



NEWSLETTER

6th February 2026

Next Wednesday 11th February to mark 'THE FEAST OF OUR LADY' the children can come to school dressed in blue or white to represent 'Our Lady' or they can come dressed in red as a 'sign of love' (as we promote in our Mission Statement: '*We can do great things with God's love!*') We would like to make a donation to Caritas and would ask for a £1 donation towards this.

The children looked amazing in their 'Dress as Digits' outfits yesterday to help raise money for the NSPCC, thank you for your support, the total at the moment stands at £207.

HALF TERM

School finishes for February half term next Friday 13rd February at normal time for one week. Returning on Monday 23rd February 2026.

Clubs

Next week is the last week for after-school clubs: Hip Hop, Recorder, Science, Board Games and Performing Arts. ECO club finished this week. Hip Hop bookings for next term are available to book on the MCAS system or payment can be sent to the school office. From this term hip-hop is available for our Reception children. The new teacher-led clubs will start the second week of term, details will be sent home when we come back after half term..

Uniform

Please ensure the children arrive in school each day in the correct school uniform (full list on the next page). This is for both normal uniform and PE uniform.

The school office has available selected items that have either been donated or items which have not been claimed in 'lost & found'. If families are in need of some clothing please contact the office who will check the stock and if available will let the families have (at no cost).

Y5 #FarnworthMatters

The children in year 5 had a wonderful time at Harper Green on Monday. All the cluster primary school year 5's got together again for a careers event. They watched the school dance team perform; learned about the different roles involved in the construction industry. A gold medal winning rugby wheelchair Paralympian gave a talk about following your dreams. Lastly, NW Ambulance Service gave a talk and got the children involved in some practical activities.

The children thorough enjoyed the event and as always our staff and staff from other schools commented on their impeccable behaviour.

Parking Warden

You may have noticed a local authority parking warden at the front of school this week. We are grateful to the council for organising these patrols, which they arrange on a rota basis. The safety of our children and families is a priority and we appreciate your support in ensuring the front of school zig-zags are kept clear before and after school.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

If you have a child in Year 8 at any of the local high schools who wish to prepare and receive the Sacrament of Confirmation on Sunday 10th May, please attend a Registration Meeting on Tuesday 17th February at 6.30pm in Church. NB: Mount St Joseph students will be able to register in school.

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REMINDERS

Please can we remind parents/carers:

- ◆ Appointments during the school day to be avoided, but if necessary then the school office MUST be informed as early as possible rather than notified when being collected.
- ◆ Earrings must be removed on PE Days
- ◆ No other jewellery to be worn with the exception of stud earrings
- ◆ Outdoor coat to be brought to school every day
- ◆ Standard size water bottle brought to school every day (only water, no juices)
- ◆ School reading folders should be brought to school everyday unless instructed otherwise
- ◆ Please check reading folders each night for any information sent home from school
- ◆ Names are written in all school uniform
- ◆ We are a NUT FREE school

Spring1 After School Clubs

Mon	KS1 Hip Hop
Tue	Recorder & Board Games
Wed	KS2 Hip Hop & Science
Thu	Performing Arts

Spring Term PE Days

Monday	Reception
Tuesday	Nursery
Wednesday	Y1 and Y5
Thursday	Y2 and Y3
Friday	Y4 and Y6

Dates for your diary

11th February 2026	Y5/6 Girls 5-a-side Football PE Cluster event (selected children)
13th February 2026	School closes at normal time for February half term
16th-20th February 2026	February half term (1 week)
25th February 2026	Y3 trip to Legoland
31st March 2026	Y2 trip to Smithills Farm

NURSERY ADMISSIONS - SEPT 2026 for children born between 1st Sept 2022 to 31st Aug 2023

If you are interested or know of anyone who may require a place in our Nursery, starting in September 2026 and their child's birthday falls between the above dates, please contact the school. We offer part-time and full-time places.

Stars of the Week

Nursery	Jaroslav, Denzel	Year 3	Rex, Yusuf
Reception	Helsby, Ahil	Year 4	Anthony, Mohim
Year 1	Vincent, Tessa	Year 5	Zayaam, Komal
Year 2	Betsy, Zakaria	Year 6	Holly, Daniel

UNIFORM

LOLO blue sweatshirt or cardigan, grey skirt/pinafore or trousers, yellow polo shirt. Girls: white socks or grey tights

Boys: grey socks

Black shoes (no boots or trainers)

PE Uniform: OLOLO PE hoodie, white t-shirt (plain no writing or pictures), black joggers or leggings, trainers

**** CHILDREN SHOULD COME TO SCHOOL IN THEIR PE UNIFORM ON THEIR ALLOCATED PE DAY ****

Weekly Attendance

Reception	96.5%
Year 1	93.0%
Year 2	96.0%
Year 3	91.3%
Year 4	93.3%
Year 5	96.8%
Year 6	96.9%
School	94.6%



Attendance Trophy Winner



Absence Reporting

You should call the school office before 9 a.m. each day of your child's absence

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