



Holy Family School

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Asthma

Thank you to those parents that attended the meeting with Nurse Jo yesterday to talk through any concerns and to make sure your child is using their inhaler correctly. Please ensure you tell us if your child has asthma and that they have an inhaler (and spacer) in school and that their inhaler has not expired.

Take Over Day

Today, Year 5 and 6 children got to experience different roles in the school. For example, I was Head Teacher! To get the job we had to submit application forms. We had to go through extremely, nerve racking interviews, to get the role we wanted. Please make sure you check the school website for more information. By Kelisha

Kajanann, Fizah & Natalia spent the day with M.P. Jess Phillips at her office and produced a funny flyer – see over!

This Weeks Highlights

- Tues 11, Y5/6 children participated in the KE Maths Challenge
- Tue Open Morning
- Tue CWL Bingo evening
- Wed Anti-Bullying Assembly

Sports Report

We recently took part in a Basketball competition and Holy Family Team played well with Harvey, Ciaran and Asif taking some good shots and Kelisha was a good defender. We drew the first game, lost the second game, drew the third game and lost the fourth. By Ciaran

Reception Class September 2016

Children due to start school next September, need to apply online by Wednesday 4th December.

Monday is Money Day

All monies need to be paid on Mondays. If your child is having a dinner on Fridays – you need to **book and pay** for it on **Monday** so the cook can order the right amount of food – thank you.



Dates for your diary ...

INSET DAYS:

Monday 4th January
Thursday 5th May (Polling day)
Friday 27th May

Defibrillator

We now have a defibrillator in school, thanks to your fund raising efforts. 11 staff received training last week. The survival rate of anyone suffering a cardiac arrest is only 6%, but if a defibrillator can be used on them early that statistic rises to 74% survival.

Please see demonstration link here
<http://www.ipad-aed.com/training>

Holy Family is a Reading School!

All the children that receive a celebration certificate now also receive a book as an additional reward.

Remember that children should be reading for at least 20 minutes every night.

PARENT VOICE

Please join the parent group for a coffee on Tuesdays at 8.40am. Your opinions are then discussed and if we can change things for the better we will.

IMPROVING ATTENDANCE LETTERS

Thank you to those families that have returned their signed letter. We still need **13 forms**.

Please ensure you have **signed and returned** your child's letter.

Miss Keating is writing to these parents.

Mass times at Holy Family Catholic Church:

Saturday 4.00 pm
Sundays 10.30am & 5.15pm

We aim for 100% Attendance and Punctuality for EVERY child

Class of the Week as at 13.11.15 Year 6 with 97.78%
Whole School Target 97%

Whole School Attendance 95.56% ☹

Thank you for your continued support
God Bless, Mr Foley 20.11.15