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St Joseph's News

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21st September 2026



25th Sunday of the Year (A) – Matthew 20:1-16

'So, the last will be first, and the first will be last.'



Buddy Assembly Reception and Year 6

Please note – due to staff sickness we need to move the Buddy Assembly from Friday 2nd Oct to Fri 9th Oct. We apologise for the inconvenience but it is unavoidable.

Uniform reminder

A reminder that the children can still wear summer uniform until October half term. No jewellery is to be worn, earrings are to be covered or removed for school. Trainers are **not** permitted for everyday wear, only for PE. No football boots are allowed. Acrylics/nail extensions and gel nails are not permitted.

After School Clubs

Due to our school improvement work, there will be a limited number of after school clubs running this year. As soon as they are all finalised, we will be in touch.

New Training Day Date

Monday 2nd November due to our work with the Local Authority on school improvement we need another training day in the autumn term.

Battery Collection

Schools across Newport collected just over one tonne of household batteries after taking up Battery Recycling Challenge. The annual competition, run in partnership with Newport City Council and European Recycling Platform UK (ERP), aims to encourage youngsters to collect batteries for recycling from home and at school. There is a

box in the school Reception area where you can recycle all your household batteries.

Parent Information sessions

Thank you for attending the sessions. We hope you found them informative. We will upload all the presentations onto the school website so you can look at them at your leisure.

Calendar Dates	
Tues 22 nd Sept	Whole School Flu Immunisation
Mon 5 th October	St Francis Y5 – Class Feast Day Celebration
Fri 9 th Oct	New date Welcome Assembly 9.30 YR and Y6 parents invited
Mon 12 th Oct	St Carlo Acutis – Class Feast Day Celebration – Year 2
Thurs 15 th Oct	Harvest Service – Y4 9.30am Parents invited
Tues 20 th Oct	Y6 St Cecilia- at Crucial Crew (am)– details to follow
Fri 23 rd Oct	Blessed Chiara Class Feast Day celebration – Year 1
Mon 26th Oct – Fri 30th Oct	HALF TERM
Mon 2 nd Nov	Training Day
Weds 4 th Nov	All Saints Assembly – 9.30am Y3 parents invited
Mon 9 th Nov	Parent Consultations 3pm-6pm
Tues 10 th Nov	Parent Consultations 3pm-6pm
Tues 10 th Nov	Rags to Riches clothing collection – bring your clothing donations into school
Weds 11 th Nov	St Martin Class Feast Day Celebration - YR
Fri 20 th Nov	Training Day
Mon 23 rd Nov	St Cecilia Class Feast Day Celebration -Y6
Tues 1 st Dec	Advent Assembly 9.30am – Y5 Parents invited
Thurs 3 rd Dec	Y2 Pedestrian Training
Thurs 10 th Dec	Y2 Pedestrian Training
Fri 11 th Dec	Christmas Jumper Day
Fri 18 th Dec	Last day of term – Own clothes day
Mon 21st Dec – Fri 1st Jan	Christmas Holidays – school Closed
Mon 4 th Jan	Back to school

Training Days – school closed to children

****Monday 2nd Nov new date****

Friday 20th November

Mon 15th February 2027

1 day TBC

Bank Holiday - 3rd May 2027

Please keep looking at diary dates as more will be added as the term progresses and we do not want you to miss out on any events.