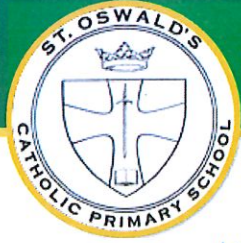


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Parents' / Carers' Newsletter

Summer term 2 2021



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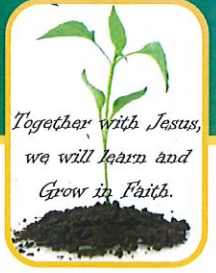
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A message from Mrs Walsh



Walk by faith not
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-2 Corinthians 5:7

We made it to the end of another year; this one has been strange, but we can now look forward to a fun filled summer holiday. As always, I would like to thank all of our families and children for pulling together, supporting each other, and making sure the children remained happy and safe, no matter what was going on elsewhere. The whole staff of St Oswald's have worked so hard, been so willing to adjust and to roll with the blows, I cannot praise them all enough.

To our year 6 children leaving us, we will miss you but know that you are ready for that next stage of your school life. You have been amazing and we are proud of you. God bless you all and keep you safe and happy.

Have a wonderful summer break, look after each other and I will see those of you staying on September 6th.



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Congratulations to our class attendance winners for the year:

EYFS -RJ - 92.5%

KS1 -1HH - 95.5%

LKS2 -4LD - 95.6%

UKS2 -6TL - 95.6%

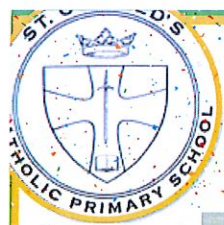
Whole School attendance for the year is **93.2%** Our target is- **97%**

Winning house team is **Lightbody!** Well done!

Sports day 2021!

Although we would have loved for all parents / careers to have been able to come and join in with the sports day celebrations, it did not stop all of the children from taking part and having a great day!





Year 6 Leavers

2014-2021

class of
2021



Congratulations

A message from the Head girl and Head boy

To our Saint Oswald's school community,

As year 6 draws to a close, we have found ourselves reflecting on our time in this wonderful school. With a mixture of sadness at what has passed and excitement for the future, we write to you as Head Boy and Head Girl, to thank you and say goodbye.

We have been on our Saint Oswald's journey for so long, with caring staff and our fellow classmates helping us along the way. We have become a family, and we are upset knowing that it has to come to an end. Everyone in this community has shown us respect and kindness, teaching us that all our feelings and opinions are valid and important. We would like to thank everyone that has guided us in our journey, helping us to grow and realise our potential.

The past couple of years have obviously been different, but as a year group we have overcome all challenges we have been faced with and are stronger for the experiences. Covid-19 has had a huge impact on our lives in school and at home, teaching us to value and appreciate our family, friends and school life more. Since Covid hit, we haven't been able to experience some of the things previous years have but we are proud of how everyone has dealt with these disappointments and still.

We would also like to say a big thank you on behalf of year 6, to all of the people that have made us feel included and welcome in our Saint Oswald's careers:

To Mrs Walsh, Miss Hay, Mr Loughran, Mr Dunn, Miss Jones, Mrs McBrien, other teachers, Tas, office staff, kitchen staff, welfare staff, caretakers, cleaners, family, friends and neighbours. You have all offered us support and love and we appreciate everything you have done for us.

It has been our honour to be your Head Boy and Head Girl this year. We will never forget the experiences we have had in Saint Oswald's and we know that we will cherish them forever.



We wish everybody here the very best in the years to come.

Signed,

Maisie & George

Head Girl & Head Boy 2021

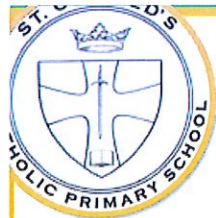


To all of Year 6...

Year 6 this year have been amazing in so many ways. They have risen to every challenge that they have been faced with both in school and during lockdown. Each and every child is unique in their own special way and we have been, and always will be so proud of them. They have given the staff at St. Oswald's lasting memories that we will never forget. We have watched them grow in confidence in all that they have achieved. It has been a pleasure to teach them and they will be greatly missed. Well done Year 6 and good luck in all that you do.

Mr. Dunn, Mr. Loughran and Miss Jones





Citizenship award



Your charity work is inspiring Ruby and we are all so proud of you!

Congratulations Ruby!

Endeavour Awards

2021



Nursery



Year 1



Reception

Congratulations to all of our endeavour award winners!



Year 2



Year 3

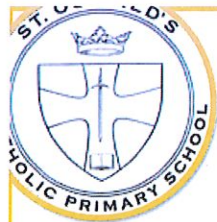
Year 5



Year 4

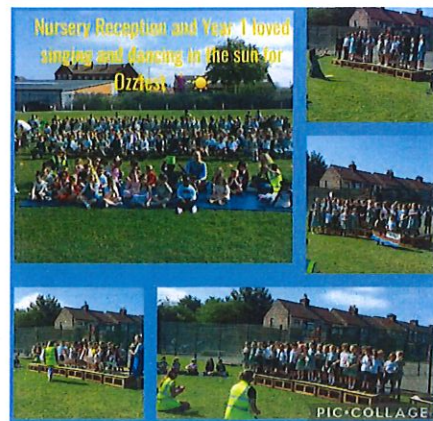


Year 6



Ozzfest 2021

All of the children had fun in the sun, singing their hearts out at Ozzfest! Each year group performed a different song, with performances from the choir in between! It was a great day had by all!



Covid-19 update

If your child develops COVID symptoms, please inform school straight away and then book a test online through NHS testing. Alternatively, you can call NHS 119 to book if you are unable to access the internet.

Following these steps, you **must** also inform school immediately of the results of a test:

- If a pupil tests **negative** - return to school the following day if they are well.
- If a pupil tests **positive** - self-isolate for at least **10 days** from the onset of their symptoms.

If a child tests positive, the pupils in their class / year group do **NOT** have to isolate unless advised to.

Please email all positive results to positivecovid@stoswaldsschool.com

Term Dates

Autumn 2021 Term 1

Monday 6th September - Friday 22nd October

INSET DAYS - 2nd and 3rd September

Half term - Monday 25th October - Friday 29th October

We hope you all have a well-rested, happy and peaceful summer holiday and look forward to welcoming you all back for the start of our new academic year 2021 / 2022