



Together at St Oswald's, we love, learn, respect and appreciate

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Reflection

This Sunday is the 3rd Sunday of Lent.

In Sunday's Gospel we learn about how Jesus gets angry when he sees something that he does not think is right or fair. When we look at the world, we can see lots of things that are not fair. How we can change this?



Christ Jesus, show us how to be brave enough to stand up for what is right and fair. Give us the courage to change the things we know are wrong and help us to make the world a fairer place together with our brothers and sisters around the world.

Amen.

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Year 1 Rejoice Assembly

On Thursday 29 February, Year 1 performed their class Rejoice Assembly on the theme of Palm Sunday and Lent.

The children sang and delivered their lines beautifully. Thank you to Mrs Furness and Miss Ross for guiding and preparing the children so well for their special performance. Thank you also to the adults at home for helping the children learn their lines.

A great number of parents, family and friends came along to support the children yesterday. They were all very impressed and left some lovely comments for the children which we have shared below:

"A lovely show, children very confident."

"Such a good assembly, well done to everyone. It made me go to work happy."

"A wonderful assembly. Miss Lennon was right it's incredible to see the difference from their first assembly in Reception and how confident they have all become."

"What a wonderful assembly. Well done to you all. Made me so happy to see all your happy faces and singing. Well done Year 1."

"Amazing performance! Well done children of Year 1."

"Beautiful singing, you all did amazing."

"What an epic performance. Well done Year 1!"

"Fantastic performance!"

"We loved it!"

"All superstars. Big well done!"

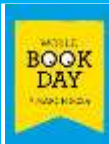
"The children sang and danced beautifully. Well done!"

Thank you to all who came along to support the children - they loved seeing you there.

Finally, thanks again to our Year 1 children for their lovely assembly.

World Book Day 2024

Character Costume or Cosy Bedtime Read



On Thursday 7th March we will be taking part in activities to celebrate World Book Day.

Celebration Assembly will take place at 9.00am on this morning and parents can come along and enjoy not only our 'stars of the week', but to admire the wonderful array of characters and costumes.

St Oswald's will enter into the spirit of this day by inviting the children to come into school dressed as a character from their favourite book or dressed ready for a bed time read. There will be book-themed activities for the children to take part in throughout the day.

Take the stress and cost out of world book day by keeping it simple, recycle, borrow or re-use clothing and costumes.

An alternative to character costumes can be for the children to come to school dressed in a cosy night time onesie or pyjamas, bringing with them their favourite bedtime story book! There's nothing more lovely than snuggling down for a cosy time reading a good book!

Character or bed time read ... it's all about having fun, raising the profile of reading and highlighting the joys that can be found in a book.

Remember ... Keep it simple and ... keep reading!

All children on World Book Day will receive a £1.00 voucher from the Government which can be redeemed against any book purchased from nominated book stores nationally.

PE

Please note there will be no PE lessons in school on World Book Day however Year 4 swimming will go ahead as normal next Thursday so please keep this in mind when planning costumes (avoid face paint/hair colours and costumes that are difficult to dress and undress in etc.)

Barnardo's Department for Levelling Up, Housing & Communities

BOLOH HKBN(O) Helpline

Conversation Club
網上英語會話小組

Topic - Local Travel in the UK
主題 - 遊覽英國

Date 日期: 20th Mar 2024 (Wed)
Time 時間: 13:00 - 14:00

North West 西北英格蘭

Registration 報名

Have you had a chance to explore the UK yet? The UK is small and easy to travel. Mountains, Beaches, Waterfalls and History, there's a lot to see. Do you check your guidebook or ask for your neighbours recommendations? Where is on your bucket list for this Easter break? You are welcome to join our conversation club, share your favourite spots and hear the recommendations of our local staff.

你有機會到處遊覽英國嗎? 英國面積不大, 易於遊覽各地。高山、海灘、瀑布與歷史, 應有盡有。你曉得旅遊書或問問鄰居關於本地旅遊嗎? 你有高價活動長假準備一啲景點及行程嗎? 邀請你一同參與英語會話小組, 分享你嘅私藏景點及聽聽我哋職員嘅本地遊分享。

注意事項: 1. 活動僅限持有 (BN/O) visa 嘅香港人參加 2. 名額先到先得 3. 如有查詢, 請以電郵聯絡我哋: Boloh.helpline@barnardos.org.uk

Reception Class Mystery Reader

Thank you to Miss Hancock, Olivia's mum, who was this week's Mystery Reader in the Reception Class.

The children enjoyed the story "What the Ladybird Heard" by Julia Donaldson.

Thank you Miss Hancock for sharing this book with the children.

Who will our next Mystery Reader be?.....

Live Simply Award

St Oswald's School is aiming to achieve the Live Simply Award which is about 'Living Simply, Living Sustainably and Living in Solidarity' in a local, global and school level.

There are lots of things we can do at home to help us to live more simply:

Use cloth bags instead of carrier bags

Cloth bags are reusable, decreasing the need to use more materials for single-use production. They reduce plastic use and therefore plastic pollution.

Sacrament of Confirmation

If you have a child in Year 8, please encourage them to sign up for the Sacrament of Confirmation by visiting the website www.liverpoolcalled.co.uk and clicking on the 'Register for Confirmation' tab.

Signing up will mean your child will be included in this year's preparation for Confirmation which will help them to decide if this is something they want to do at this stage in their lives.

Registration is open until 15 March 2024.

Big Lent Walk 2024

Thank you to parents and carers who have already donated to the 'Big Lent Walk'.

The children in all classes have been taking part in the Big Lent Walk throughout this week on our Daily Mile track. If parents/carers would like to make a 50p or £1 donation to support their child's participation in this year's Big Lent Walk, this can be made via our Just Giving page: <https://schools.walk.cafod.org.uk/fundraising/st-oswalds-catholic-primary-school2024>

Thank you for supporting the children's charity work in school.

Saturday Superstars PADGATE ACADEMY

Saturday 24th February – Design club and Drones/Photography

Saturday 2nd March – Boxercise fitness and Slime Making

Saturday 9th March – Retro Gaming/PC Gaming and Orienteering

Saturday 16th March – Boccia and Darts

Saturday 23rd March – Easter crafts and Basketball

Primary years 4, 5 and 6
Every Saturday during term time at Padgate Academy
0900-1100
Free to attend
Breakfast included
Call 01926 822632 to book your place

LOCAL ELECTIONS
THURSDAY 2 MAY 2024

As in previous years St Oswald's school will be used a Polling Station for the Local Elections on Thursday 2 May 2024

School will be closed on this day for children.

Stars of the Week

Rec Delilah Perrins
Y1 Abel Akkaya
Y3 Noel Creasey
Y4 Isabel Kerr
Y5 Jaco Cheung

MFL Yovela Poon (Y3)
Music Tia Whitfield (Y5)



Well done to all our stars!

Please join us on **Thursday 7 March** for our next
Celebration Assembly at 9am.
All welcome.

Whole school Attendance

26 February - 1 March 2024

Class	Attendance Percentage
Rec	96.6%
Y1	98.3% - Excellent
Y2	96%
Y3	96.25%
Y4	99.7% - Excellent
Y5	92.3%
Y6	97.5%

98%+ Excellent

96 - 97% Good

95% Satisfactory

91-94% Unsatisfactory

<90% Poor

Whole School attendance this week **96.6%**

CONGRATULATIONS TO Year 4 FOR THE BEST ATTENDANCE
THIS WEEK.

Please work with us this Spring term in our drive to
return to our pre-covid attendance standards.



Diary Dates

Thursday 7 March

World Book Day

Celebration Assembly-9am in the school hall—all welcome

Friday 8 March—Friday 22 March

Primary Arts Network Exhibition
The Gateway, Warrington

Thursday 14 March

Celebration Assembly-9am in the school hall—all welcome

Monday 18 March

Choir Performance at the Brindley Theatre 7pm

Monday 18 & Tuesday 19 March
Good Shepherd fundraising activities

Thursday 21 March

World Poetry Day

Celebration Assembly-9am in the school hall—all welcome

Tuesday 26 March

Passion Play (KS2) 2pm in school hall

Wednesday 27 March

Easter Bonnets—KS1 9am/KS2 915am, school hall—
all welcome.

Free raffle for the children with chocolate Easter Egg prizes
donated by staff—afternoon in school.
School closes for Easter

School Meals Menu

4 - 8 March 2024

Monday 4 March

Sausage Rolls (v)

Macaroni & Cheese (v)

Tuesday 5 March

Chicken Curry & Vegetarian Curry

Fish Stars (v)

Wednesday 6 March

Sausage & Mash

Quorn Sausage (v)

Thursday 7 March

Chicken or Fish Goujons & Chips

Quorn Nuggets & Chips (v)

Friday 8 March

Spaghetti Bolognese

Vegetarian Bolognese (v)

Jacket potato option also available daily.
(All options are subject to change if needed).

