



NEWSLETTER

ST. THERESA'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

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PARENTS EVENING—THURSDAY 25TH OCTOBER 2018

There is a Parents Evening in school on Thursday 25th October. The interviews with the teachers will start from 2.00pm-5.30pm and then from 6.00pm-7.00pm and will be at ten minute intervals. Nursery will be making their own arrangements.

Appointments can be made by email stating your child's name, class and preferred time.
admin@st-theresas.sheffield.sch.uk

Please note: Parents can collect their children from 2.00pm on Thursday 25th October. Any child not collected at 2.00pm will be in the main school hall and must be collected by 3.10pm.



Dates for the Diary

Mon 1 Oct	Whole School Mass
Tues 2 Oct	Mass with Y4 leading 10am
Thurs 25 Oct	Parents Evening
Fri 26 Oct	Break up for Half term
Mon 5 Nov	Back to School Y1 & Y2 Music in the Round
Tues 13 Nov	Y3 & Y4 Sherwood Forest

Change of Menu next Thursday

On Thursday 4th October we are having a change of menu.

**Cheese and Tomato Pizza, Chips and Beans
Or
Jacket Potato with Cheese, Beans or Tuna Mayo**

Next Weeks Afterschool Activities

Monday	Y4-6 Netball Y5/6 Football Squad Training
Tuesday	Y4/5/6 SUFC Football Games Workshop for all pupils attending with a parent
Wednesday	Y4-6 Cross Country Y3 Taekwondo

All Afterschool clubs finish at 4.15pm, please collect your child promptly at this time.

Head Lice in School

We have had cases of Head Lice in school this week. Please could you check your child's hair and treat if necessary to stop it spreading any further.

More information can be found on the NHS website.

Football Training for Years 1 and 2

Sheffield United Community Foundation are in school on Thursdays and are running a football training session for boys and girls in Years 1 and 2 at lunchtime. No form necessary as this is during school time.

St Theresa's Reception Class Applications for Sept 2019

If you are a parent/carer of a children born between 1/09/2014 and 31/08/2015 you should have received by post information from Sheffield City Council on how to apply for a school place for September 2019.

Applications for St Theresa's and other Catholic primary school's also require a Supplementary Application Form which you can pick up from the school office. These forms along with any supporting evidence (Baptism cert, letter from church) should be returned to the school office by 31st January 2019.

***Please be courteous to others when parking on Queen Mary Road and in our Car Park.
It can be frustrating at busy times when trying to access school so please try to be patient.***



PE Kits

Please ensure that your child has a named PE kit in school everyday including pumps or trainers. PE kits can be taken home for washing at halfterm.

Please see below a reminder of the appropriate PE Kit as per our Uniform Policy:

- White t-shirt, long enough to tuck into shorts
- Plain black shorts or black tracksuit bottoms/leggings
- Trainers for outdoor PE
- For health and safety reasons, no jewellery to be worn

Year 3 School Dinners

Just a reminder that as your child has moved into Year 3 they are no longer eligible for a Universal Free School Meal. The cost of a meal is £2.00 per day and should be paid in cash at the school office, this can be done daily or weekly.

You may be entitled to Free School Meals

Please check the Council Website to see if you can claim free school meals. The rules are changing due to Universal credit so even parents earning above £7400.00 may be entitled. Further information can be found at <https://www.sheffield.gov.uk/home/schools-childcare/school-meals.html>.

Its really quick and easy to check you can either do it online via the link shown above or just pop into the school of-
fice with your NI Number and we can submit an application on your behalf, it takes 5 minutes of your time. Even if your child is in years Reception-Year 2 and receives free meals it is still helpful to school if you register because we receive additional funding for each child who is eligible and this money is spent on essential resources. As you know school budgets are tight so any additional funding is gratefully received.

Earrings

Please can everyone be aware that for Health and Safety reasons children are not permitted to wear jewellery to school. However if ears are recently pierced and the earrings cannot be removed they may remain in for a maximum of 6 weeks. During this time your child cannot participate in PE.

School Uniform

We are aware that Pinder's and School Trend's are having some issues with supplying school uniforms to many of the schools in Sheffield.

We are happy to say that we have a full stock of St Theresa's uniform for you to purchase from the school office.

Water Bottles

Please ensure your child has a Water bottle in school. They are £1.50 to purchase from the school office or you can bring one from home.