



News Letter

*'Recognising every person is precious to God,
our vision is to provide an excellent Catholic education.'*

St Columba's
Catholic
Primary
School



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Class Photographs

On Monday 13th November the school photographer will be in school to take **CLASS** photographs, not individual one's, which will be supplied to you on a proof card which will give you details of the packs you can purchase. If you don't want any of the packs you don't have to buy them. On Monday please send your child to school as spic and span as possible and wearing school uniform.

Christmas Events

Dec 2017

- 1st** - Blessing of the Wreaths in school
- 3rd** - School Choir singing at Cleckheaton Town Hall
- 10th** - Parish Christmas Fayre in School
- 12th** - Christmas Dinner Day
- 12th** - KS1 Christmas Craft Stay and Play - 2:00pm
- 13th** - KS1 Hey Ewe Production - 1CR/2CW
- 14th** - EYFS Nativity - 9:30am Nursery/Eden AM and RAM
- 14th** - EYFS Nativity - 2:00pm Nursery/Eden PM and RRM
- 14th** - School Disco Evening
- 15th** - Christmas Jumper Day
- 15th** - KS1 Hey Ewe Production - 1AH/2SP
- 18th** - KS2 Carol Service in Church at 2.00pm
- 18th** - KS2 - Aladdin Panto in School am
- 18th** - KS1 - Aladdin Panto in School pm
- 19th** - Non Uniform Day
- 19th** - SCHOOL CLOSSES FOR CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS

Jan 2018

- 4th** - SCHOOL RE-OPENS

Class Assemblies

The next Class Assembly will be on Wednesday 22nd November at 9:05am, led by 1CR. Parents are welcome to attend.

Forthcoming Diary Events

Nov

- 13th** - Class Photos
- 13th** - Parents ESOL Course—9:00am - 11:00am
- 15th** - Parents Maths Course - 9:00am-11:00am
- 20th** - Parents ESOL Course—9:00am - 11:00am
- 22nd** - Class Assembly—1CR
- 22nd** - Parents Maths Course - 9:00am-11:00am
- 27th** - Parents ESOL Course—9:00am - 11:00am
- 28th** - Reception to Year 4 Flu Vaccinations
- 29th** - Class Assembly 6WA
- 29th** - Parents Maths Course - 9:00am-11:00am

Mobile Phones

As you are aware many of your children have their own mobile phones. Over the last few days we have received many complaints from parents about inappropriate use of phones outside of school. We will be working with the children in school teaching them about appropriate use of phones. It is also important that you as parents also speak to your children about what they should be using their phones for and monitoring what they are doing on them. Children of Primary school age should not have Facebook accounts or Snapchat accounts, these are for children who are at least 13 years old.

Newsletter

Newsletters and full school correspondences will now be sent home with the eldest child in the family or by email, if you have requested it. They are also available from the school website www.stcolumbas.bradford.sch.uk.

Attendance

Recp-KS1 - Congratulations to Miss Wolanski's Class 2CW who have won our Magnificent Attendance Trophy for their excellent attendance last week.

KS2 - Congratulations to Mrs Malik's class 5SM who have won our Magnificent Attendance Trophy for their excellent attendance last week.

Attendance Weekending 03.11.17				
Yr R	RRM	92.4%	RAM	92.8%
Yr 1	1CR	93.5%	1AH	90.7%
Yr 2	2SP	92.8%	2CW	95%
Yr 3	3TW	96.5%	3MM	93.7%
Yr 4	4EH	94.1%	4CD	96.2%
Yr 5	5VP	94.2%	5SM	97.6%
Yr 6	6MD	97.5%	6WA	92.7%

Miss C Emmott
Head of School