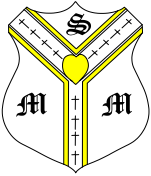


Saint Margaret Mary's Catholic Infant School Newsletter



Friday 4th November



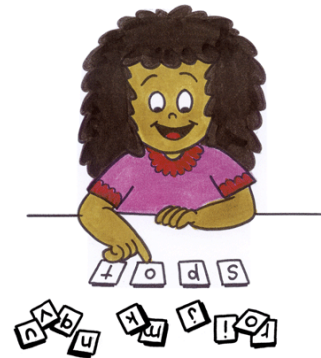
Visits to Hope

Our Year 1 and Reception children were invited to Hope to take part in phonic workshops prepared by the students.

The children were wonderfully behaved and a true credit to the school and their families.

The staff at Hope were so impressed they have asked us to return next year.

Well done everyone. We are really proud of you.



Remembrance Day 11th November

During this week, members of staff will be selling poppies, reflectors, snap bands and bracelets each morning on the playground. Money collected will be donated to the British Legion.

A group of Year 2 children will be attending the Centotaph Service on the steps of St George's Hall. They play a special role in the service as they represent the future generations and are the only school children who attend.



School Council Cut the Ribbon

The local Co-op shop on Pilch Lane has recently been refurbished and extended. The shop was officially reopened on Friday.

Our School Council were invited to attend the opening and cut the ribbon, officially opening the shop. As always, the children were wonderfully behaved and each received a 'goody' bag as a thank you.





Dates for your Diary

Week beginning 14th November
Anti-bullying week

Thursday 1st December
Anti-bullying session for parents and their children

For further dates and information, please see our website.

www.stmargaretmarysinfants.com



School Attendance Matters
This week's attendance
Our target for attendance is 95%.

Class 1	96.9%	Class 7	98%
Class 2	98%	Class 8	98%
Class 3	93.1%	Class 9	91%
Class 4	96.7%	Class 10	99.3%
Class 5	96.7%	Class 11	91.7%
Class 6	98.3%	Class 12	94.7%

Attendance Award in Reception goes to Class 10
Attendance Award in Year 1 goes to Class 6
Attendance Award in Year 2 goes to Class 2



Congratulations to Mrs Kerr and her husband. They have had a beautiful baby boy, Alexander.

Congratulations to Mrs Lawless and her husband. They have also had a beautiful baby boy, Edward.

Congratulations to Miss Daniel, who got married during half term.

We wish all of them and their families many happy years full of love, fun and happiness.

Punctuality is Important

If your child is late for school, they often feel unsettled for the rest of the day. They may have missed important teaching from their class teacher.

Every minute lost in learning can not be retrieved!

Monday	8
Tuesday	11
Wednesday	10
Thursday	11
Friday	7
Total children late	47

Of these children a significant number were persistently Late!

We began the year with only a very few children being late everyday. As the year has progressed the numbers are steadily rising. Please do your very best to ensure that your children are in school on time and not a minute of their education is wasted.