



# St Mary's Catholic Primary School Newsletter

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## Advent Term 2021 Newsletter 9



*"With Christ as our guide we let our light shine."*

### *A Message from Mrs Yuen...*

Dear Parents,

Welcome back I do hope you had an enjoyable half term break and are refreshed and ready for an exciting half term ahead.

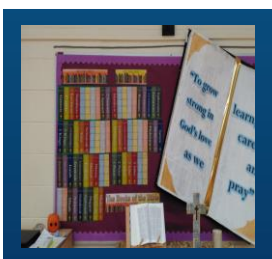
This week has been the start of our after-school club. We have three members of staff who provide a nurturing setting for our children staying with us. Lots of fun activities take place including craft and games. There is also menu of snacks provided. Feedback so far has been extremely positive which is great to hear. Please do contact the office if you are in need of this service. Please do complete a registration form, just in case you need to make a last-minute arrangement. These can be obtained at the school office and Mrs Hards will also be able to answer any questions you may have.

On Tuesday we look forward to inviting you to our Book Look session at 3.30- 4pm. Your child will be able to share their learning with you in their classroom.

As we are in November, our thoughts turn to the faithfully departed. Throughout this month we especially pray for the Holy Souls especially our loved ones who are no longer with us. On Thursday we will also be marking Remembrance Day with a special service.

Have a wonderful weekend.

*Best Wishes  
Mrs Yuen*



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## Term Dates

### Term Starts

Monday 1<sup>st</sup> November

### Staff Inset Days

Friday 26<sup>th</sup> November

Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> January

### Term Ends

17<sup>th</sup> December

### Upcoming Events

9<sup>th</sup> November visit to

Nazareth House

10<sup>th</sup> November Yr 6 visit to

Holdenby House

16<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> November Into  
the Film Festival

## Road Safety Week

Everyone can be a road safety hero. Road Safety Week 2021 celebrates the professionals who are working to make roads safer for everyone.



### Road Safety Poster Competition

Are you a Road Safety Hero? Design a poster, which shows or tells children how to stay safe on the roads. The winning entry will be made into a calendar, which will be put up around the school and presented to the winner. Runner up prizes will be awarded too.



## Afterschool Club



Our Afterschool club opened this week and the children have had a wonderful week with Mrs Cook, Mrs Murphy and Mrs Taylor. Afterschool club is open every day from 3:15 – 5:30pm. Please contact the school office if you would like to register for a place.



## PE Timetable

The children will now attend school in their PE kit on their PE day.

Monday: Years 4, 5 and 6

Wednesday: Year 2 and 3

Friday: Year 1 and Reception

### PE Uniform:



Royal blue round neck school  
logo t-shirt  
Navy Shorts  
Navy school logo hoodie

### Outdoor Games kit:

Black or white trainers  
Plain navy jogging bottoms/leggings

## Anti-Bullying week – Odd Socks Day



Anti-Bullying week is 15<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup> November. The theme this year is 'One Kind Word' and the week includes an 'Odd Sock Day' Children can wear odd socks on Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> November to show we are all different.

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