

3rd December 2021

Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Primary School

Newsletter

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This Week

Statement to live by

Our Statement to live by is 'I try to love others as I love myself.' Please take the opportunity to talk about this with your child.



Winter weather



We remind parents that during periods of inclement weather a safe route will be marked out in and around the grounds. Please ensure that you and your children stick to the safe routes on site at all time.

As the school days start to get colder, please also ensure that children come to school suitably dressed with a warm coat, hat and gloves.

Fr Peter



Fr Peter was inducted as Parish Priest of Our Lady of Lourdes and Murton St. Joseph's on Tuesday night, during a Mass at St. Joseph's.

We continue to wish him well and welcome him into our school and wider community.

Foodbank Appeal

A huge thanks to those who have contributed to our foodbank appeal already. There are boxes in and around school for pupils to drop in their donations.

If any families are in need of support with food or presents for Christmas, please do call school and ask to speak to Mrs Ashton or Mrs Wright. Your phone call will be handled with the utmost discretion and there are lots of things that we can do to help.

Many families are provided with this support each year and as a school community we want to help in any way that we can, so please don't worry alone, pick up the phone!



Christmas Party Day

A reminder that on Monday 13th December the children will have their Christmas party in school. We ask that children come dressed in their party clothes and as they will be still going outside to play, please bring a change of shoes if party shoes are not suitable for outdoor play.

Healthy Snack

We encourage our KS2 children to bring a healthy snack with them each day to eat at breaktime.



Attendance

As a school we aim for class attendance to be at **97%** or better.

The grid shows this week's class attendance. The attendance winners this week are...

Year Group	Overall %
Reception	88.5%
Year 1	93.7%
Year 2	93.7%
Year 3	89.1%
Year 4	99.2%
Year 5	94.2%
Year 6	88%





Upcoming Events	
Y6 Booster Sessions	Tuesday and Thursday mornings at 8:30am and will continue until the 16 th December
Party Day/Online Pantomime	Monday 13 th December
Christmas Performances available to view on the website	Monday 13 th December *Please note this date could change, if so, we will let you know.
Christmas Dinner Day	Tuesday 14 th December
Break up for Christmas Holidays	Friday 17 th December
Children return to school	Tuesday 4 th January 2022

