



# St. Patrick's Catholic Primary School

## NEWSLETTER

Dear Parents and Carers,

It gives me great pleasure to write to you as the interim Headteacher of St Patrick's Catholic Primary School and Nursery, and how together, we can look forward to what will be a very busy and exciting year ahead.

I am privileged to be working at St Patrick's School and to have the opportunity to work alongside the children, staff, parents and Governors to make St Patrick's the best school that it can be for your child and the other children who are entrusted to our care. By working together we can ensure that your child enjoys his or her time at St Patrick's and leaves the school with the necessary skills and attitudes to be successful in their primary schooling and in their lives. Together with the help and support of parents, and all involved in our school community we will ensure that each child leaves St Patrick's with many happy memories of the time that they have spent here. Together we will make St Patrick's the best school that it can be for our children.

In my next newsletter, I will share with parents some of the educational and personal development opportunities that we are planning to introduce. Parents will be kept fully informed and will be involved in supporting your child's learning journey.

As the Headteacher of your child's school I will arrange a number of opportunities for parents to meet with me but I am always available to meet with any parent who may have any queries or concerns relating to your child's education and welfare. Please do not hesitate to contact the main school office and ask for an appointment to meet with me.

Mrs Williams  
Headteacher

Here are some dates that parents may wish to enter in your diaries

**Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> November 9.30am Parish Family Mass**

**Monday 19<sup>th</sup> November**

This morning our school tag rugby team represent St Patrick's in a Catholic school tournament. Good luck team!

**Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> November School Mass 9.15 am**

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8 of our pupils from classes ranging from years 4 to 6 will represent St Patrick's school at a Respecting Rights Conference. Pupils will join with other pupils from across the Painsley Catholic Academy to discuss the importance of respecting the rights of others.

**Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> November**

Pupils in year 3 will visit Telford town Park for the morning to consider topics linked with both their science and Literacy programmes of study.

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Congratulations assembly

Parents are welcome to join us for these assemblies where children are praised for their achievements.

**Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> November**

The Christmas Snow Ball (PTFA) 5.30pm -7.30pm

**Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> November School Mass 9.15am**

**Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> December School Mass 9.15am**

**Friday 7<sup>th</sup> December**

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**Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> December**

Nursery and Year R Nativity Performance 9.30am

Year 1 and Year 2 Nativity Performance 2.30pm

KS2 Carol Service (details to be confirmed)

**Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> December**

Year 1 and Year 2 Nativity Performance 9.30am

Nursery and Year R Nativity Performance 2.30pm

**Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> December End of Term Mass 9.15am**

Children's Christmas Lunch

PTFA Christmas Treat—Magician

**Friday 21<sup>st</sup> December**

Christmas Clothing non-uniform day £1.00

Last day of term

**Monday 7<sup>th</sup> January 2019**

First day of term

## Inhalers

Please ensure that your child's inhaler is in date and that it is clearly labelled with your child's name.

Thank you

## Starting School September 2019

If your child will be 4 before the 31.08.18, you will need to apply for a school place. Parents/Carers of children in the Nursery have already received details on how to apply. If you would like another copy of the letter, please ask at the office. The closing date for applications is 15th January 2019. Parents/Carers will be informed of the decision on 16th April 2019.

An application must be made even if your child attends the Nursery or if you have older children already attending the school.

If you have any queries please do not hesitate to contact the office

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Reception	94.05
Year 1	96.80
Year 2	94.58
Year 3	95.76
Year 4	98.93
Year 5	97.38
Year 6	93.64
School	95.89

## Attendance



Well done Year 4