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Office hours are 8:30am to 4:30pm

School starts at 9am  
(Nursery 8.45am and 12.15pm),  
gates will be shut promptly.  
Please ensure children are in  
class in plenty of time.  
Please pick your child up  
promptly at the end of the day  
at 3.10pm (KS1) or 3:15pm (KS2)

*Our Lady of Peace Catholic Primary  
and Nursery School has a commit-  
ment to safeguarding and promoting  
the welfare of children.*



## Our Lady of Peace Catholic Primary & Nursery School

Dear Parents/Carers,

### **EYFS Parent Workshop this week**

Thank you to all the parents who were able to attend the EYFS Parent Workshop on Wednesday. It was a great turn out!  
The three PowerPoints which were presented are now available on the school Website.

### **Golden Table**

Last week, seven children were chosen to sit at the golden table with a staff member of their choice. The children were chosen due to their good behaviour.



### **Head lice advice**

There have been a number of cases of Head lice in the school.  
Every family needs to comb each member's hair daily, with the special combs, for at least a week so that we can clear the infestation. Advice may be obtained from your local chemist on what medication to use. Medication only needs to be used if there are actually live lice in the hair. If only eggs are found then only wet combing is sufficient.

### **Bikeability - Year 5 & 6 ONLY**

A Bikeability cycle training letter was sent out this week to Year 5 and 6 only.  
Please return your form and £5 fee by Thursday 26th January. Please be mindful that places are given on a first come first serve basis as places are limited.

### **Lost Glasses (KS2)**

If your child has lost a pair of glasses, please ask them to see Mrs O'Sullivan in the school office.

### **Church Bulletin**

Please see the attachment for this week's Church Bulletin.

***'Now may the Lord of peace Himself give you peace at all times in every way.  
The Lord be with you all.'***

2Th 3:16

Kind Regards,

**Mrs J O'Keeffe  
Headteacher**



**Attendance of the Week( w/e 20th January 2017)**



| <b><u>Year band</u></b> | <b><u>Percentage</u></b> |
|-------------------------|--------------------------|
| Nursery                 | 82.5%                    |
| Reception               | 92.0%                    |
| Year 1                  | 94.2%                    |
| Year 2                  | 97.0%                    |
| Year 3                  | 96.0%                    |
| Year 4                  | 98.0%                    |
| Year 5                  | 94.0%                    |
| Year 6                  | 94.0%                    |

**Well done Nursery. Keep up the good attendance!**

**Useful Dates for Your Diary**

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| w/c 23rd January                             | Book Fair in the Junior School Hall      |
| Friday 20th January                          | Year 1 St Teresa Assembly at 2:30pm      |
| Friday 20th January                          | Year 6 St Brigid Assembly at 2:30pm      |
| w/c 6th February                             | BIKEABILITY Training                     |
| Friday 10th February                         | Year 5 St Dunstan Assembly at 2:30pm     |
| 22 <sup>nd</sup> February                    | Fire Service to visit Year 3 at 11am     |
| 13 <sup>th</sup> – 17 <sup>th</sup> February | Lenten Half Term                         |
| Friday 3rd March                             | Year 1 St Bernadette Assembly at 2:30pm  |
| Friday 3rd March                             | Year 4 St Blaise Assembly at 2:30pm      |
| Friday 17th March                            | Year 3 St Clare Assembly at 2:30pm       |
| Wednesday 29th March                         | Easter egg Raffle—More details to follow |
| Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup> March              | Nursery End of Lenten Term               |
| Friday 31 <sup>st</sup> March                | Lenten Term Ends (1.15pm)                |
| Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> April               | Pentecost Term Begins                    |
| Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> May                   | Bank Holiday                             |
| 29 <sup>th</sup> May–2 <sup>nd</sup> June    | Pentecost Half Term                      |

## **Achievements KS1**

### **Star of the week**

|                |                   |  |
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| St Valentine   | Nel Mazur         | For independently sounding out a sentence using your phonics skills. |
| St Bernadette  | Patryk Dawidowicz | For improved confidence in using a big voice during lesson times.    |
| St Christopher | Oskar Baprawski   | For hard work, helping in class and making an effort in all lessons. |

### **Pupil Of the Week w/e 20th January 2017**

|               |                     |   |
|---------------|---------------------|---|
| St Clare      | Oliwer Wolodzin     | For excellent adjectives in his English work.   |
| St Peter      | Alisha Farkas       | For settling in well in her new class!  |
| St John Bosco | Elijah Abel         | For always being polite and courteous to others.  |
| St Columba    | Katerina Ezekobe    | For writing beautiful poetry.   |
| St Blaise     | Nichilas Puszcz     | For having a 'have a go' attitude when faced with new challenges , like swimming.   |
| St Paul       | Megan Shiel         | For becoming more confident in English, Maths and generally overall.  |
| St Maximilian | Alexandra Esheyigha | Well Done Alexandra, You have participated in class discussions well this week. Your confidence is growing and you always do your best. |
| St Ethelbert  | Harry McMillan      | For showing courage in correcting someone. What a Hero!   |
| St Dunstan    | Paige Hosking       | For consistently outstanding effort across the curriculum. Always puts in 100% with a smile.  |
| St Joseph     | Kaiden Davis        | Kaiden has shown great levels of concentration and has worked really hard this week.  |
| St Brigid     | Megan Brown         | For consistently good work and being a very responsible prefect.  |
| St Cuthbert   | Oliwier Beska       | For trying hard all week and persevering with answering inference questions about our class text.                                       |