## Saint Margaret Mary's Catholic Infant School Newsletter

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Friday 25th January 2019

Class 1	97%	Class 7	96.7%
Class 2	94.3%	Class 8	98.3%
Class 3	98%	Class 9	89.7%
Class 4	95%	Class 10	98%
Class 5	92.7%	Class 11	95.3%
Class 6	95.3%	Class 12	87%

### School Attendance Matters This week's Attendance Our target for attendance is 96%.

Attendance Award in Reception goes to Class 10 Attendance Award in Year 1 goes to Class 8 Attendance Award in Year 2 goes to Class 3

# imagine that!

On Thursday, our reception visited 'Imagine That!' The children had a wonderful time playing, exploring, creating, learning and above all having lots and lots of fun. At 'Imagine That!' the children can role play in lots of different areas. They are able to create pictures and items and even paint a car! They can dig for dinosaurs or build a house! They can even become scientists for the day. The children were wonderfully behaved and had a great day. Thank you to all the reception and volunteers who enabled the trip to take place.

#### UNWANTED GLASSES

Mrs Roche, a previous teacher at our school, has asked whether anybody has any old prescription glasses, reading glasses or sunglasses they would like to get rid of. She has a friend who will be taking them to Sierra Leone in the February half term. She will be working with children and adults and they would be put to great use there.

If you do please pass in to your child's class. Thank you.

#### **POLITE REMINDERS**

During pick up and drop off times, our playground can become very crowded and busy. Please do not let your children play on equipment or ride their bikes or scooters across the playground.

Please be especially aware of younger and smaller children. Sadly, a nursery child was knocked over while with their parents on the playground by a bigger child running.

Please be mindful when parking of our neighbours and pedestrians. Last week, there was very nearly an accident when a car moved off without looking and very nearly knocked some pedestrians. Please do not block driveways or park on the zigzag lines outside school. The zigzag lines are there for the safety of our children.

#### **SPRING TERM DATES**

DATE	EVENT	
Wednesday 30th January	Stay and Read for Class 9	
Friday 1st February	Number Day in Aid of NSPCC- wear something with a number on it.	
Friday 1st February	Class 3 Assembly	
Wednesday 6th February	Stay and Read for Pre-school Children	
Thursday 7th February	Parents Evening for Year 1 and Year 2 (Attend one evening)	
Wednesday 13th February	Stay and Read for Class 10	
Thursday 14th February	Parents Evening for All (Attend one evening)	
Friday 15th February	Early Years Review Day- Reception and Nursery (Attend either Parents Evening or Review day)	
Friday 15th February	HALF TERM BEGINS	
Monday 25th February	CHILDREN RETURN TO SCHOOL	
Monday 25th February	Friends of St Margaret Mary's meeting at 5pm	
Wednesday 27th February	Stay and Read for Class 11	
Friday 1st March	Class 4 Assembly	
Friday 1 <sup>st</sup> March	Year 1 Disco- 5pm-6.30pm	
Wednesday 6th March	Stay and Read for Pre-school Children	
Thursday 7th March	Reception movie night – 3.30-5.15pm	
Wednesday 13th March	Stay and Read for Class 12	
Friday 15th March	Class 8 Assembly	
Friday 15th March	Year 2 disco – 5.00 – 6.30pm	
Wednesday 20th March	Stay and Read for Nursery 1	
Friday 22nd March	Class 1 Assembly	
Wednesday 27th March	Stay and Read for Nursery 2	
Friday 29th March	Class 7 Assembly	
Friday 29th March	Coffee afternoon – 2.00pm	
Week beginning 1st April	HOLY WEEK SERVICES	
Friday 5th April	FINISH FOR EASTER HOLIDAYS	

You have brains in your head
You have feet in your shoes
YOU CAN STEER YOURSELF
in ANY direction you choose