

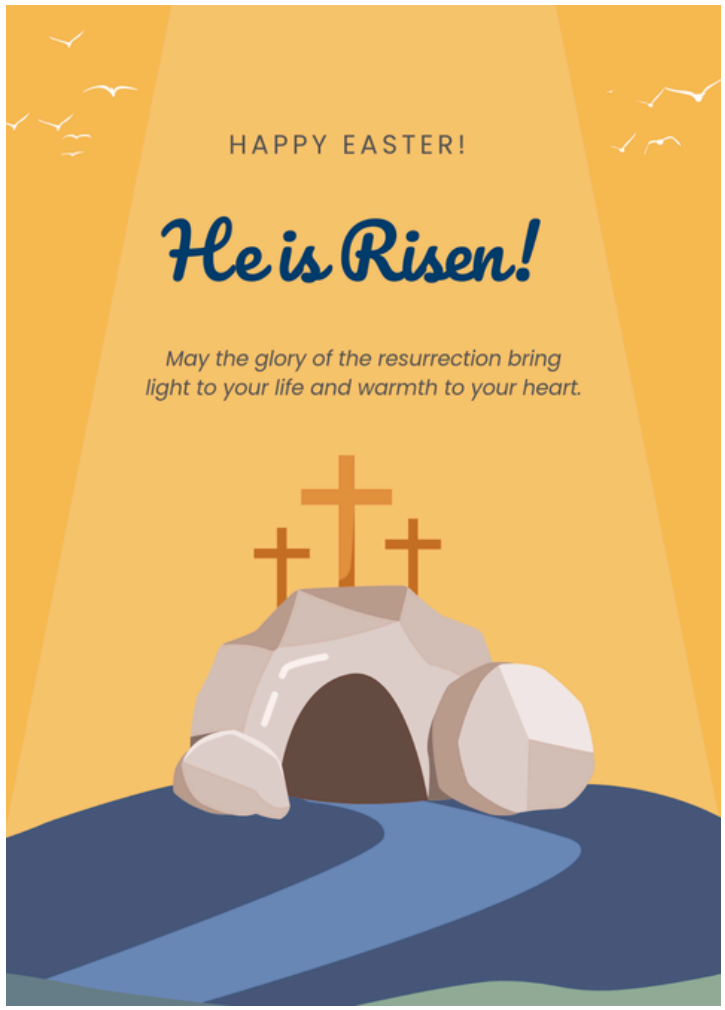
END OF TERM NEWSLETTER 27.3.26

Headteacher message:

Thanks to everyone for helping to make this term another great success!

I hope everyone has a very happy and holy Easter when it arrives.
We look forward to welcoming everybody back after the holidays ready to go for the summer term!

Well done to Jakub in Y1 and Dominika in Y3 who have won the Headteacher Award this week for always doing their best (even when it gets tough!)



If you would like to read the Parish's newsletter, please follow this link:
https://www.stgregoryspreston.org.uk/newsletter/

MENINGITIS

Following the outbreak in Kent we understand parents may have queries. Please see the government info below:

Meningococcal disease (meningitis and sepsis) is an uncommon but serious disease caused by meningococcal bacteria. Very occasionally, the meningococcal bacteria can cause serious illness, (inflammation of the lining of the brain) and sepsis (blood poisoning). The onset of illness is often sudden and early diagnosis and treatment with antibiotics are vital. Early symptoms, which may not always be present, include:

- A rash that doesn't fade when pressed with a glass
- Sudden onset of high fever
- Severe and worsening headache
- Stiff neck
- Vomiting and diarrhoea
- Joint and muscle pain
- Dislike of bright lights
- Very cold hands and feet
- Seizures
- Confusion/delirium
- Extreme sleepiness/difficulty waking

There are numerous strains of the meningococcal infection. The MenACWY vaccination gives good protection against MenA, MenC, MenW, and MenY and is routinely offered to teenagers in school Years 9 and 10. However, this vaccine does not protect against all forms of meningococcal infection. Other strains such as MenB can circulate in young adults, which is why it's important to know how to spot the symptoms of meningitis and sepsis as early detection and treatment can save lives.

Upcoming Dates

13 MON	SCHOOL RE-OPENS 8.45
6 TUE	
7 WED	Whole School Mass - 10.15am
8 THU	Rock steady
9 FRI	Reception Stay and Read - 8.45am – 9.00am

WEEKLY ATTENDANCE



RECEPTION	78.89%
YEAR 1	87.10%
YEAR 2	85.52%
YEAR 3	90.67%
YEAR 4	94.33%
YEAR 5	95.00%
YEAR 6	93.00%
WHOLE SCHOOL	89.37%



ATTENDANCE OF THE WEEK:

YEAR 5

CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY AWARDS

LOVING ALL AWARD



Reception	Mitra
Year 1	Zara
Year 2	Theo
Year 3	Amarissa
Year 4	Dina
Year 5	Reggie
Year 6	Marya

CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY AWARDS

LIKE JESUS AWARD



Reception	Zuzana
Year 1	Maddie
Year 2	Fatimah-Zahra
Year 3	Tabassum
Year 4	Ayleen
Year 5	Ava
Year 6	Archie

CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY AWARDS

FLOURISH AWARD



Reception	Haziq
Year 1	Regan
Year 2	Hope
Year 3	Archie
Year 4	Mylah
Year 5	Fatima
Year 6	Tala

CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY AWARDS

TOGETHER AWARD



Reception	Orfhlaith
Year 1	Ayman
Year 2	Jackson
Year 3	Bobby
Year 4	Harry
Year 5	Ava-Mae
Year 6	Charlotte

CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY AWARDS

ATTENDANCE – 100% THIS TERM

Reception	Mohammad Rayyan, Olivia, Haziq, Miley-Rae, Rosiina, Elleanor, Abu Bakr.
Year 1	Asiyah, Haris, Tony, Rosie, Yashfa, Mahir, Zach, Evana, Marcellus, Ayman, Yusuf, Adhya, Andrew.
Year 2	Elisha, Sean, Jackson, Hope, Muhammed, Chiara, Theo, Damilola, Nasiruddin.
Year 3	Zain, Marianna, Isabella, Logan, Archie, Marala, Ella, Emmanuel, Darcy, Farhan, Abeera, Yusuf, Liya, Suleiman.
Year 4	Alice, Dolly, Aysha, Gabriel, Dina, Tommy, Ayleen, Gabrielle, Erin, Isla, Maria, Distinguish, Fatimah, Chris.
Year 5	Suhila, Bella, Eshal, Hallie, Aaliyah, Alex, Sebi, Aaminah, Fatima, Franklin, Roksana, Franek.
Year 6	Ibrahim, Piotr, Logan-Jon, Archie, Amelia, Alan, Charlotte, Eva, Ella-Louise, David.

CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY AWARDS

ATTENDANCE – 100% SINCE START OF THE YEAR

Reception	Mohammad Rayyan.
Year 1	Asiyah, Rosie, Mahir, Marcellus, Ayman.
Year 2	Elisha, Jackson, Damilola.
Year 3	Zain, Isabella, Logan, Archie, Marala, Ella, Emmanuel, Darcy, Farhan, Liya.
Year 4	Dolly, Aysha, Ayleen, Gabrielle, Isla, Distinguish, Fatimah.
Year 5	Bella, Eshal, Aaliyah, Alex, Sebi, Fatima, Franek.
Year 6	Archie, Amelia, Alan, Charlotte, Ella, David.

Science day may be over for this year but curiosity is still all around us. This year, the British Science Week poster competition is taking curiosity to the next level! They're working with a team of scientists who are curious about what children and young people makes a 'good' childhood.



The competition is open for two age ranges. Please read the information below for your child's age. Children in early years (3-5) will focus on '**What makes children's lives good?**'

Here are some thinking prompts;

- What do you like about being a child?
- Do you have any favourite people, objects or places?
- What do your friends enjoy? Ask children in your class or family.
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Children in primary (5-11) will focus on '**What makes children's lives positive? What will a positive childhood look like in the future for children your age?**'

Here are some thinking prompts;

- What things make your life positive now?
- Think about people, places, things, occasions, interests and activities
- What did a good childhood look like in the past? Ask some grown-ups in your family.
- What will a positive childhood look like in the future?
- What do children in other countries around the world enjoy?

They should present their own, original ideas by creating a poster using any materials they like, including digitally. Please make sure posters are their own work, without the use of any templates. Posters must be A4 or A3 in size (no 3D models please!). Flaps can be included, but the poster should still make sense without the fl aps being lifted. Shortlisted posters are often shared publicly, so please don't include any personally identifi able information such as names or photos of real people.

Please return posters by 13th April (first day back after the Easter Holidays) so we can shortlist the best 5 and submit them for a chance to win an array of prizes.

EASTER ART COMPETITION

Well done to all the children who participated! The winners are

- Reception – Orfhaith
- Y1 – Adhya
- Y2 – Charlie
- Y3 – Yusuf
- Y4 – Mimi
- Y5 – Sebi
- Y6 – Lexie





BIG LENT WALK

A MASSIVE thank you for all the kind donations for the Big Lent Walk - we raised over £230!

NECKLACES

A gentle reminder that children should not really be wearing necklaces to school. However, if - for religious reasons - on special days, they wear a necklace then it should be kept tucked in at all times and not be on show whatsoever.

This is for safety reasons, especially during playtimes and PE, to help prevent any accidents or injuries.

Thank you for your support.