



Friday 11th September 2026

Dear Parents/Carers,

The first full teaching week of this school year has passed through successfully. The children are now established in their school routines and evidence of learning in the new year groups is happening each and every day. Please take note of the notices below and have a lovely weekend when it comes.

Please take note of two parents' events both taking place on Tuesday 16th September. The first is our family booknic an opportunity for children and families to share books on the school field at the end of the day. The second is an Open evening Event at Sacred Heart for Y6 pupils and parents from 5pm-7pm. Please try to attend if you can.

- Medical Forms Reminder
- PE Uniform and Timetable- Reminder
- Breakfast & After School Childcare- Reminder
- Hinderwell Show
- School Uniform & Jewellery_-Reminder
- Packed Lunches & School Meals- Reminder

Medical Forms: Please return all medical forms to Miss Wright by the end of next week. This will help us to safeguard all children within the school with the most up to date information.

P.E. Uniform & Timetable-Reminder

PE Uniform (From the school website <https://stjosephs.npcat.org.uk/school-uniform/>)

- Bottle green shorts
- Yellow T-shirt
- Black trainers
- When colder, plain black, grey or navy jogging bottoms and top should be worn for outdoor sessions along with yellow T-shirts and trainers. **Branded sportswear is not part of school uniform.**

Please see below for the timetable for PE this half term. We review our PE timetable half termly so plans may change next half term. As with our recent practise, please can children from FS2 (Reception) –Year 6 come to school dressed in their PE uniform. The PE Days for this term are as follows:

- Monday- FS2, Y1 & Y5
- Tuesday- Y2 & Y3
- Wednesday- Y4, Y5 & Y6
- Thursday- Y1, Y3 & Y4
- Friday- Y2 & Y6

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Free Breakfast Club 8.05-8.35am

I am delighted that from the start of the new year we will be able to offer a free breakfast club to all children from Reception to Year 6 from 8.05am each morning. Children will be able to have cereal or toast to help them start the day.

Paid For Childcare Breakfast Club:

If you still want your child to attend the earlier breakfast club session from 7.30am this is still absolutely fine. These sessions cost £3 each day.

After School Club 3.15-5.45pm

We will not be running an after-school club on Fridays. Uptake for the Friday session has averaged at less than a child each week over the course of the year. There will also be a slight change to the payments with two different charges.

- 3.15-4.30pm will be £4
- 4.30-5.45pm will be £7.50

Hinderwell Show 2026:

The organisers would like to thank all the children who took part in the Hinderwell Show this year. The art work and handwriting was amazing. Congratulations to Archie in Year 5 who won the special prize of the best picture in the whole show.

School Uniform & Jewellery- A reminder

Jewellery should not be worn or brought into school with the exception of a wrist watch. **Earrings should not be worn.** We encourage ears to be pierced at the start of the 'six week Holidays' in order for the 'settling' period to happen during that time. Therefore, earrings can be taken out at the beginning of the School Year. Make up and nail varnish should not be worn to school.

Packed Lunches & School Meals- A reminder

As A Healthy School, we aim to promote healthy eating. Please don't send sweets or too many treats in the packed lunch box. We still have children attending the school with nut allergies so **don't send anything that has nuts in please.**

School Photographs Advanced Notice Thursday 1st October Full School Uniform Please.

God of wisdom and love, we thank you for all the gifts you have given us. Continue to guide the children of St Joseph's throughout this school year.

Yours sincerely,

Mr Geaves

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