



St. Joseph's Primary School



Summer 2024

May 3rd 2024



Attendance	
Nursery: 78.4%	
Reception: 84.2%	
Year 1: 95.3%	Year 4: 87.6%
Year 2: 83.2%	Year 5: 95.3%
Year 3: 93.7%	Year 6: 91.5%

Winning Class Attendance:
YEARS 1 & 5
95.3%
Well done, fantastic!

School
Attendance:
89.3%

Update of the week:

Jesuit Virtues for May and June are:

Eloquent & Truthful	Pupils are growing to be eloquent and truthful in what they say of themselves, the relations between people, and the world.
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We celebrated the Feast of St Joseph this week with a procession of our St Joseph statue to Mass at St. Benedict's. Thank you to Father Saji for celebrating Mass with us.

Please be aware pupil attendance is being monitored. If your child is absent you must ring the absence line and inform us of their illness to ensure the correct code. Holidays during school time must be requested and will only be authorized if your child has attendance over 90%.

We will be celebrating the Crowning of Our Lady on Wednesday May 8th at 11am. We are hopeful this will be an outdoor event in the yard to which all parents are invited. If, however, the weather is not good it will be held in the Hall for pupils only. We will let you know as soon as possible. All pupils are invited to bring in their rosaries and flowers to place at the statue of Our Lady. The flowers will then go to the Parishes to decorate the churches.

Breakfast Club – unfortunately the provision of breakfast club has been running at a loss again for the last financial year. Parents are asked to pay £1.50 per day and half this amount for siblings.

Sunflower kits are still on sale. Try and grow the tallest sunflower and bring it in on **Sunflower day Friday July 12th**. All proceeds go to Singleton Hospital Chemotherapy Unit. We have decided on an 'Elvis' theme for the day with a concert in the afternoon – more details to follow soon.



Upcoming dates:

Friday 3rd May 2:30 pm Friends of St Joseph's meeting

May 6th MAY DAY BANK HOLIDAY

Wednesday May 8th Crowning of Our Lady 11 am

Wednesday May 8th -10th BORFA Residential Year 6

Tuesday May 14th Urdd Jambori for Years 3, 5 & 6.

Tuesday May 14th Egypt Centre Visit Year 4

Wednesday May 15th Year 5 Canal walk

Saturday May 18th First Holy Communion 10.00 am St. Benedict's

HALF TERM Monday MAY 27th- Friday May 31st

Wednesday June 5th Virtual Synagogue visit

Thursday June 6th Class Photos

Thursday June 6th Crucial Crew year 6 Waterfront Museum visit

Wednesday June 19th Confirmation 6.00pm St. Benedict's Church