



## ST. GREGORY'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL, COVENTRY

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'St Gregory's is an  
OUTSTANDING  
Catholic School'

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'St Gregory's is a GOOD school'

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### 27th September 2018

If you would like to receive a paper copy of the newsletter please ask at Office.

Dear Parents

- Year 6 will be leaving for their adventures at Dol-y-Moch on Saturday. We wish them a safe journey and I am sure they will have lots of exciting stories to tell us when they return on Wednesday.
- On Friday 5th October Y4 will be visiting Legoland as part of their topic work.
- **PLEASE REMEMBER THE SCHOOL IS CLOSED TOMORROW FRIDAY 28TH SEPTEMBER FOR TEACHER TRAINING DAY.**

### Baby News

Congratulations to Mrs Waters on the arrival of Emma Rose weighing 6lb 10oz and Mrs McCormick on the arrival of Emily weighing 6lb 15oz.



### 27th September

#### Feast Day of St Vincent de Paul

Find out about his lifestyle and how he can be an inspiration in your life today.



### Starting Secondary School

Apply online at [www.coventry.gov.uk/admissions](http://www.coventry.gov.uk/admissions) if your child starts secondary school September 2019. The closing date for applications is 31st October 2018.

### Starting Primary School

Apply online at [www.coventry.gov.uk/admissions](http://www.coventry.gov.uk/admissions) if your child starts primary school September 2019. The closing date for applications is 15th January 2018.



### Parents' evening

Do not forget this will take place on 9th October starting from 3.30. Please book your appointment on Parentmail. It is vital that you utilise this opportunity to meet your child's new teacher, discuss progress and what their new targets are for the term. If you are unable to attend please can you let me know. I will also be available to talk to any parents regarding any concerns.

### The Archdiocese of Birmingham

#### Celebration Day

Celebrating our involvement in World Meeting of Families, Youth Synod and Adoremus plus a celebration of the canonisation of B.I. Oscar Romero and B.I. Pope John Paul VI alongside five others.

This will be held on:

Sunday 14th October

10-4pm

Cardinal Wiseman School

Potters Green Road

Coventry CV2 2AJ

Tickets are free, but please book to secure your place:

[Www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/Event/diocesan-celebration-day](http://Www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/Event/diocesan-celebration-day) or call 01212306286



### SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS

Individual/family photos will be taken on the 15th October. Smart winter school uniform is required for that day please. If there are any younger siblings who would like to be in the photo please let the office staff know.

### FROGS MEETING

**FROGS** is the Parent Staff group that meets to arrange social and fundraising events in school. Our next meeting is on Tuesday 11th October 2018 @ 6pm. Please come along a join us. If you cannot attend the meeting, please support the events!



As the colder weather draws closer after half term we will no longer be offering school packed lunch on the lunchtime menu. We think the children will benefit from a hot meal on cold winter days.

### Polite notices

Please can parents not park in Little Hearts Nursery carpark when collecting their children from St Gregory's school. It is a **private** carpark for their use only, Also After school clubs finish at 4.15pm. Please collect your child at this time or else they will have to go to care club where you will be charged.



**Congratulations to:**



Attendance report to Thursday evening:						<b>Holidays in term time will not be authorised and may result in a fine</b>							
YR	98.87%	Y1	96.11%	Y2	98.05%	Y3	94.95%	Y4	97.31%	Y5	96.07%	Y6	97.40%
<b>Well done to Year Reception</b>											Average attendance so far this year: 96.99%		

## We Asked / You said / we did!

28<sup>th</sup> September 2018

Dear Parents/Carers

Thank you very much to those who managed to complete the parent questionnaire.

Here are some of the key findings:-

Children are happy at St Gregory's school.

Children feel safe at school.

Most parents are happy with their child's progress.

Most parents are happy with how their child is taught.

Most parents are happy with the school for making sure its pupils are well behaved.

Due to your feedback we will: -

Share our Anti-bullying policy so all parents are aware of how we deal with bullying.

Review our homework policy with the support of a 'parent, staff, child working group'.

Thank you for your support with helping us to continue to improve.

Mrs Marshall

Congratulations to Year Reception for their attendance this week.

Each week the winning class will have a point for being the best attending class. At the end of the year, the class points will be turned into £££s, and they will be able to use the money for a class party.

So, don't let your class mates down by being off too much—they all want as big a party as possible!!