

St. Joseph's Primary School



Autumn 2023 October 6th 2023



Attendance	Winning Class Attendance:
Reception 81.6%	YEAR 4
Year 1 96.4% Year 4 99.2%	00.2%
Year 2 90.7% Year 5 92.8%	99.2 %
Year 3 93.7% Year 6 98.8%	Well done fantastic!

School
Attendance:
93%

Update of the week:

New term dates have been added to the website calendar please take a look.

Please be aware school starts at 8.50 am and registers are taken then. Try not to be late as your child will receive a late mark - if this is continual it will then be referred to the Educational welfare officer as an attendance issue.

SCHOOL DINNERS/ BREAKFAST CLUB - Free school dinners are provided to Reception- Year 3 at the moment as County continues to roll out the service. If your child is in Year 4-6 please remember to pay Dinner Money online and in advance of the week otherwise, as informed by County, we are no longer allowed to provide dinners unless they are paid for. School dinners are £2.40 per day (£12 a week). Breakfast Club is £1.50 a day (£7.50 a week – siblings are half price). If your child changes from dinners to sandwiches please let the office know.

Congratulations to Year 6 on their project on 'Cynefin' which culminated in a performance yesterday October 5th in Pontardawe Arts Centre. Huge thanks to Mr Derek Cobley on his direction of pupils it was a wonderful performance.

We are now collecting items for Harvest Hampers – please be as generous as you can. The hampers will be raffled during the last week of this half term and all money raised will go to St John Lloyd Comprehensive school who will be making up Christmas gifts for the needy of our local area.

PARENTS EVENINGS

- Parents evening for Reception Year 2 will be in the School Hall on Monday October 9th 3.00 - 5.30 pm.
 A link has been sent out to you, if you wish to book a place.
- Parents evening for Year 3 6 will be on Monday October 16th in the School Hall 3.00 5.30 pm again a link has been sent out.

Upcoming dates:

Tuesday October 10th Flu Vaccinations

Wednesday October 12th Blessing of the Rosaries

Monday October 30th - Friday 3rd November HALF TERM

TERM ENDS Friday December 22nd

Monday January 8th INSET DAY

This terms Virtues: Grateful & Generous

Pupils grow by encouraging them to know and be grateful for all their gifts, developing them to the full so that they can be generous in the service of others.

