



**SS John Fisher & Thomas More
Catholic Primary School**

A Voluntary Academy



NEWSLETTER

10th March 2020

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Journeying together with Jesus Christ, we learn to love and love to learn

Our Statement to live by is"

"Simple things can make us happy."

Dear Parents/Carers,

Parents Evening

A short message from me this week as we want to use this newsletter to re-iterate the guidance around coronavirus. I would just like to remind you all, however, that parents evening (for all except Miss Hughes' class who have received a separate letter) is on Wednesday 18th March, and if you have not already done so you should make an appointment with your child's class teacher.

Have a Nice Week
Mr D Hemington

A Message from WCAT CEO - Coronavirus

Coronavirus guidance for educational settings

We would like to reassure parents that the schools within the Wythenshawe Catholic Academy Trust are acting on advice received from the Department of Education and Public Health England with regards to the recent outbreak of Coronavirus. Until we have confirmed cases, our schools will continue to operate normally and would not close unless advised to do so by Public Health England.

In the meantime, we would urge parents to remind their children that personal hygiene is the most important way we can tackle Coronavirus, especially washing hands more. The catch it, bin it, kill it strategy, for those with coughs and sneezes, will also help in delaying the peak of the infection. If you have any questions, please do contact the Headteacher at your child's school.

Sacha Humphries
CEO, Wythenshawe Catholic Academy Trust

**ADDITIONAL GUIDANCE AROUND
CORONAVIRUS AND HAND WASHING TECHNIQUES
ARE ATTACHED WITH THIS NEWSLETTER**

STARS OF THE WEEK

Mrs Dixon	Michelle Sibanda
Miss McCarney	Shayla Green
Miss Evans	Melvyn Abusah-Solomon
Mrs Lord	Andrea Beck
Miss Jarvis	Tuja Malunga
Miss Carroll	David Egu
Miss Hughes	Neveah Bell
Mrs Hough	Darnel Perrine
Mr Lyness	Callum Jackson
Mr O'Hara	Basil Thomas
Mr McCarthy	Dua Butt
Miss Welch	Janaya Gordon Ratcliffe

ATTENDANCE

Our overall school attendance for week 97.1%



The individual class winners for the attendance awards were as follows:

Rec	Ms McCarney	99.1%
Year 5	Mr O'Hara	99.0%
Year3/4	Ms Hughes	98.5%

A good week Well Done!

World Book Day Thanks

Can we say a big Thank You to all those parents/carers who helped to make World Book Day a great success.

It was wonderful to see all the children in their 'Comfy Clothes' and with their favourite books, taking part in all the events we had going on around school. We were also pleased to see so many of you able to join us in school for our Reading Breakfast and Story Telling Sessions.

It is always wonderful to see parents/carers and children all engaging in reading activities.

Last, but by no means least, thank you for all of the entries you sent into the 'Caught on Camera' competition. Some of you really did manage to be reading in extraordinary places!

House Points

A massive well done to **St Theresa** for being this week's winners.

HOUSE	POINTS
St Clare	384
St Vincent	388
St Theresa	469
St Francis	388

Dates for the Diary

March

Tuesday 3rd	Year 5/6 Mass	9:30am
Thursday 5th	Sacramental Programme Session 6	3:30pm
Friday 6th	Year 3/4 Ms Hughes Class Assembly	2:40pm
Tuesday 10th	Year 5 to Irish Heritage Centre	9:45am - 2:30pm
Wednesday 11th	Year 5 to Irish Festival @ The Forum	9:45am - 2:30pm
Thursday 12th	First Forgiveness Group 1	3:30pm
Sunday 15th	Choir Singing at Irish Festival	TBA
Monday 16th	KS1 Visit to Castleton	All Day
Tuesday 17th	Year 3/4 Mass	9:30am
Wednesday 18th	Parents Consultation Evening	3:30pm
Thursday 19th	First Forgiveness Group 2	3:30pm
Tuesday 20th	Year 5/6 Mass	9:30am
Thursday 5th	Sacramental Programme Session 6	3:30pm

DATES WILL BE ADDED EACH WEEK, SO WATCH THIS SPACE



If you have a cough, or fever, or shortness of breath and have been to any of these places in the last 14 days:

- China
- Taiwan
- Cambodia
- Thailand
- Singapore
- Laos
- Japan
- Malaysia
- Myanmar
- Republic of Korea
- Macau
- Northern Italy (north of Pisa)
- Hong Kong
- Vietnam

Stay indoors and call NHS 111

If you have returned from these specific areas:

- Iran
- Daegu or Cheongdo in South Korea
- Specified towns in the Lombardy and Veneto regions in Northern Italy
- Hubei province (returned in the past 14 days)

Make your way to your residence. Stay indoors and contact NHS 111 even if you do not have symptoms



Let's Wash Our Hands!

Whooshy washy!

Wet our hands

Under running water

Add some soap and

Rub them hard

Don't miss any part!

Between our fingers

Under the nails

Rid germs without fail

Front and back

And round the wrist

No germs will be missed!

They may hide

But we shall seek

So we will not fall sick!

Splishy splashy

Bye bye germs

Down the drain they squirm

With clean towels

We dry our hands

Now let's show our friends!



Palm to palm



Between fingers



Back of hands



Base of thumbs



Back of fingers



Fingernails



Wrists



Rinse and wipe



After using
the toilet



After sneezing
or coughing



After playing
with pets



After sports or
playing outside



Before eating

Remember to wash our hands: