



St Gregory's Catholic Primary School Newsletter

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"Walking together in the Light of the Lord."

A Message from Mrs Yuen...

Dear Parents and Carers,

What a wonderful week we have had in school – our visit from the dinosaurs on Monday has certainly been a highlight! Thank you to all parents and staff who supported our Phonics Information Evening on Tuesday and the MacMillan Coffee Afternoon today. We look forward to sharing with you how much we have raised.

Parents' Evenings will be held in the School Hall on Tuesday 28th September and Wednesday 29th September with appointments available from 3.30pm until 5.50pm. Please book via ParentMail unless you are in Miss Jackson's class who need to call the School Office.

This week, parents of pupils in Key Stage Two will have received communication regarding First Holy Communion preparation in our local parishes. We look forward to hearing about St Gregory's pupils making their First Holy Communion later in the year!

Enjoy your weekend and we look forward to seeing you at Parents' Evening next week.

**Best wishes,
Mrs Yuen**

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Discovering Dinosaurs!

We are sure you have heard about our special visitors last Monday. Amazingly, dinosaurs took over our school for the afternoon!

The children reported that it was amazing to see different species of dinosaurs up close and enjoyed digging for dinosaur bones like real explorers!

Thank you to A Life Long Ago, who provided the workshops. The children thoroughly enjoyed themselves!



Term Dates

Term Dates 2021/2022

Advent Term

Term ends: Wednesday 20th
October 2021

**Half Term: 21st October – 31st
October 2021**

Term starts: Monday 1st November
2021

**Please note school will be closed
on Friday 26 November 2021 for
Staff INSET Day**

Term ends: Friday 17th December
2021

FREE Gardening Equipment

For every £10 you spend (in store or online) at Morrisons, you'll receive a Grow Token to help your school get everything they need to get growing. Please download the MyMorrisons app today to start collecting Grow Tokens and nominate **St Gregory's** as the school you'd like to donate them to.

We will then be able to exchange the Grow Tokens for FREE gardening equipment to support the brilliant work Mrs Claris is doing in our Outdoor Learning area!

The Power of Reading!

We have been busy redesigning our English curriculum at St Gregory's to nurture a whole school love of reading and writing in all our pupils. Exposure to high quality children's literature is top of our list and Mrs Cowell has been busy adding another 150 texts to our Accelerated Reader bookshelves!



Off with her Head!

Year 5 have created some fantastic portraits of Henry VIII in their Art lessons with Mrs Cowell!



Chocolate in Maths!

'In Maths, we have been using our measuring skills to make nets of shapes. To make sure they worked perfectly, we had to be completely accurate with our measurements!'



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