

July Newsletter 2022 "Christ in our heads, our hearts and our hands"

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Principal Mrs. K. Bickley

Dear Parents,

As the school year comes to an end, I would like to thank you for your continued support. I sincerely hope that the children have enjoyed their year at school. Their enthusiasm for learning, excellent behaviour and faith filled hearts make St Chad's the wonderful school it is.

I would also like to thank all the staff for their hard work and dedication during the year. No matter what their role in school, they have contributed to ensuring the children have been taught and cared for and the school has run efficiently.

Our Year 6 class have worked tirelessly throughout the year and leave St Chad's as great ambassadors ready to embrace the new experiences that lie ahead. We wish them every happiness and success in the future.

The school is moving forward and will continue to do so. At the beginning of the new year I will share with you our next steps and ideas for 2022/2023.

In the meantime, may I wish you all a very happy holiday with your wonderful children. I have thoroughly enjoyed building relationships with them and hope you enjoy reading your child's report.

Reflection for the month of July

MONTHLY REFLECTION

At the end of this school year we give thanks to God for our year together at our school.. For all the things we have learnt, for our friendships and time to grow in faith and love.

Dear Lord

Bless our pupils and families may their time together provide them with memories to cherish. Pour out your

love on us that we may return renewed and refreshed to continue our journey together. **Amen**

Classes for September 2022

Rec: Mrs N. Smith

Yr 1: Miss G. Fellows

Yr 2: Miss S. Westwood

Yr 3: Mrs M. Farley

Yr 4: Mrs L. Dunne

Yr 5: Mr B. Wilkinson

Yr 6: Miss T. Polito



Mrs M. Harper, Mrs E. Hadley, Miss J. Moretti, Mrs S. Newey, Ms L. Quinn, Mrs S. Devi will provide support in school. Miss G. Clarke, Mrs C. Westwood and Mrs L. Stevenson will work in the EYFS.

Attendance

Well Done to Year 1 for excellent attendance during the month of June.



Reception	94.9%
Year 1	97.2%
Year 2	96.2%
Year 3	94.4%
Year 4	94.3%
Year 5	93.3%
Year 6	88.8%
Whole School	94.1%

July Dates

Friday 1st Sports Dress up Day/Reports out



Sat 2nd Year 3 Going Forth Mass 6.30pm at church

Mon 4th/Thurs 7th Wow Active

Tues 5th Parents Evening

Thurs 7th Year 6 Parents Meeting Confirmation

Fri 8th Year 6 Saints Day

Mon 11th Rocksteady concert

Wed 13 Year 6 Confirmation 6.30pm at church

Thurs 14th July Years 1-6 Trip to Weston-super Mare

Tues 19th Leavers Mass, Graduation and Picnic

Wed 20th School finishes for the summer holidays

Confirmation Arrangements

The Year 6 children will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation at 6.30pm at church from His Grace Bishop Wright.

Please note a Parents and Sponsors meeting will be held on Thursday 7th July at 6.00pm at school to go through the arrangements. We look forward to seeing you then.

Year 6 Leavers Mass, Graduation and Picnic



All parents are welcome to join us on Tuesday 19th July to celebrate with our Year 6 class.

The day will start with the Leavers Mass at 9.30am at church, followed by a Graduation Ceremony.

Please could all parents bring a picnic lunch on the day to share with your child at school. It would be lovely to mark the children's time at St Chad's.

A further request—please can you send photos of your child which we would like to share with the class. Thank you.

The Road Safety & Travel Awareness Team - Dudley Council



The Road Safety & Trav-

el Awareness Team provide road safety education and advice across the borough of Dudley, provide cycling and Bikeability advice and training, again across the Borough, both in schools and within the community as a whole. The team also coordinate the School Crossing Patrol service in Dudley

Road Safety & Travel Awareness

https://www.dudley.gov.uk/residents/parking-and-roads/

School Uniform

The Government states:

'We strongly encourage schools to have a uniform as it can play a key role in:

- promoting the ethos of a school
- providing a sense of belonging and identity
- setting an appropriate tone for education'

The Government have asked all schools to consider its school uniform to ensure that it is:

- fit for purpose
- easily obtainable and
- cost effective for parents.

With this in mind

Please consider the following questions attached to this newsletter and let us know your thoughts. Thank You.

Best wishes Mrs K. Bickley

School Uniform



Please consider the following questions.

I would be grateful if you get your responses back to school by Wednesday 6th July.	Thank You
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Do you like your child/ children to wear school uniform?	
Do you believe that our uniform is affordable for parents?	
Do you think school uniform promotes identity and belonging?	
How often do you have to replace school uniform throughout the year?	
If you do replace items, what is your main reason for doing so?	
Please add any further comments you wish to make.	