

# St Gregory's Catholic Primary School

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At St Gregory's, we have been very lucky to have Mrs Hayfield as part of our Leadership team for many years. Her hard work and dedication has had a huge impact on our children's progress and outcomes and she has continually gone above and beyond for children in our school.

As many of you know, Mrs Hayfield has been on Maternity Leave since Easter, and had a beautiful baby boy, Albie, in April. She has chosen to extend her time at home with her children and will not be returning to work at St Gregory's. We are going to miss her very much and would like to thank her for every opportunity she gave to the children and in leading our community in such an inspirational way.

On Monday, the children will lead an assembly to celebrate everything that Mrs Hayfield has done for our school. We know that she will always continue to be a valued member of our school community.

*The Senior Leadership Team*

## Online Safety

Mrs Lucy has recently written to our KS2 families regarding online safety, for more information and useful guides to help support your child's technology and internet use, please see the Online Safety page on our school website or make an appointment to see Mrs Lucy by contacting the school office.

## PTFA Notice

Please note you will now be able to purchase tickets for the Christmas Film Nights outside the Emmaus Room after school until Wednesday 4th December.

## Hope Centre Donations

We happily host a year-round donation centre for Northampton Hope Centre, a local charity that Bishop Peter is a Patron of. We would like to fill another basket for Mrs Cooper to deliver before Christmas, please support the homeless and those in food poverty by delivering your donation to the school office. The Hope Centre have a list of items that are in particular need during this cold time of year, please [click here](#) to view it.

## Toyota Dream Car Competition

Just a reminder, Mrs Blackah sent home the details of a [design competition](#) for the children to create plans of their own Dream Car and have a chance to win iPads and goodies from Toyota, as well as a trip to Tokyo! Get designing as the closing date is Monday 20<sup>th</sup> January.



## Upcoming Events

### December 2

Open Morning for Prospective Pupils – [book online](#)

PTFA Film Night Tickets on sale after school

### December 3

Open Morning for Prospective Pupils – [book online](#)

### December 4

9:15am Coffee Morning & Under 3s Play Group with the PTFA – All welcome!

Mini Vinnies trip to TBCS to attend mince pies and carols for the retired community and SVP

2:45pm [Parent/Carer Reflection](#) in the Emmaus Room

### December 5

School Nurses – Flu Nasal Spray

10:30am Mass celebrated by Fr Andrew

### December 9

Open Morning for Prospective Pupils – [book online](#)

7:00pm Readers from St Gregory's School at Christchurch Carol Service

### December 10

Foundation Stage Nativity performance to school

Choir Trip to Eleonore House – Carol Singing