St. Joseph's Catholic Primary School

Newsletter

'We Work, We Care, We Pray, We Share'

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Friday 7th November



St. Joseph's Sporting Success!

On Friday 17th October, Mrs Millar and Mrs Wilkinson took our Year 6 Sport's Ambassadors to Chorley Town Hall for Chorley SSP's evening of awards. We were nominated again for the Sports Performance of the Year Award and we are pleased to announce that St. Joseph's won again for the second year in a row!! We are incredibly lucky to have the PE provision and the opportunities we are able to provide for our children and this is because of our wonderful and talented Mrs Millar. We are so glad that Mrs Millar was also recognised for her efforts as she was presented with a medal and certificate for her ten years of service to sports. Thank you Mrs Millar for always inspiring all of our children and providing them with such brilliant opportunities.

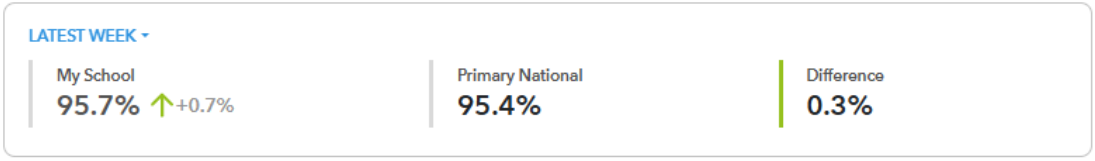






Attendance Matters

Please see our national comparison for this week. I am please to share with you that last week our attendance was above average. Thank you for everyone's commitment to ensuring that children attend school each day.



Parents' Evening – Monday 17th and Tuesday 18th November

This term's parent meetings will be via Zoom with Spring term meetings face to face. Parents will be allocated a five-minute slot. Please can we politely ask that you stick to this time and if there are any further points you wish to discuss, then please contact school for a further meeting. The purpose of these meetings is to give you an overview of how well your child has settled into their new class and to provide detail about their progress.



Christmas Fair – Friday 28th November



Save the Date - Friday 28th November 2025
4.30pm - 6.30pm
St. Joseph's PTA Christmas Fair

- Christmas crafts
- Santa's Grotto
- Festive Food and Drinks
- Carol Singing
- Mashmallow Toasting
- Stall holders selling a variety of different goods

This year, we are once again asking for any external stall holders, who would like to join us for the evening, to contact school to arrange your stall. Please phone the school office 01254830400 for more information.

We are also looking for any raffle prize donations. We are incredibly grateful for everyone who helps us in anyway and it really does help our school.

Tickets will be on sale shortly for entry and for meeting Father Christmas.

Talkin' Tables

Please see flyer below for further information about Talkin'Tables

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Christmas Toy Appeal

Our School Parliament are supporting SVP with their Christmas Toy Appeal. We are asking for any donations of new and unwrapped toys to be brought into school which will be passed to the donation stations ready to help families in Chorley who are in need.

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Dates for your Diary

Friday 14th November	• Non-uniform Day for **Chocolate Gift**
Tuesday 18th November	• Break The Rules Day – CAFOD
Friday 28th November	• Christmas Jumper Day for a **wrapped lucky dip gift** (children) • Panto Day • Christmas Fair Day
Monday 8th December	• Class 1 Nativity – 1.30pm
Tuesday 9th December	• Class 1 Nativity – 9.30am
Monday 15th December	• KS2 Carol Concert 2pm
Friday 19th December	• Break up **2pm**

Miss Bailey's Puppies for Sale

Miss Bailey's dog has had eleven beautiful puppies! She has three puppies left if anyone is looking for a puppy.





