



ST JOSEPH'S
CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

Meet the Teacher

2022





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Meet the teachers

Class Teacher- Miss Lopez

Teaching assistant- Mrs. McMahon

Thursday cover- Miss Holmes



Curriculum overview:

English- Freedom- by Catherine Johnson

Whole class reading- The Explorer- Katherine Rundell

Mathematics-

- Roman numerals
- Place value
- Addition and subtraction
- Multiplication and division

Science- Properties and changes of materials

Subjects:

History – Anglo-Saxons and Viking struggle for power.

Science – Properties and changes of materials

Art - TBC

Music-Folk music

PSHCE/RSE – The UNCRC and Rights Respecting Schools and Relationships

Physical Education- Striking and fielding – cricket

Swimming- on Tuesdays

MFL – Core vocabulary

Religious education-

-Ourselfs – Domestic church – family

The big question - Who am I?

-Life choices – Baptism/ confirmation – belonging

The big question - Is commitment important?



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Children will be provided with classroom resources for their learning.

They will also have a reading record to log their reading.

School rules:

St Joseph's School Rules



- ❖ We make right choices
- ❖ We treat everyone and everything with respect
- ❖ We always try our best

At St Joseph's we always try to
be the best version of ourselves



PE Days:

- Your child's PE day will be on Tuesday and Wednesday.
- Your child should wear their PE kit to school, with their school jumper on top. The PE kit should consist of a white t-shirt, navy or black bottoms and plimsoles/trainers.
- The school has to teach the National Curriculum and PE is a vital element of this. Participating regularly in physical activity is important to develop habits for a healthy adult life.
- Swimming will also take place every Tuesday until December* This means that the children will be doing P.E. and swimming on Tuesdays until swimming is completed. Then P.E. lessons will commence on Tuesdays and Wednesdays once again.



Upcoming Trips

- We will be going on some trips throughout the year but these are yet to be confirmed.
- One trip that will hopefully be planned for the upcoming terms is a trip to the royal observatory for the science topic of space.



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Key Dates:

Tuesday 20th September - Individual School Photos - Tempest photographer.

Monday 26th September Mini Marathon starts.

Friday 30th September - MacMillan Coffee Morning/ Cake Competition/Cake Sale.

Thursday 20th October Harvest Festival - mass at church.



How parents can help support their child/ homework

- Please listen to your child read regularly. Please sign the reading record book and make a comment. Please encourage your child to learn their 'spelling words,' a few minutes practice each day can make a big difference.
- By Summer Year 5 your child is expected to have mastered their times tables but they need regular practice to retain the information.
- Please make sure your children are completing their homework which is given on Friday and due back on Wednesday. This is to help the children with their learning.



Suggested child friendly websites for children to access at home

- Your children can use TTRS which is a timetable application which allows the children to practice their timetable knowledge. This is what children use at school and can be followed up at home to consolidate knowledge.
- BBC bitesize also has lots of resources for children to use to support their learning in school.



Any other information that you think is relevant

Home work will be given out on Friday and should be handed in to be marked by the following Wednesday.

For your information I have put the class email address and the school support email address.

Thank you for your continued support with your child's learning.

Year 5:

Year5@stjosephs.greenwich.sch.uk

School Support: support@stjosephs.greenwich.sch.uk



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