



English Martyrs CVA

We grow and learn with the gifts we have been given, following in the footsteps of Jesus



Coming Up

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Monday 10th July	Y6 Residential	Y4 Trip to Richard III Centre
	Flute lessons	EYFS—Y3 Multisports Club 3.15-4.20pm
	Drama Club 3.15-4.15pm	
Tuesday 11th July	Singing lessons	EYFS Swimming
	Y5/6 Cricket Club 3.15-4.15pm	
Wednesday 12th July	Piano lessons	Drum lessons
	EYFS, Y1, Y5, Y6 Gardening Club	
Thursday 3th July	EYFS/Y1/2 Burghley House Trip	Guitar lessons
	Y1-2 Creative Club 3.15-4.15pm	
Friday 14th July	EYFS visit to St Josphe's	Celebration Assembly 2.30pm

Notices



- **Road Safety** If your children are scooting, cycling or walking to school alone please make sure they are paying due care and attention when crossing roads.

Virtue of the week

The next virtue is: Faith

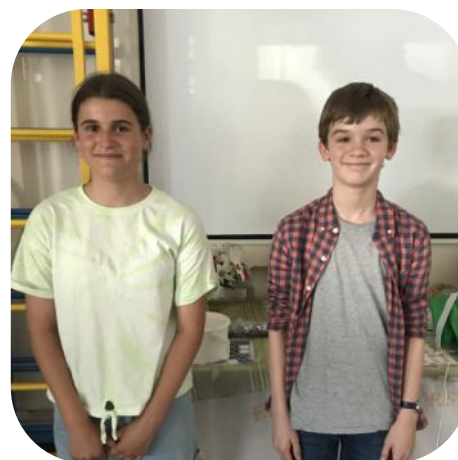
Please take time to discuss this at home with your child/ren.

Math Challenge Success!

Well done to Charlie and Sofia who took part in the Mathematical Olympiad recently. They both did incredibly well and achieved distinctions with scores of 113 and 135 respectively. Sofia's score was among the top ten in the competition.

Furthermore, Sofia has been awarded the title 'UKMT Primary Challenges Mathematician of 2023' out of thousands of primary school children across the country—a worthy accolade for her superb performances in all of the challenges this year.

Well done to both pupils who have shown fantastic mathematical understanding across the course of the year. Thank you to Mr Hodgson and Mr Timms who facilitate the tests and to Mrs Keany who often invigilates.





Head Teacher Awards



Congratulations to all the children who have received awards this week.



Y1/2 Multiskills Festival

This week Years 1 & 2 went to Oakham School to take part in the Multiskills Festival. They had a great morning! Thank you to our Sports Leaders who helped out on the day.



Happy Birthday to the children who have had birthdays recently and this weekend!

Y2- Norah

Orienteering

Year 6 represented the school at the County Orienteering competition on Thursday. We were among 6 teams in the morning session and recorded impressive timings with team A finishing 4th and team B finishing 1st. After the afternoon session, we finished 5th and 9th out of 16—there were some superb individual performances - well done everyone!





Dream on!

A big well done to our Y6s who put on a fantastic performance of their end of year play Dream on, which was based on Shakespeare's A Midsummer Night's Dream. They worked very hard learning all their lines and songs and did a brilliant job! A big thank you to Mr Hodgson and Mrs McKay too!

Drumming Workshop

Mr Hodgson's class had fun on Monday learning about the origins of Samba and learning some drumming rhythms. They had fun making lots of noise! Thank you to Rutland Music for facilitating this session.



Frozen—Catmose College

Y1,2,3 &4 enjoyed a trip to Catmose College on Thursday to see a performance from the Y7 children of some songs from Frozen. The children had a lovely time and spotted lots of past pupils from English Martyrs!



FEM News!

Cake raffle The cake raffle this week was won Caden!

We look forward to seeing you at our Summer Fair tomorrow!

Supporting your child through change

Ten top tips to help support your child through change. The children have coped really well with transition this week but here are some tips if you feel you need to support your child(ren) through change. [top-ten-tips-for-parents.pdf](https://www.youngminds.org.uk/top-ten-tips-for-parents.pdf) ([youngminds.org.uk](https://www.youngminds.org.uk))



Prayer of the week

Dear Lord,

Sometimes it's hard to keep trying. It's hard when things are tough or when everything seems to be going wrong. Please help us never to give up but always to persevere. Please help us to be people who encourage others to keep trying as we all aim for different goals in life. Thank you that you never give up on us. Amen.

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SUMMER FAIR

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SATURDAY 8TH JULY 2023
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HAMBLETON BBQ ★ RAFFLE
LIMBO DANCING ★ ARCHERY
LUCKY DIP ★ REFRESHMENTS
FACE PAINTING ★ FOOTBALL
HUMAN FRUIT MACHINE
 Cash / Card available

8 July | 10.30am - 1pm ★ **Kids free**
 English Martyrs Catholic Voluntary Academy ★ **£1 Entrance fee for adults**
 Willow Crescent Oakham LE15 6EH ★

St Joseph's Church

Keep up to date with the Parish news [here](#) .

