



St. Philomena's Catholic Primary School

Headteacher: Miss V Maher

Newsletter – 29 April 2022 Summer Term

It's been another extremely busy week at St Philomena's this week ! Our budding scientists have been experiencing scientific learning on so many levels from building bridges to exploring stereotypes that scientists are all men !

Parent Survey

You will have received an email yesterday, inviting you to take part in an online survey (Google Forms) regarding the **school curriculum** and **safeguarding**. Please do take the time to complete the questionnaire as it provides us with practical feedback on areas we need to improve, and those which are successful. It may also identify elements of school life about which you need more information.

You have until Friday 6th May to complete your responses and it shouldn't take more than a few minutes.

Later in the term, we will be distributing surveys with a different focus in order to build a clear overview of our performance,
Thank you.

St Philomena's Science Week and Science Fair Exhibition

The children really enjoyed Science Week this week and had a lot of fun as well as learning so much.

We have so much information and so many photos to share that we will send out a separate Science Week Newsletter shortly.



Hospital School

Poor Amelie in Year 2 is poorly and in hospital BUT still learning ! Here she is showing off her certificate for amazing work. I know you will join us in wishing Amelie a swift recovery. Please keep the family in your prayers.



School Fund Contribution

Thank you to all of you who have already contributed to our school fund this term. We ask that each family contributes to a fund which helps to subsidise outings, cover the cost of cooking ingredients and pay for various other items needed to provide enrichment activities for your child. Enrichment of the curriculum is a strength here and your family contribution to the school fund will be put to very good use. The recommended amount is **£5 per family per term**, and this can be paid on our Pay360 online system (under products, online shop). Your contributions are very much appreciated.



Dates to Remember

Summer Term 2022:

Bank Holiday	02.05.22
Half-term	30.05.22 – 03.06.22
Bank Holiday	15.06.22
Last day of term	Thursday 21 st July 2022
*Staff Training Day	Friday 22nd July

ACADEMIC YEARS 2022 – 2023 TERM DATES

Autumn Term 2022:

Inset Days:	Tuesday 30 August
	Wednesday 31st August 2022
First day back:	Thursday 1 st September
Half-term	17.10.22 – 28.10.22
Last day of term	Wednesday 21 st December

Spring Term 2023:

First day of term	Tuesday 3 rd January 2023
Half-term	13.02.23 – 17.02.23
Last day of term	Friday 31 st March 2023

Summer Term 2023:

First day of term	Monday 17 th April 2023
Bank Holiday	01.05.23
Half-term	29.05.23 – 02.06.2023
Last day of term	Friday 21 July 2023

Have a wonderful Bank Holiday weekend



Miss Veronica Maher
Head Teacher