

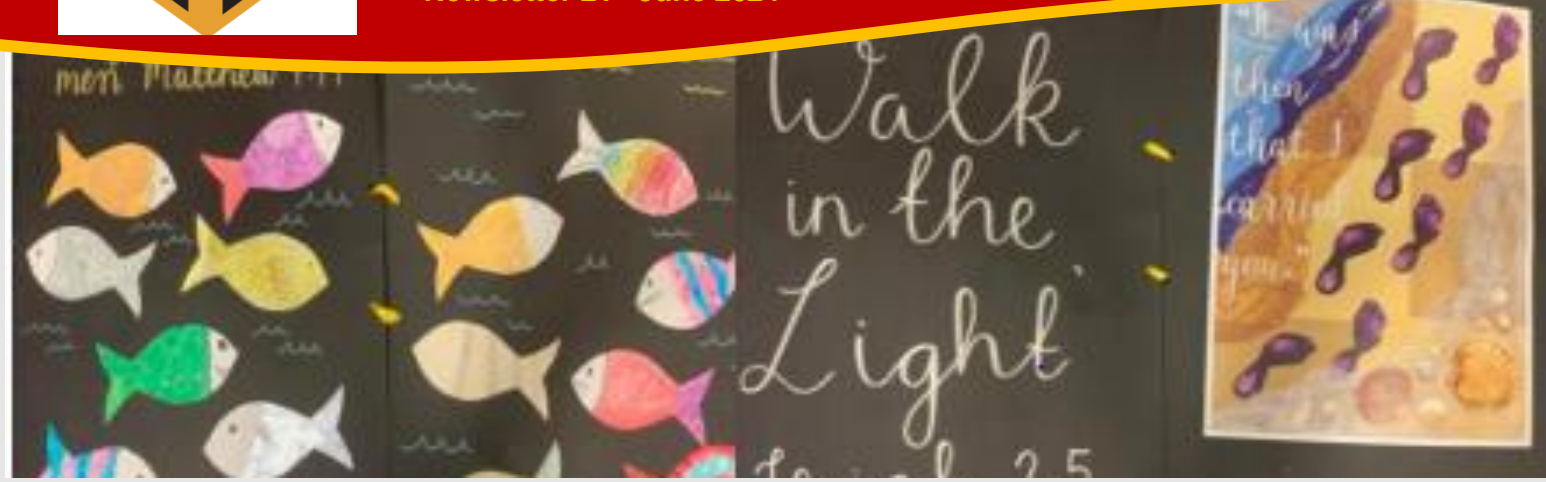


St Gregory's Catholic Primary School Newsletter

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Newsletter 21st June 2024



"Walking together in the Light of the Lord."

A Message from Miss Marum...

Dear Parents and Carers,

The sunshine certainly makes for an excellent week in school! The children (and staff!) have enjoyed having some warmer weather throughout the week with more outdoor learning happening and a renewed enjoyment of breaktimes and lunchtimes. I am delighted that Ice Lolly Friday has coincided with such lovely weather! Please remember we expect your child's school cardigan or sweatshirt to be in school each day. This, as well as your child's sunhat must be clearly marked with your child's name. Please apply an all-day suncream to your child before they arrive at school each day. Shade and water are always available to children throughout break and lunchtimes and in classrooms too.

Thank you to the families who came to our meeting for new Reception parents on Monday – we almost had a full house! On Tuesday 25th June, we have a stay and play event running for these children from 10am. We look forward to seeing you there!

Our Year 4 children were excellent ambassadors for our school this week when they visited Northampton Museum for a workshop about the Anglo-Saxons, this was great to hear!

We hope you are able to enjoy the glorious weather this weekend and look forward to seeing the children on Monday!

**Best wishes,
Miss Marum**

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En mi familia hay...

Children in Nursery have been talking about their families in their Spanish lessons and have been learning the vocabulary for the names of different family members. Today - while sitting at tables just like the older children - they worked to draw images of the people in their families, using the name for each, in Spanish, as a prompt. Our Nursery children really enjoy their Spanish lessons each week; their recall of key vocabulary is very impressive!



Term Dates

Pentecost Term

Term starts: Monday 3rd June 2024

Term ends: Friday 19th July 2024

Advent Term

Term starts: Wednesday 4th September 2024

Term ends: Friday 25th October 2024

**Half Term: Monday 28th October 2024-
Friday 1st November 2024**

Term starts: Monday 4th November 2024

Term ends: Friday 20th December 2024

Lent Term

Term starts: Monday 6th January 2025

Term ends: Friday 14th February 2025

Find full term dates [here](#).

Summer Sketching

Year 2 practised their sketching skills in art yesterday with Mrs N-G and there were some very impressive results. Lots of care and attention was afforded to the activity by all the children.

Some of the accuracy and detail was really impressive and the children really enjoyed the sunshine!



Money in Maths

Year 1 have been learning about money this week and each year it is more and more noticeable that children see adults 'tapping' to make payments, rather than using coins! The children have explored the value of different coins and have been adding coins to find the total. Chriswin showed a coin from India too! Encourage your child to play shops at home to support their learning. There is so much value in this activity!



Anglo-Saxon Activities

This week, Year 4 visited Northampton Museum to learn more about the Anglo-Saxons. The children were encouraged to think like archaeologists, taking part in a sorting activity to decide which era certain objects were from. Some children dressed as Anglo-Saxons, which Leo described as 'warm'. They had the opportunity to handle various objects from the time: pots, jewellery, daggers, clasps and belt buckles. They also visited the rest of the museum following the workshop before returning to school.

'I really enjoyed the visit because we were able to look at many different artefacts and different types of objects.' - Daniel



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