



HOLY FAMILY

CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL



This Week- 09.02.26

What a fantastic half term it has been!

This week, we continued our Jubilee Year journey with St Francis, reflecting on peace and caring for God’s creation. We sang “Peace, Perfect Peace” and thought about how we can make life better for others. For Safer Internet Day, children explored online safety and how to use technology and AI responsibly, linking this to treating everyone with dignity and kindness. During Children’s Mental Health Week, some children created artwork about where they feel they belong, reminding us that feeling valued and connected helps us all to thrive. Thank you to our Reception, Year 4 and Year 5 families who joined the Inspire Workshops—it was wonderful to see parents and children learning together. As we prepare for Lent, in our Celebration of The Word we reflected different gospel stories and how forgiveness brings peace and hope. We also celebrated our Year 6 children, who received medals from the Birmingham Youth Project for their work in the Healthy Lifestyle Fitness programme.

Wishing all families a safe and happy half-term. We look forward to welcoming the children back on Monday, 23rd February.

Attendance

It is vitally important that your child is in school and on time every day. As a school we constantly aim for 100% attendance to make sure your child is getting the very most out of school.

We visit families if children are not in school as absences are a concern. Well done CLASS 2EH –97 %

Upcoming Dates

- 05.03.26- World Book Day
- 11.03.26- COMPASS self-esteem workshop 9-10am
- 11.03.26- Parent consultations
- 13.03.26- Year 5 trip to Oscott college
- 17.03.26- Reception Feast Day
- 23.03.26 – Year 3 & 4 Dudley Zoo
- 14.04.26- Year 5 trip to Green Lane Mosque
- 24.04.26- Year 1 trip to Mount Pleasant farm

Ramadan 2026

Ramadan begins around the 17th/18th of February, and we recognise that some of our older children may wish to fast during this special time. We respect and support this choice for pupils in Year 5 and Year 6, but they may only fast in school if we have a signed parental consent form. Consent forms are available from Mrs King—please pick one up if your child intends to fast. We know that children will want to carry on with their normal school activities, and we will encourage them to take part as usual. However, if your child becomes unwell, faint, or struggles during the day, we will offer them something to eat or drink for their wellbeing, and we will contact you.

We have **school places** in Year 2, 3 and Reception. Please let others know about Holy Family

Parent Consultations- 11th March

Parents evening will be on Wednesday 11th March. You can book an appointment with your child’s class teacher via SchoolCloud. A message will be sent out on Monday 23rd February to book an appointment- booking opens at 9am. Please come to the school office if you are having trouble booking an appointment.

Breakfast club

Please join us for Breakfast club everyday starting at 8am onwards! Your child can come through the school office, have a warm breakfast and then go straight to class once the gates open. It is completely **free** and open to Year 1-6.



Cold Weather

Wrap up warm!
Please make sure your child is coming to school with a **warm coat, a hat, scarf and gloves**
Attendance is **compulsory** for all children unless school notifies parents otherwise.



Our Virtues and Values are Curious and Active. Catholic Social Teaching is Family and Community .

Have a lovely weekend, God bless Mrs King