



St Mary & St Michael Catholic Primary School

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NEWSLETTER 11

25th November 2022

Dear Parents,

This Sunday we begin to celebrate the season of Advent. Advent is the season of hope, culminating in the celebration of the birth of Jesus, which brings us the good news that we are loved unconditionally by God.

In Advent, we make a wreath with four candles.

Candle one (purple) for **HOPE** - for Jesus coming in a special way.
Candle two (purple) for **LOVE** - we must love one another.
Candle three (rose/pink) for **JOY** - we must bring joy to our families.
Candle four (purple) for **PEACE** - we bring together love and joy.



Anti Bullying Poster Winners

Congratulations to the winners of the Anti Bullying Poster Competition. All the children received a certificate and a treat for their creative designs. Well done Zayyan, Sara, Avalyn, Benjamin, Afiyah, Hector, Clara, Oskar, Mahreen, Mason, Syeda, Pedro.



Author Visit

A quick reminder that on Monday, 28th November, author Banji Alexander will be visiting the school to share his new book 'Lockdown Looms: Reggie's Birthday Party'. If you would like a copy of his book, you have until Sunday to pay £10 on the school's 360 app. A great Christmas present to share with friends and family.

Have a good weekend.

God bless

Rachel Mahon

Headteacher

Reminder of Forthcoming Events

Monday 28th November - Y1-Y6 Advent Service 9:15 in Church (Parents Welcome)

GOLD AWARDS WINNERS

Nursery	Reception	Year 1	Year 2
Aminda	Ray	Lassana	Tate
Isla	Abu-Faiyeq	Demi-Louise	Ismaeel
	George	Kai	Zayyan
	Harper	Eloa	Milita
Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Davi	Andrea	Sadan	Isabella
Aishani	David	Leanne	Ewa
Florence	Felicia	Gracie	Gabriel
Kian	Erik	Sayra	Zakayah



Attendance Autumn Term 14/11/22 to 18/11/22

Position	Class	%
1st	4A	98.3
2nd	6K	97.9
3rd	Ladybird	97.0
3rd	5W	97.0
5th	1L	96.9
6th	4B	96.3
7th	6H	95.9
8th	5G	93.3
9th	2D	92.0
10th	3F	91.4
11th	1P	91.3
12th	3A	90.3
13th	2F	88.7
14th	Butterfly	79.1

Whole School: 93.4%

House Points - Winner 2022/23

The winning house is St Lawrence with
170 points.

Congratulations!



St Cyril (yellow)



St Elizabeth (green)



St Lawrence (red)



St Josephine (blue)

Handwriting Award Winners

Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Drishyana	Ester	Scarlett	Syeda	Amber	Harleigh
Ahyane	Violet	Noah	Inaaya	Cassius	Louie

Primary (Reception) and Nursery 2023 admissions drop-in information session for parents

Don't miss the deadlines for admission to primary and nursery schools. Come along to a drop-in session at one of our Children and Family Centres to find out more.

John Smith Children and Family Centre:
22 November, 1:30 - 3:30pm

Olga Children and Family Centre:
29 November, 10am - 12noon

Isle of Dogs Children and Family Centre:
6 December, 10am - 12noon

Mowlem Children and Family Centre:
13 December, 10am - 12noon

No booking necessary – just turn up!

