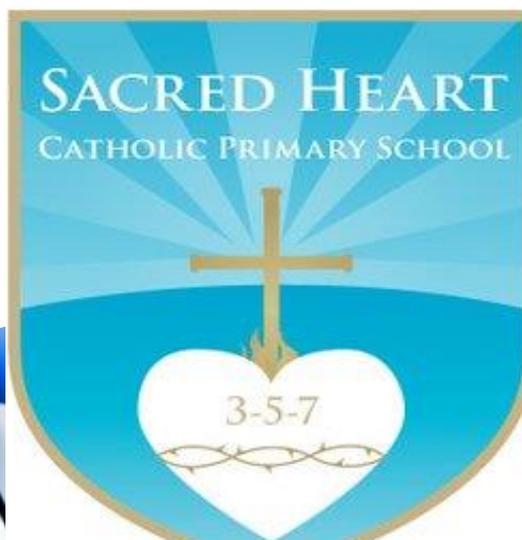
## Uniform Updates

Rough Cuts Casuals, our school uniform supplier, has informed us that the logo cardigans will be in stock from next week and small logo jumpers will be introduced as large logo jumpers run out of stock (large logo jumpers are acceptable in September).

Rough Cuts Casual's address is 16 Chapel Market, N1 9EZ.



Auditions open for  
Reception to Year 6  
children



FIRST ROUND—Week beginning 1st July

Auditions held in class, 2 successful acts from each class will reach  
the next round!

SECOND ROUND—Week beginning 8th July

Perform with the other successful acts from your year group, the  
winner goes through to the final!

FINAL—Wednesday 17th July

One finalist from each year group performs in front of the school!

Sign up in class to register your interest.

**GOOD LUCK!**

# End of Term

The children break up at the end of term on **Friday 19th July at 2:30**. There will be no After School Club on this day.

**Nursery pupils will break up at the normal time on Thursday 18th July.**



## Transition Visits

On Tuesday afternoon, the children will find out who their teacher for next year is going to be. The children will get to meet their teacher and spend time in their new classroom.

**WEEK 1**  
15/04/24, 06/05/24,  
03/06/24, 24/06/24, 15/07/24

# MENU

Eat the  
**Rainbow**

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
<b>Mains</b> <small>HAPPY TUMS</small>	Mild Chicken Curry	Beef Bolognaise Pasta Bake <small>(G, Mk)</small>	Roast Chicken, Stuffing and Gravy <small>(G)</small>	Sweet and Sour Stir Fry Chicken <small>(G, So)</small>	Fish Fingers <small>(G, F)</small>	<b>Orange</b> APRIL 23rd - St George's Day
<b>Veggie</b> <small>MEAT FREE</small>	Mild Vegetable Curry	Macaroni and Cheese <small>(G, Mk)</small>	Butternut Squash, Leek and Onion Wellington <small>(G, E, Mk)</small>	Sweet and Sour Stir Fry with Julienne Vegetables <small>(G, So)</small>	Cheese, Pea and Spinach Quiche <small>(G, Mk, E)</small>	<b>Yellow</b> MAY 16th - Outer Space Day 23rd - National Biscuit Day
<b>veg</b> <small>EXTRA GOOD</small>	Sweetcorn Broccoli	Chef's Seasonal Salad Coleslaw <small>(E)</small>	Roasted Carrots Steamed Cabbage	Steamed Cauliflower Green Beans	Garden Peas Baked Beans	<b>Green</b> JUNE 18th - Teddy Bears' Picnic
<b>Carbs</b> <small>FUEL FOOD</small>	Steamed Rice		Roast Potatoes	Egg Noodles <small>(G, E)</small>	Oven Baked Chips	<b>Purple</b> JULY 4th - World Chocolate Day The Olympics
<b>Dessert</b> <small>SOMETHING SWEET</small>	Baked Lemon Pudding <small>(G, E)</small>	Fresh Fruit or Yoghurt <small>(Mk, So)</small>	Fresh Fruit or Yoghurt <small>(Mk, So)</small>	Fresh Fruit or Yoghurt <small>(Mk, So)</small>	Banana Cake <small>(G, E)</small>	
Jacket Potatoes, salad bar, cold desserts and fresh fruit available daily.						

**ALLERGENS**

Ce = Celery  
Cr = Crustacean  
E = Eggs  
F = Fish  
G = Cereals containing Gluten  
L = Lupin  
Mk = Milk  
Mo = Molluscs  
Mu = Mustard  
N = Nuts  
P = Peanuts  
Se = Sesame Seeds  
So = Soya  
Su = Sulphur Dioxide

# YEAR 6 LEAVERS EVENTS - DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

We look forward to welcoming parents/carers to the following Year 6 Leaver events later this term.



## Wednesday 17th July, 5:30-7:15 pm

Year 6 Awards ceremony, food and disco organised by FOSH (SMMA hall)

(parents/carers welcome to attend the presentation from 5:30-6:00pm but not to the disco)

## Thursday 18th July, 10:00-11:00am

Year 6 Leavers' Mass in Church

## Friday 19th July, 09:45 am (last day of term)

Year 6 Leavers' Assembly

## **Free Holiday Activities**

Please see the link below for play schemes and activities funded by Islington council, for the summer holidays.

[www.islington.gov.uk/children-and-families/things-to-do/lunch-bunch](http://www.islington.gov.uk/children-and-families/things-to-do/lunch-bunch)

This programme is **free** to Islington residents who are aged between 4-16 years (up to 18 if they have special educational needs and disability (SEND)), enrolled in school and meet one of the following criteria:

- qualify for benefits-related Free School Meals (FSM)
- can be referred by a social worker, family support worker or other professional.

If you are not eligible, some activities are free for all.

To book activities, you need to register your child on their booking system. If you have already registered, you do not need to do this again.



# THE WEDNESDAY WORD

Parents/carers are emailed the Wednesday Word every week. Please take the time to read it with your child(ren). There are some lovely activities which you can do with your child(ren) and also link in with your child's Religious Education lessons in schools and with the liturgical year.

**THE Wednesday WORD** **SHARING SUNDAY'S GOSPEL WITH PARENTS & FAMILIES**

**Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> July 2024**

Dear Parents and Carers,

Tomorrow is the feast of St Benedict, who introduced a special way of reading the Bible to Europe in the 6<sup>th</sup> Century. The *Wednesday Word Family Time* is based on St Benedict's way of praying and seeks to help you listen, with love, to God and to each other.

In this Sunday's Gospel, Jesus sends out his friends on an urgent mission with the instruction to heal and to share his message with all who will listen.

Jesus wants us to listen closely to his words. Regularly listening to Jesus reminds us what's really important in life and how much we are loved by God. St Benedict reminds us, "Listen carefully to the Master's instructions."

Enjoy listening to your child's thoughts about this Sunday's Gospel and this Wednesday's word, which is **LISTENING**.

*Dom Henry Wardbrough*

**A Word from Pope Francis** "Open up your heart and listen to what God is saying to you."

"Jesus summoned the Twelve and began to send them out in pairs."  
Mark 6:7

**THE GOSPEL IN CHURCH**  
Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> July 2024

Jesus summoned the Twelve and began to send them out in pairs giving them authority over the unclean spirits. And he instructed them to take nothing for the journey except a staff – no bread, no haversack, no coppers for their purses. They were to wear sandals but, he added, "Do not take a spare tunic." And he said to them, "If you enter a house anywhere, stay there until you leave the district. And if any place does not welcome you and people refuse to listen to you, as you walk away shake off the dust from under your feet as a sign to them." So they set off to preach repentance, telling people to change their lives and turn back to God. And they cast out many unclean spirits, and anointed many sick people with oil and cured them.

*Adapted from Mark 6:7-13*  
The 15<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year B

Getting to know Jesus makes life joyful. Learn more about this Sunday's Gospel in your local Parish Church; all are very warmly invited.

**2024 The Year of Prayer: Family Time Prayer & Share**

**Good News for Everyone** Jesus' words have stood the test of time. They are rooted in love and can be trusted to guide us and our children well. Jesus does not force us to listen to him, or to the people whom he continues to send with his message. But he knows what's best for us and that listening to him, and really hearing what he says, helps us make wise and safe life-choices.

SPREAD THE WORD and bring GOOD NEWS to your friends by sharing THE WEDNESDAY WORD

**Good News for Families TOGETHER TIME**

**1 READ & REFLECT! Listen & Learn with Jesus, the Word!**

Jesus sent out his friends, the disciples, in pairs to tell the Good News of God. He told them to stay where they were made welcome. But if people did not listen to their message, they were to shake the dust off their feet as they left that house. So the disciples went out and started telling everyone to change their lives and to turn back to God, and they healed many people who were sick.

**Jesus sent out his disciples to share his message with all who would listen. What did the disciples tell the people to do?**

Which word or words stood out for you in this Sunday's Gospel, and why? Spend a few relaxing moments pondering the picture together. Share any thoughts before moving on.

**2 SHARE & CARE! Growing in Goodness & Love: This Wednesday's Word...**

"Listen carefully, and attend with the ear of your heart."  
*St Benedict – Patron of Europe (Feast Day 11th July)*

**LISTENING**

Listening is a sign of real love – It's a powerful way of showing that we care. Listening to the right people and the right messages is important for us and for our children. Ask your child if they know someone who is a really good listener. Who does your child like to listen to? Do they know people who speak with kindness and love, and want good things for them and others? It may help your child if you give them an example of your own.

It is important for us to listen if we are to learn and grow in wisdom. What do you think are the best ways that we can listen to Jesus through the coming summer holidays? Perhaps we can: remember to have quiet times in prayer when we wake up, throughout the day, or at bedtime – just for listening to God as He speaks to our heart; go to Church together; read the gospels in next week's Wednesday Word Summer Special throughout the summer holidays. What other ways can we think of?

**3** Dear Lord Jesus, thank you for always being ready to listen to us. Please help us to listen and understand and act on your words and to be good listeners to each other too. Amen.

**FINDING FIVE**

**WEDNESDAY WORDSEARCH**  
SMARTSEARCHERS FIND THESE EIGHT WORDS EITHER ACROSS OR DOWN

DISCIPLES PAIRS  
JESUS SENDS GOD'S MESSAGE CHANGE LIVES  
SUPERSEARCHERS FIND THE WORDS BACKWARDS OR DIAGONALLY

Cross out the letters **c f h** in the jumbled words below to find 4 real words.

**Ghotcd Jethscus frithcendcs phatircs**  
sent out his \_\_\_\_\_, the disciples,  
in \_\_\_\_\_ to tell the \_\_\_\_\_ News of God.

Jesus loves us and wants us to spend time with him, listening to him and so allowing him to guide our lives. Which times will you choose to quietly pray and listen to God throughout the coming summer holidays?

This week I will try my best to \_\_\_\_\_

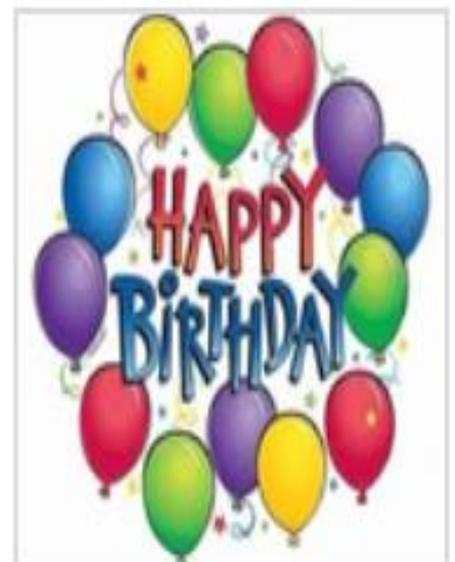
Write a promise & draw a big smile on Sunday

More about the Catholic Faith: [wednesdayword.org.uk](http://wednesdayword.org.uk) or [catholic.org.uk](http://catholic.org.uk)

# HAPPY BIRTHDAY

We wish the following pupils a very happy birthday for the next week:

Ayomide (Y3), Trinity-Mae (Nursery), Adam (Y6), Ethan-King (Y2), Cian (Y4), Harry (Y4), Elsie-Rae (Y6), Christopher (Y2), Ruby (Y4), Nehemiah (Y4), Aiden (Y1), Jovani (Reception), Miia (Y4), Ryelee (Y1) and Jude (Y4)



# P.E. LESSON DAYS

Thank you for ensuring your child/ren attend school in their PE kit on their PE days.

As a reminder, the PE uniform is:

- Standard white Sacred Heart PE top or plain white top
- Blue PE shorts
- Suitable trainers
- Plain grey or navy blue tracksuit bottoms

The children should not be wearing football kits or brightly coloured sports clothing. If your child does not have the correct PE kit, please ensure they do so as soon as possible. The uniform is sold at Rough Cut Casuals, [16 Chapel Market, London N1 9EZ](#).

There may have been some changes to your child's PE days from last year, so please look carefully at the below information:

The PE days are as follows:

Year 1 - Monday and Tuesday

Year 2 - Tuesday and Wednesday

Year 3 - Tuesday and Thursday

Year 4 - Monday and Wednesday

Year 5 - Tuesday and Friday

Year 6 - Wednesday and Friday

Mrs Harney (Sharon) will send morning reminders on your child's PE days.



# EYFS Phase News

## Nursery: St Anthony & St Nicholas:

On Thursday, following England's win in the Euros semi-final on Wednesday evening, the children started preparing flags to show their support for the national team in the final on Sunday. In other news, the beans that we started growing earlier this half term are growing well and the children have started re-potting them in soil and taking them home. This is one of the tallest so far.



## Reception: St Jude & St Peter:

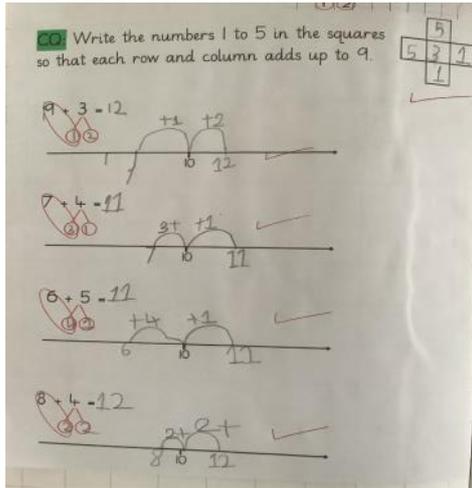
On Monday, we had our fabulous Sports Morning in Reception! We practiced both our gross and fine motor skills both inside and outside and we all had a fantastic time with our families! We even got to finish off our morning with an ice-lolly!



# KS1 Phase News

## Year 1-St Brigid

We had a fantastic time at sports day in Paradise Park last week! It was fun taking part in all the exciting activities, we even managed to take home some medals for our team, and we look forward to more fun events like this in the future!



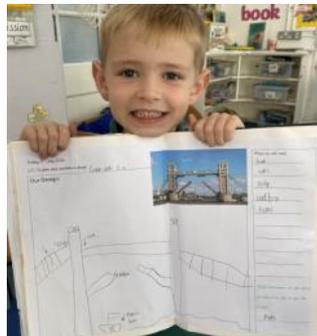
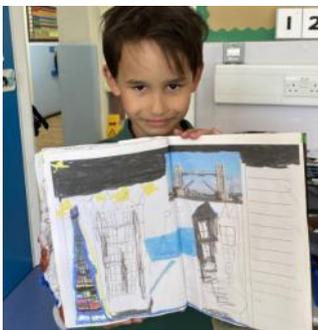
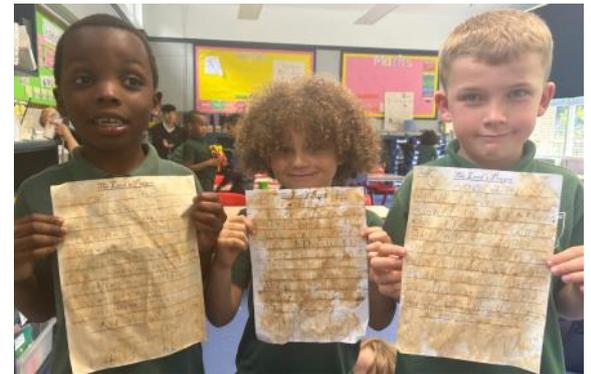
## Year 1-St Francis

This week, St Francis class have been learning how to add by bridging 10. The children practised this on a number line using their knowledge of the number bonds to 10.



## Year 2-St Teresa

This week, in Year 2 RE, we have finished looking at our unit on the Lord's Prayer! We have learnt it, recited it and looked into its meaning. We read the passage in the Bible that showed us where Jesus first shared this prayer and so we decided to write out the Prayer and tea stain it to make it look old - as if Jesus had written it himself!



## Year 2-St John Paul

In DT we have planned and annotated our designs to make our very own models of Tower Bridge. We had to think about what materials would be sensible to use for each part as well as experiment with creating a pulley system for the moving bridge. We are so excited to make our models this week!

# LKS2 Phase

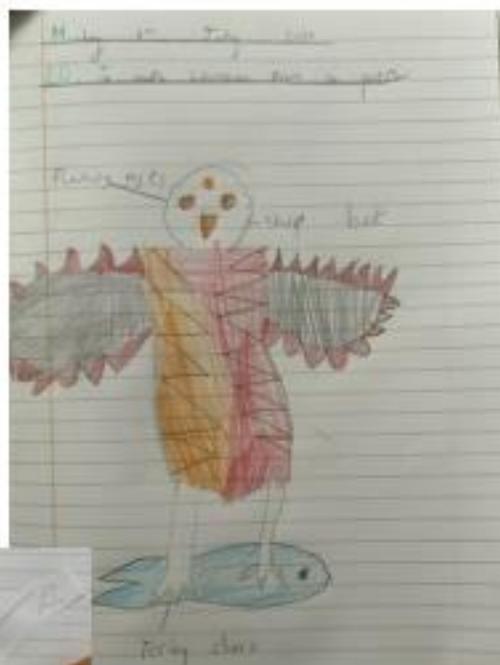
Both Year 3 classes went on their end of year trip to London Zoo. They had a wonderful day and were very lucky to see the new arrivals at the zoo. These included, baby gorillas, baby lions and baby penguins.



This week St Catherine's class have been studying Lewis Carroll's 'The Jabberwocky'. We started off the week interpreting the nonsense words in the poem before creating our own frightening creature and creating nonsense words to describe it.

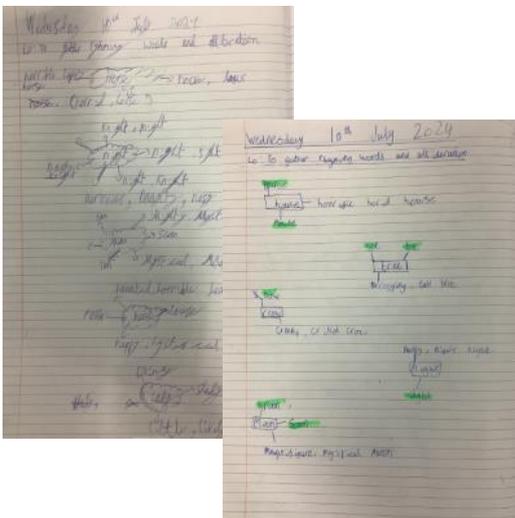
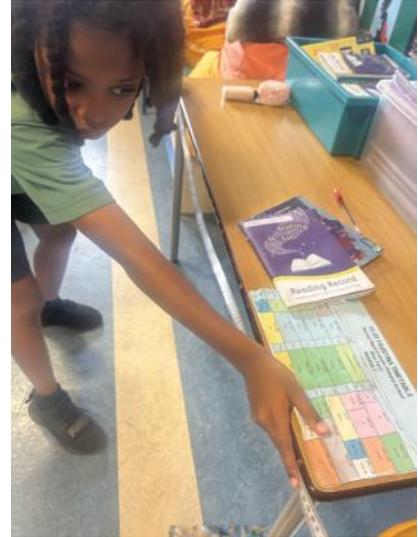


This week Y4 St Elizabeth are reading 'The Jabberwocky' by Lewis Carroll. We have investigated the nonsense words in the poem and thought carefully about what they might mean, relating our new definitions to context clues and previous things we have read. The poem is about a boy being challenged to fight a monster, but luckily he wins! In actual fact, he cuts off the monster's head but his father is delighted. We drew our own versions of what we thought the Jabberwocky might look like, responding to the clues in the text that describe the creature's features.



# UKS2 Phase News

In Maths this week, Year 5 Saint Faustina have been looking at converting measurements. We measured objects around the classroom in centimetres and then, as a challenge, we converted these measurements into millimetres



This week, Year 5 Saint Benedict have started planning our own poem inspired by Walter de Mare. We began by gathering some rhyming and alliteration examples that we will use in our final piece.

In Year 6, we have continued to practise for the Year 6 Leavers' Assembly which is being performed for parents next Friday. We are very proud of what we have worked on so far and are very much looking forward to showing you! As well as this, we have been taking part in a Maths project and have enjoyed using our knowledge of 3D shapes to create nets for our cupcakes.



# SUMMER ACTIVITIES

## **CENTRE BASED**

**Lyric writing workshop**

**Arts & Crafts**

**Music workshops**

**TIK TOK workshop**

**Make a Movie Day**

**Sports activities**

**Music Studio**

**Cooking**

**Youth Club activities**

**Character design workshop**

**with Wumzum Artist**

**Summerversity SFX makeup**

## **TRIPS**

**London Zoo -White water  
rafting**

**Paddleboarding**

**Kayaking**

**Mountain biking**

**Park days -Mudchute farm**

**Roller skating**

**SUMMER CAMP!!**

**July 26th to  
August 30th  
all activities  
are FREE!**

**Trips have limited spaces and priority goes to regular youth club attendees**

**To register a young person please scan this QR code:**



**For more information message 07703336463 or email - alan@prospex.org.uk**

**@prospexcharity**



**FREE lunches  
with all activities**

# Holiday Activities

with **Lunch**

25 July - 30 August 2024

**Take part, try something  
different, make new friends!**

There is a range of activities, including:

- Free activities for all
- Funded activities for those on benefits-related free school meals
- Paid-for activities
- Activities specifically for those with special educational needs and/or disabilities

**Lots  
on offer!**

tennis, roller-skating,  
dance, theatre skills,  
cooking, basketball,  
multiplay, football,  
music-making, crafts,  
excursions and so  
much more.

To register and  
book activities, visit  
[islington.gov.uk/  
HolidayActivities](https://www.islington.gov.uk/HolidayActivities)



# The Art Imaginarium Summer Holiday Camp

**THEME: ANCIENT LANDS**

**5 - 11 years old**

**July 29th - 2nd**

**August 5th - 9th**

**August 12th - 16th**

**August 19th - 23rd**

**August 26th - 30th**

**Holy Trinity Primary School**

**Beechwood Road**

**London**

**5% Early Bird Discount (SPW490)**

**Times: 9am - 3.30pm**

**(early drop off and late pick up options)**

**BOOK NOW**

**[www.theartimaginarium.co.uk](http://www.theartimaginarium.co.uk)**

**[hello@theartimaginarium.co.uk](mailto:hello@theartimaginarium.co.uk)**

**Tel: 07896281723**



# Everyone needs a little help sometimes

We know that being a parent is not always easy and that all families need support at some stage as children grow up Bright Futures works with families who have children 5-19 We will work with you and your family to help you make lasting positive change and get the most out of family life

**‘Things right now are good. There have been quite a few challenges, but I feel stronger and more capable than I have for a while.’**

- Bright Futures parent

## Some ways we can help

- ⌘ Advise on child behaviour, routines and parenting
- ⌘ Strengthen family relationships and reduce conflict
- ⌘ Help with your child’s school attendance and learning



- ⌘ Improve your families' health and wellbeing
- ⌘ Offer advice on home finances, training and employment
- ⌘ Connect you with activities and support in your local community

## How to access Bright Futures services

Call our helpline: **020  
7527 4343**

9am to 5pm, Monday  
to Friday or [email](mailto:bright.futures@islington.gov.uk)



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# BISHOP DOUGLASS CATHOLIC SCHOOL

*An Academy School in the Cardinal Hume Academies Trust*

Our values are at the heart of everything we do. Pupils thrive in an environment of academic success, wrapped in pastoral care. Our aspirational, visionary yet traditional and pupil-centric approach shapes the life of every young person so they embrace and share a love of learning.

## Humility

Working in a close and inclusive community, in partnership with parents, ensuring a school where pupils put the needs of others first and are of service to one another.

## Ambition

Encouraging pupils to strive to be the best that they can be, pursuing academic and experiential opportunities to prepare them for future success in the world of work.

## Reflection

Exceptional pastoral care puts pupils physical, mental and social wellbeing at the heart of what we do.

## Generosity

Providing the opportunity for pupils to take leadership in volunteering, fundraising and giving their time and efforts in helping others in our community.



## Resilience

A flourishing, unrivalled and vibrant enrichment programme prepares our pupils for the challenges and opportunities of the 21st Century.

## Empathy

Considering the feelings of others and instilling respect for diversity and supporting every member of our community, of all faiths and none.

## Diligence

Embedding high expectations for all pupils, allowing them to make the most of their personalised educational journey to grow into the best version of themselves.

## Kindness

A friendly, dynamic school where success is celebrated, and strengths, talents, abilities and achievements are collectively and individually recognised.

## OPEN EVENING

Tuesday 24th September 2024  
5:30pm-7:00pm, Head of School speeches at 5:45pm & 6:45pm

Please register your place via our website

*"It feels like a long time ago, touring schools to find one that I felt was perfect for my daughter. However, as soon as we visited Bishop Douglass, we both knew it was the right fit. She recently achieved an outstanding set of GCSE results, and predicted to repeat her success now she is in the Sixth Form".*

Parent



## PERSONAL TOURS

To book a tour of the school, please email [schooladmin@bishopdouglass.barnet.sch.uk](mailto:schooladmin@bishopdouglass.barnet.sch.uk) or call 0208 4445211

## CURRICULUM SHOWCASE

Thursday 17th October 2024  
4:15pm-5:45pm

Please register your place via our website

*"Leaders and staff are ambitious for their pupils. They have high expectations in all aspects of school life." Ofsted*





Royal Association for Deaf people

# SUMMER SCHOOL

## PARENT AND CHILD BSL FUN SESSIONS

School's out for summer - but not at  
RAD Summer School!

Parent + Child

**£35**

per workshop

- Fingerspelling 24 July 9:30-10:30am
- Everyday BSL 26 July 9:30-10:30am
- People in our Lives 31 July 4:30-5:30pm
- Food & Drink 9 August 9:30-10:30am
- Colours 12 August 12:30-1:30pm
- Animals 19 August 6:30-7:30pm
- Activities 30 August 9:30-10:30am

10% discount  
if booking all  
7 workshops!

More info:

Email: [bslcourses@royaldeaf.org.uk](mailto:bslcourses@royaldeaf.org.uk)  
Visit: [www.royaldeaf.org.uk/training/summer-school-2024/](http://www.royaldeaf.org.uk/training/summer-school-2024/)

<b>SUMMER TERM 2024</b>		<b>TOTAL DAYS</b>
<i>Monday 15<sup>th</sup> April 2024 – Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2024</i>		
Start Date	Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> April 2024	<b>66</b>
Finish Date	Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> July 2024	
INSET DAY(S)	Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July 2024 Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> July 2024	
Children return to school	Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> April 2024	
May Bank Holiday	Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> May 2024	
HALF TERM (Mon – Fri)	27 <sup>th</sup> – 31 <sup>st</sup> May 2024	
Last day of term for children	Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> July 2024	
Last day of term	Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> July 2024	

**THESE DATES ARE FROM SEPTEMBER**

**SACRED HEART CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL  
2024–2025 DATES**

<b>AUTUMN TERM 2024</b>		<b>TOTAL DAYS</b>
<i>Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2024 – Friday 20<sup>th</sup> December 2024</i>		
Start Date	Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> September 2024	<b>75</b>
Finish Date	Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> December 2024	
INSET DAY(S)	Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> September 2024 TBC	
Children return to school	Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> September 2024	
HALF TERM (Mon – Fri)	28 <sup>th</sup> October – 1 <sup>st</sup> November 2024	
Last day of term for children	Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> December 2024	
Last day of term	Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> December 2024	

<b>SPRING TERM 2025</b>		<b>TOTAL DAYS</b>
<i>Monday 6<sup>th</sup> January 2025 – Friday 4<sup>th</sup> April 2025</i>		
Start Date	Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> January 2025	<b>60</b>
Finish Date	Friday 4 <sup>th</sup> April 2025	
INSET DAY	TBC	
Children return to school	Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> January 2025	
HALF TERM (Mon – Fri)	17 <sup>th</sup> – 21 <sup>st</sup> February 2025	
Last day of term for children	Friday 4 <sup>th</sup> April 2025	
Last day of term	Friday 4 <sup>th</sup> April 2025	

<i>Good Friday (Bank Holiday)</i>	<i>Friday 18<sup>th</sup> April 2025</i>
<i>Easter Sunday</i>	<i>Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> April 2025</i>
<i>Easter Monday (Bank Holiday)</i>	<i>Monday 21<sup>st</sup> April 2025</i>

<b>SUMMER TERM 2025</b>		<b>TOTAL DAYS</b>
<i>Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2025 – Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2025</i>		
Start Date	Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> April 2025	<b>60</b>
Finish Date	Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July 2025	
INSET DAY(S)	Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> July 2025 Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July 2025	
Children return to school	Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> April 2025	
May Bank Holiday	Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> May 2025	
HALF TERM (Mon – Fri)	26 <sup>th</sup> – 30 <sup>th</sup> May 2025	
Last day of term for children	Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> July 2025	
Last day of term	Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July 2025	

<b>TOTAL DAYS</b>	<b>75 + 60 + 60</b>	<b>195</b>
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<b>INSET DAYS (5)</b>	
1	Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> September 2024
2	TBC
3	TBC
4	Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> July 2025
5	Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July 2025