



ST JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

27th March 2026

Dear Parents,

What a busy time this Spring Term has been. We have had lots of new and exciting learning going on and all the pupils have earned a well-deserved rest. We look forward to welcoming them all back on Monday 13th April 2026.

Birthdays

Happy Birthday to Jason, Onyekachi, Michael, Esther, Gursehaj, Gurbaaz, Nicole, Beau, Tian'nique, Jaysiah, Nana, Olivia-Grace, Thea, Lumhe, Oses, Barima, Westley, Imi, Desire, Chimdi, Tatiana and Mary.

Subject newsletters

Our Subject Leads have been busy collating all the fun and exciting things that have been going on across the school. Over the next few weeks, we will be uploading these onto the school website, so please look out for them.

Uniform

Just a reminder that when we come back after Easter, pupils can wear the Summer Uniform if they want to. The uniform list is on the school website if you can't remember what they need.

Calendar dates

You have been sent a provisional list of calendar dates. There are still a few dates that need to be added in, once we have had them confirmed, but most of the important ones are there.

Clubs for Summer Term

You will have received another email about Chess Club and Super Star Sports Clubs. If you are interested in your child joining these, then please follow the instructions on the leaflet to get them signed up. The only clubs being offered by staff this term, are for Year 6 to further support them in their SATs preparation.

Holy Week

A big thank you to Year 5 for sharing the messages of Holy Week with us. This week they have performed an assembly each day, guiding us through the events that led to the death of Jesus. It was both beautiful and thought-provoking.





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If you wish to join Holy Family Parish for any of their Lent preparations, then please follow the link to find out the time of the masses [Holy Family Church](#)

Cinema Visits

Years 1-6 had the opportunity to visit the cinema and enjoy a film free of charge thanks to 'Into Film'. Year 1&2 watched Spongebob Squarepants, Year 3&4 watched Bad Guys 2 and Year 5&6 were treated to Paddington in Peru. All the pupils had a fantastic time – a big thank you to all the volunteers that went with them.

Year 4 Swimming

Today Year 4 pupils came home with a letter about swimming lessons, which start on the first Friday that we come back. As with all trips we rely on volunteers to make these things possible – so please do volunteer your time if you can.

Topic Launch Day – Monday 13th April 2026

Pupils all went home this week with information about the topic that they will be studying when they come back after Easter. On Monday 13th April we will be celebrating our Launch Day across the school, where all classes will be immersed in their new topics. Pupils are asked to complete their own research and find out something about their new topic that they can share with their classmates on this first day.

Year 1 Tea Party

Thank you to those parents who were able to attend the Year 1 Tea Party. The pupils had great fun making all the treats linked to The Great Fire of London. Thankfully this time there were no fires in the oven!

Finally, we hope that you all have a restful time over the Easter break and have the opportunity to spend time with family and friends.

Mrs Hinton

