

ENGLISH MARTYRS CATHOLIC VOLUNTARY ACADEMY



27th June 2025

Newsletter

COMING UP

Mon 30th June	Transition Day Y6 Forest School PM	Drama Club 3.30-4.30pm Tennis Club 3.30-4.30pm
Tues 1st July	Transition Day Flute Lessons PM	Y1-2 Gardening Club 3.30-4.30pm
Wed 2 nd July	Transition Day Drum Lessons PM	Piano Lessons PM
Thurs 3 rd July	Guitar/Singing lessons AM Y5 to Catmose - Matilda	EYFS Swimming Drums Lessons PM
Fri 4 th July	Piano/LAMDA Lessons AM	2.30pm Awards Assembly

NOTICES

- End of Year Awards
 Please note the new time.
 The End of Year Awards will be on Friday 4th July 2.30pm
- Parking Please do not park on/in front of the parking bays opposite the bungalows next to school. These are private bays which are needed for nurses and carers who visit the residents. Thank you.

Vacancies Please click <u>here</u> to view our vacancies.



Dear families,

First of all, a huge congratulations to our two pupils who celebrated their First Holy Communion at the weekend. I hope that it was a special day for the families.

It has been a wonderful week this week with lots of fun learning opportunities as well as extra-curricular activity. From smoothie making in Year 1 and 2, a walk around our neighbourhood looking at housing, to the children playing with the new scooter boards at lunchtimes, it has been a packed week.

We shared a beautiful Celebration of the Word to celebrate our parish church, St Joseph's on Thursday and the children sang beautifully making this a really special event. The music evening was incredible- the children are so talented. Thank you to all parents for your support and a big thanks to the teachers. Well done to the children for their performances, including our head boy Seb for his amazing introductions to each act.

I hope that you all enjoy the Summer Fair and have a great weekend, Mrs Brown

BIRTHDAYS

VIRTUE OF THE WEEK

Y2 - Sacha Y3 - Ivy Y5 - Charlie Y6 - Declan

SHAPPY SIRTHDAY

If your child has shown the weekly virtue out of school, please post a picture on their portfolio on Class Doio s

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FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Congratulations to Olivia and Alice-Rose who took their First Holy Communion on Sunday. We also celebrated in school by holding a special Celebration of the Word.





ST JOSEPH'S CELEBRATION

We welcomed parishioners into school this week for a lovely Celebration of the Word dedicated to St Joseph's 50th

anniversary.





/ MUSIC EVENING



What an amazing evening we had last night for our annual Music Evening. Our children performed beautifully using many of our school virtues including courage, confidence and resilience. We had a range

of performances, guitarists, pianists, flautists, singers and a violinist. A big thank you to our peripatetic music teachers for supporting the children, to everyone who helped on the night and of course the amazing children who made the night so special!



Y1 &2 SMOOTHIES

Year 1 and 2 have loved making their smoothies this week and decided on their favourite to sell at the summer fair - Tropical Blast (mango, raspberries, strawberries, pineapple and apple juice)!



MULTIFAITH WEEK

This week in RE, Year 1 and 2 have been learning about Hinduism for Multi-faith week. They have been learning about different Hindu Gods and Goddesses. They were also learning about the festival of Raksha Bandham where a rakhi, a bracelet made of red and gold threads, is tied around their wrists to show love to their brothers but also they wish on the bracelet that they will be protected from bad things. They enjoyed making their own rakhi bracelets!



FEM SUMMER FAIR







PRAYER

A prayer to share

Father God, thank you for the sunshine today. May its warmth and light bring joy and energy to all who experience it, and may we be reminded of your radiant love and presence in our lives



St Joseph's Church Keep up to date with the Parish news here.



What a fantastic summer fair we had today! A huge thank you to FEM for organising it and to all the volunteers who helped out. Thank you to all the families who braved the heat and supported the event. We look forward to hearing how much money was raised!

