



Rosary Catholic Primary School

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SCHOOL VALUE THIS TERM: ASPIRATION

OUR VALUES IN ACTION - LOVE



Last week our KS2 children had a visit from Flat Stan who gave them all aged appropriate First Aid training. Fully funded by the PTFA, this was an incredible opportunity for the children to learn some life saving skills!



OUR VALUES IN ACTION - INCLUSIVITY

Today, we have had a visit from Paralympic footballer Jack Rutter. Jack held a fun fitness circuit with the children which they have been raising sponsorship money for which will enable us to buy some new PE equipment. He then held an assembly to share his story and to show that anyone can take part in sports. Please ensure all sponsor money is returned to school by Friday 28th February.

SPOTLIGHT ON... YEAR 3

On Tuesday this week, Year 3 went on a train trip to Gloucester. They learnt all about rail safety, looked at Roman Gloucester and took part in a Roman workshop. The children were amazing and really enjoyed the day.



LWCET UPDATE

Thank you to all parents/carers that took part in the consultation which closed on Monday 27 January. All responses were considered by both the Board and Clifton Diocese. The 2026/7 policy has been determined by the Trust and has now been sent to the LA, in accordance with the requirements of the admission's code. For more information, parents should visit: www.gloucestershire.gov.uk/schooladmissions/

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House point winners

Last week: **Fatima**

This week: **Fatima**

PE Days

Monday & Friday: Year 3 & 6

Tuesday: Year 5

Tuesday & Friday: Year 2

Wednesday & Friday:
Reception, Year 1

Thursday & Friday: Year 4

Friday: Year 5

Forest School

28 Feb - Year R/1 & Year 2

7 March - Year 4 & Year 6



GOOD TO KNOW...

SCHOOL DINNERS

We have seen an increase in childrens ParentPay accounts falling into debt for their dinner money. It is really important that there is a credit amount on the account in order for your child to order a school dinner. If you know your child will be ordering a hot school dinner, please ensure that the payment is on the account for the order to go ahead. If there is no money on the account and your child orders a school dinner, they will build up a debt balance which then means we have to spend a lot of time and resource chasing for payments. This could also result in your child not being able to order a school dinner in the future.

SCHOOL UNIFORM

It has become noticable recently that our school unifrom standards have slipped throughtout the school. We have always been proud of ourselves on our appearance throughout the school and how, when worn correctly, gives a respectful and smart appearance and of late the standard of some of the childrens uniform has become quite poor. Our school colour is navy (not light blue), therefore what the children wear should reflect this. Skirts, Pinafores and Summer Dresses should be Navy. Not black or grey. Shirts should be white and clean with a collar for the tie to sit underneath. Jumpers and Cardigans should have the school logo on. PE Kit should be Navy trousers/shorts with a plain white t-shirt and a navy jumper/plain hooded jumper. We have a range of pre-loved uniform in school should you wish to donate to this or buy second hand. All money taken for pre-loved uniform is donated back to the PTFA for events

VACANCY...

A vacancy has arisen for a Midday Supervisor to join our happy, caring team at the Rosary Catholic Primary School, to supervise the pupils during their lunch time. The post is part time, initially 2 days per week, 12.00pm - 1.15pm term time only. Please contact the office for more details and an application form. Closing date is Friday 28th February 2025.

COMMUNITY LINKS



Important Dates

HALF TERM

05 March
Ash Wednesday
KS2 Mass in Church

05 March
Ash Wednesday
KS1 Liturgy in school

06 March
World Book Day

10 - 14 March
Science Week
inc. the Life Education bus

12 March
KS2 Quick Sticks Hockey
at Stratford Park Astro

18 March
Y5 trip to Cadbury World

03 April
Y2 trip to Robinswood Hill

03 April
Interhouse Choir

07 - 11 April
Holy Week &
Y6 Mock SATs