#### **School Notice Board**

Wednesday 27th –Y6 trip to Blists Hill Friday 28th - Macmillan Coffee Afternoon

2.15pm

Friday 28th - PTA welcome disco 6.00-8.00pm

October—Black History Month

Monday 1st- School photos—9.00am

Wednesday 3rd - NHS Height & Weight checks for children

Wednesday 3rd –Harvest Mass 2.00pm in school

Thursday 4th—PTA meeting 3.00pm

Friday 5th - Harvest Fast Day (own 'bright' clothes bring £1)

Monday 8th—Year 2 trip to Jodrell Bank

Tuesday 9th—Year 1 Class assembly 2.30pm

Friday 12th-Thumbs up Friday 8.50am

Friday 12th-Year 5 trip to the Air Raid Shelters

Tuesday 16th—Year 4 Class assembly 2.30pm

Wednesday 17th- International Evening 6.00pm—8.00pm

#### Gold Award

FS2 Joshua

Y1 Betsy

Y2 Alex

Y3 Andrew

Y4 Olivia D

Y5 Ethan

Y6 Luke

Well done everybody!

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# Dates to Remember

St. Elizabeth's Catholic Primary School A Voluntary Academy

'Let your Light Shine'



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### **WEEKLY UPDATE**

21st September 2018

Dear Parents and Carers,

Another busy week in the life of St. Elizabeth's! Our Year 6 went to the Marist Centre on Wednesday where they spent the day reflecting on their roles and responsibilities as the leaders of our school. Mr Knight reported that the Sisters were very impressed with the children.

We are pleased to announce our Head and Deputy Head Boy and Girl.

Head Girl: Grace C Head Boy: George Deputy Head Girl: Mia Deputy Head Boy: Mason

Thank you to the few parents who attended the Curriculum Evening on Wednesday. Next year we will run Key Stage Curriculum Evenings in the second week of September. Today we celebrated 'Peace One Day'. This is an annual day of Peace which was the original idea of Jeremy Gilley. In 2001 the member states of the United Nations agreed unanimously to hold an annual day of Peace, a day of cease fire and non-violence.

Remember to check out our "Peek at the Week" for more about school life at St. Elizabeth's.

Have a lovely weekend, Mrs J McLaughlin

## Attendance w/b 10th Sept

FS2 98.4% Y1 100%

72 97% Y3 95.9%

Y4 98.6% Y5 95.7%

Y6 94.6%

Congratulations to Y1 with the best attendance all week with 100%

#### A Prayer for Peace

Here in our school

Let us be peaceful at all times.

Let our rooms be full of happiness and respect for each other.

Let love be in our hearts

With kindness and compassion for all.

Let us remember

In learning together, We grow together

And succeed together.

Amen



# Mrs Williams' Sports News CROSS-COUNTRY WOW! Fantastic results.



Aaron 2nd place, Blajez 5th place, Josh 7th place, Grace 14th place.

Everyone paced themselves which means that all children improved on the previous weeks placing. Well done to everyone. Josh was placed 38th last week and 7th this week—well done. Girls' football begins on Tuesday 25th September at Newall Green, 4-5.30pm. Good luck to both teams.

#### Communication

We are constantly aiming to improve our methods of communication at St. Elizabeth's and as such we have purchased the school jotter app. From next half term, we will not be sending out paper copies of letters as our budget will not allow for this. I am aware that some parents have still not downloaded this app. Please ensure that you downloaded this and have your login details or vital information will be missed. If you have any difficultly in doing so, please speak to the office or your child's class teacher and we can arrange for a paper copy of any communication to be sent home.

#### Trips

With regard to upcoming trips for throughout the year, permission must be given on SIMS Agora. School staff are spending quite a lot of time chasing up permission which must be avoided. For the Year 6 trip next week, permission must be given before Wednesday if you would like your child to attend. If you are experiencing an issue with SIMS Agora, please give verbal permission to the class teacher. All upcoming trips are on SIMS Agora and the school jotter calendar.

#### School Clubs

We have seen the return of a number of after school clubs over the last two weeks and I am pleased to see they have had high uptake. All information regarding this has been sent home and is on the website. Debate Mate will begin again in November, all willing participants must be signed up before 5th October so that transport to the launch day can be booked. With the exception of Shooting Stars, all clubs <u>must</u> be booked on SIMS Agora.

#### **Shooting Stars**

In order to attend Shooting Stars on Thursday and Friday, slips must be returned to the Shooting Stars' staff. From next week, school staff will be unable to accept payment for this club. All shooting stars payment must be given to the Shooting Stars' staff at the end of the session in a clearly labelled envelope.