

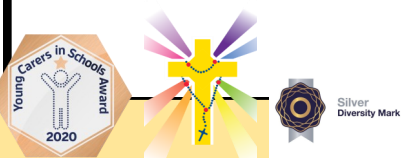


St Joseph's Catholic Primary
We follow in St Joseph's footsteps building a community of love,
trust, respect and learning.



Attendance Data

	Last week	This week	LATE marks
Class 1	96.67%	82.86%	1
Class 2	98%	92%	0
Class 3	92.35%	88.53%	2
Class 4	94.24%	89.09%	1



Certificate Winners

Class 1: Teddy and Helen

Class 2: Edie and Morgan

Class 3: Lottie and Neve

Class 4: Reece, Ned and Daisy

Whole School Attendance: 88.41%

Winning Class: Class 2—92%



Winning House Team This Week:
ST PATRICK

DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR

Tues 17th December	Class 1 + 2 Nativity 6pm
Weds 18th December	Class 3 visit to Alexandra House (Carol Singing) Class 1 + 2 Nativity 2pm
Thurs 19th December	9.30am Year 6 We are Music performance (Y6 parents invited)
Fri 20th December	Last day for Children. School will finish at 2pm Parents are welcome to join us at: 10am Christingle @ Our Lady Queen of Heaven 1pm Carols—at School in the hall.
Mon 6th January	NON PUPIL DAY
Tues 7th January	Children return to school
Weds 8th January	9.30am Jubilee Mass at School Piano lessons restart
Thurs 16th January	C4 Electric Palace Kindertransport Workshop
Fri 14th February	Last day before half-term

PLEASE NOTE THAT SCHOOL FINISHES AT
2PM ON FRIDAY 20th DECEMBER
MONDAY 6th JANUARY IS A NON PUPIL DAY

Week Beginning 16th December 2024

SPECIAL FESTIVE WEEK MENU

FESTIVE DINNERS

WEEK BEGINNING MONDAY 16TH DECEMBER



MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Festive Pizza	'SHEPHERD'S' PIE	Festive Cup	Festive Chicken Burger	CHRISTMAS PARTY FOOD FRIDAY
Home-made pizza with toppings of Pigs in Blankets, Turkey and Stuffing served with cubed potatoes	Delicious home-made Shepherd's Pie served with Winter Vegetables	Crispy potato cubes, pigs in blanket, stuffing ball, honey roast parsnips all served in a festive cup	Served in a Bun, Crispy Fries, Corn on the Cob	Selection of Pizza Finger, Sandwich Finger, Sausage Roll Crudités
Festive Gingerbread	Frosty Flapjack	Festive Fairy Cake	Christmas Tree Brownie	Festive Biscuits

A jacket potato alternative will be offered each day along with yoghurts and fresh fruit.

St Joseph's are occasionally asked to promote activities from local groups, such as the Swimming Pool, the Sports Hall, Church Groups etc....

Such activities are not quality assured by the school and parents should be aware of the need to reassure themselves of the quality and safety of the services on offer, for example by visiting, looking at inspection reports etc.

Our website can be accessed at

<https://www.st-josephs->

FINAL WEEK



Running From October up until Christmas!

**THIS YEAR THE PTA WOULD LOVE TO ENHANCE THE PLAYGROUND FOR THE CHILDREN
– FROM BUDDY BENCHES TO CLIMBING FRAMES TO PLAY EQUIPMENT AND EVEN
GAMES / ACTIVITIES FOR 'WET BREAK'.**

**WE ARE ASKING THE CHILDREN AND PARENTS TO COLLECT FUNDS FROM THEIR
FAMILIES, FRIENDS AND BUSINESSES TO HELP US IN THIS EFFORT.**

**WE WILL COLLECT DONATIONS EVERY FRIDAY – EACH CHILD CAN RETURN THEIR FILLED
JAR TO THE CLASSROOM WHERE TOTALS WILL BE MONITORED WEEKLY.**

**THERE WILL BE SPOT PRIZES ALONG THE WAY AND A PARTY AT THE END OF THE
CAMPAIGN FOR THE CLASS RAISING THE MOST FUNDS.**



REMEMBER EVERY



COUNTS!!

Exciting Films Coming to the Electric Palace!



Paddington in Peru- PG

- Fri Dec 6 - 7:30 pm
- Sat Dec 7-10.30am Relaxed Screening
- Sat Dec 7 - 2:30 pm 7:30 pm
- Sun Dec 8 - 2:30 pm 7:30 pm
- Mon Dec 9 - 2:30 pm 7:30 pm
- Tue Dec 10 - 4:00 pm

Wicked- PG

- Fri Dec 20 - 7:30 pm
- Sat Dec 21 - 2:30 pm 7:30 pm
- Sun Dec 22 - 2:30 pm 7:30 pm
- Mon Dec 23 - 2:30 pm 7:30 pm

Moana 2- PG

- Fri Dec 27 - 2:30 pm
- Sat Dec 28- 10.30am Relaxed Screening
- Sat Dec 28 - 2:30 pm
- Sun Dec 29 - 2:30 pm
- Mon Dec 30 - 2:30 pm
- Tue Dec 31 - 2:30 pm
- Thu Jan 2 - 2:30 pm

Bookings available on our website: www.electricpalace.com

Essex Library Service

Winter Reading Challenge



The Dragons' Adventure!

Thursday 2 January to
Saturday 22 February

**Help the dragons get home out of the
cold by completing fun challenges!**

Sign up at any Essex library.



@essexlibraries



Winter Wonderland Issue

Grab a cuppa, get comfy, and have your pen and diary at the ready to start planning those magical days.

Here's a glimpse of what's inside:

- o KidAround's NewsAround – Kiddy friendly news
- o Winter Wonderland Feature – bursting with pantos, days out and of course, Santa
- o Diary Dates – even more ideas on what's on in and around Essex
- o Kids page – printable activities and competitions

You and your wellbeing – taking time for yourself

Click Image to read or click this link: <https://www.kidaround.biz/magazine/>

CHRISTMAS Share Shack



**SUPPORT PEOPLE
& THE PLANET**

Don't miss out on the festive spirit.

If you are in need of Christmas decorations / trees, Essex Pedal Power Christmas Share Shack can help!

Borrow what you need or exchange your existing decorations to save you buying new!

Open every Tue/Weds/Thurs in December
Essex Pedal Power office
Main Road (next to Mayflower School)
CO12 4AJ

harwich.dovercourtepp@theaws.org

07749 491791

**BORROW, SAVE,
CELEBRATE & SHARE**





**HARWICH
KIDZ**

HOLIDAY FUN

**Friday 27th December,
Monday 30th December and
Thursday 2nd January**

**PLEASE BOOK ON THROUGH YOUR
FREE SCHOOL DINNER CODE LINK.**

IF YOU REQUIRE A PAID PLACE PLEASE GET IN TOUCH.

HARWICHKIDZ@GMAIL.COM OR 07476 915241

**WE ARE ALSO ON FACEBOOK: HARWICH KIDZ AND
INSTAGRAM : HARWICH_KIDZ**



**AT HARWICH AND DOVERCOURT
RUGBY CLUB
SWIMMING POOL ROAD, WICK
LANE, HARWICH**