



Sacred Heart Catholic Primary School & Nursery Newsletter

It was a week of introductions this week which began with the TT Rockstar Times Table launch; introducing our Worry Monsters to the classes and presenting Mr and Mrs Potatohead. This is an attendance champion whereby the children (as a class) get a piece of the toy if the class has had excellent attendance (98-100%) and once Mr or Mrs Potatohead is complete, the class receives a special treat. Also at the end of the term those children as individuals who have 98-100% attendance will receive a special recognition treat.



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DATES TO REMEMBER:

**6TH OCT—YEAR 6 TRIP
TO WW1 WESTERN
APPROACHES
MUSEUM**

**7TH OCT FLU
VACCINATION (NHS)**

**7TH OCTOBER—
GAMBIA DAY—OWN
CLOTHES**

**10TH OCT - WEAR
YELLOW TO SUPPORT
MENTAL HEALTH
AWARENESS DAY**

**11TH OCT YEAR 5 TRIP
TO WILLIAMSON
TUNNELS**

**13TH OCTOBER
SCHOOL
PHOTOGRAPHS**

**18TH OCT—YEAR 4
TRIP TO TITANIC
WORKSHOP**

**21ST OCTOBER—
SCHOOL CLOSURES FOR
HALF TERM**

**TUES 8TH NOV—YEAR
2—I NIGHT
RESIDENTIAL AT
DELEMERE FOREST.**

**17TH NOV SIGNING
CHOIR PERFORMANCE**

30h September 2022

British and Gospel Values



UN Rights of the Child

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You have the right to a name



“Compassion and tolerance are not a sign of weakness, but a sign of strength.” – Dalai Lama

THE IMPORTANCE OF ARRIVING ON TIME—(08.45-08.55AM)

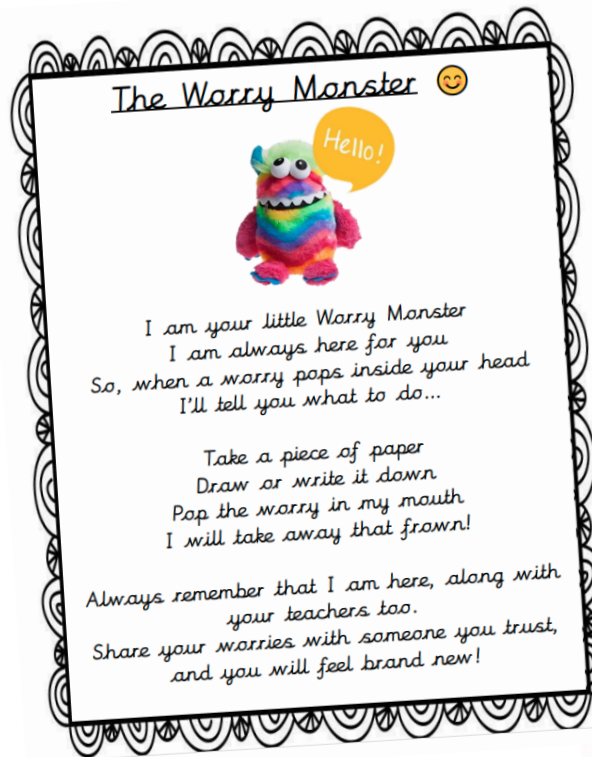
WHOLE SCHOOL PHONICS AND READING TAKES PLACE FROM 9AM—9.45

THE IMPORTANCE OF PHONICS

PHONICS IS ESSENTIAL FOR CHILDREN TO BECOME SUCCESSFUL READERS AND SPELLERS/ WRITERS IN THE EARLY YEARS OF SCHOOLING AND BEYOND.



This week we are introducing our Worry Monster to each class



CLASS OF THE WEEK—



YEAR 4

My Money Sense Workshops

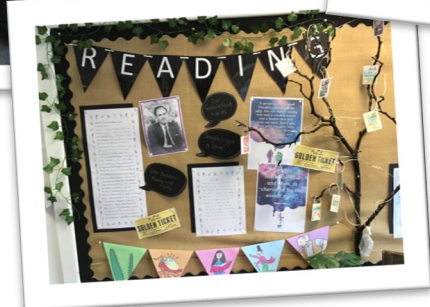
For the past three weeks, year four have had visits from My Bank. Peter the representative from My Bank came in to school to teach us all about how we can look after our money and the different ways we can store and use it. In our first session we learnt all about savings accounts and current accounts and their differences. In our second session we learnt all about salaries and the bills that we might need to pay as adults. In our third and final session, we began budgeting and thinking about saving our money for a savings goal.

Our World: Who am I?

This half term year four are exploring themselves and their local area. As part of this we are looking at the concept of migration. This has led us to explore Liverpool's links with The Titanic and Captain Edward Smith who lived in Waterloo and learnt to sail ships whilst living in Liverpool. In Geography we have been exploring some of the significant locations with links to The Titanic in Liverpool, using 4-figure grid references. We will even be going on a trip to the Maritime Museum in a few weeks time to learn more about The Titanic and its links with our city. Watch out for more of our learning on Twitter!

Pupil Parliament

On World Democracy Day we explored the theme of democracy and voted for our Pupil Parliament Members. Congratulations to our representatives who will attend the Pupil Parliament meetings.



WE FEEL IT IS IMPORTANT THAT OUR SCHOOL AND OUR CURRICULUM DEVELOP THE CHILDREN'S SENSE OF COMMUNITY AND KINDNESS NOT ONLY IN OUR LOCAL AREA, BUT ALSO GLOBALLY. THIS YEAR WE WILL BE SPONSORING A CHILD AND SUPPORTING PROJECT GAMBIA AS ONE OF OUR CHARITIES. THE CHILDREN WILL BE LEARNING ABOUT THE GAMBIA AND ABOUT MARY WHO IS THE CHILD WE WILL SPONSOR. WE WILL BE MAKING LINKS AND WRITING TO THE CHILDREN AT HER SCHOOL.

NEXT FRIDAY, WE ARE GOING TO HAVE A PROJECT GAMBIA DAY TO START OFF OUR SPONSORSHIP. WE ARE ASKING THAT THE CHILDREN WILL COME IN THEIR OWN CLOTHES THEMED AROUND RED, BLUE AND GREEN, THE COLOURS OF THE GAMBIAN FLAG. EACH CHILD WILL BE ASKED TO BRING IN 10P, WHICH IS FOR OUR FIRST SPONSORSHIP.



Protecting your child against flu

Flu immunisation in England

Information for parents and carers



Flu  **immunisation**
Helping to protect children, every winter

5 reasons to get your child vaccinated

1. Protect your child

The vaccine will help protect your child against flu and serious complications such as bronchitis and pneumonia

2. Protect you, your family and friends

Vaccinating your child will help protect more vulnerable friends and family

3. No injection needed

The nasal spray is painless and easy to have

4. It's better than having flu

The nasal spray helps protect against flu, has been given to millions of children worldwide and has an excellent safety record

5. Avoid costs

If your child gets flu, you may have to take time off work or arrange alternative childcare

Does the nasal vaccine contain gelatine derived from pigs (porcine gelatine)?

Yes. The nasal vaccine contains a highly processed form of gelatine (porcine gelatine), which is used in a range of many essential medicines. The gelatine helps to keep the vaccine viruses stable so that the vaccine provides the best protection against flu.

The nasal vaccine is offered to children as it is more effective in the programme than the injected vaccine. This is because it is easier to administer and considered better at reducing the spread of flu to others, who may be more vulnerable to the complications of flu.

However, if your child is at high risk from flu due to one or more medical conditions or treatments and can't have the nasal flu vaccine they should have the flu vaccine by injection. For those who may not accept the use of porcine gelatine in medical products, an alternative injectable vaccine is available. You should discuss your options with your nurse, doctor, or school aged immunisation team.

Where can I get more information?

Visit www.nhs.uk/child-flu for more information. Talk to your GP, practice nurse, your child's school nurse or your health visitor if you have any further questions.

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The Liverpool Immunisation Team are attending school on Tuesday 4th October to deliver the influenza vaccine. Offering the nasal spray and also the injectable for those who can't receive the live nasal spray due to porcine gelatine.

Please visit the below link to access further information and complete your child's consent form if not done so already, even if you don't want them to receive their flu spray. As this will avoid further communications from our service: econsent.merseyscare.nhs.uk open in Google Chrome

If you are unable to complete the online form, please contact our team who will be happy to help 01512953833

This vaccination is recommended to help protect your child against flu.

Flu can be an unpleasant illness and sometimes causes serious complications. Vaccinating your child will also help to protect more vulnerable family and friends by preventing the spread of flu.

The vaccination is a quick and simple spray up the nose – it's also free! Even if your child had it last year, we still recommend that they have the flu vaccine again this year.

Please see link below for a **child friendly video on flu**. You and your child may find it beneficial to watch prior to them being immunised.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1jHWwm8NQWw>

Please follow link below for information about Flu vaccine in other languages

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/flu-vaccination-leaflets-and-posters>

