

St Aloysius Catholic Primary School Newsletter



Friday 12th January 2018

Dear Parent/Guardian,

This first full week back at school has been bursting with exciting learning. All classes are really excited about their new topics; from 'Dinosaurs' to 'Fairy tales.' It was fantastic to see Year 4 pupils engage in a 'Victorian Day' on Monday as they immersed themselves into the curriculum.

On Thursday Yr1-Yr6 pupils attended a 'Beginning of term' mass. The children were impeccably behaved and were a credit to the school. We are continuing to practise singing our school hymns so our voices can carry throughout the church, please practice these at home too!

As stated in last week's newsletter it is of paramount importance that children attend school in a full school uniform. All uniform is available to buy at the lower site office, the office have also made orders for additional sizes. Please ensure your child is dressed head to toe in the correct uniform.

Thank you for your continued support

Diary Dates

Monday 15th January - 9.15am

2 Yellow Prayer service

Thursday 18th January - 9.15am

3 Purple class assembly

Friday 19th January - 11am

1 Red class mass

Monday 22nd January - 9.15am

2 Diamond Prayer service

Thursday 25th January - 9.15am

3 Amethyst class assembly





Camden Town Library

Some year groups have been fortunate enough to visit the local library with their peers. Why not visit your local library this week with your child and get lost in the world of books. Opening times are; Mon to Thurs 10am to 6pm, Fri 11am to 5pm, Sat 11am to 5pm, Sun closed.

Head lice

Unfortunately we have some unwanted visitors at school ... head lice.

Regularly checking your child's hair will mean you can spot head lice at the very first sign and treat them effectively. Treat head lice as soon as you see a live one. Check all of the family and treat anyone who has lice. The Department of Health suggests checking for lice again after 3-5 days, and again 10-12 days after using the treatment.

Head lice myth buster				
Myth or truth	 State of hair	 Length of hair	 Spread of lice	 Itchy scalp?
Myth	Prefer clean hair	Prefer long hair	Jump and can spread via clothes/towels	Always means itchy scalp
Truth	Infect both clean and dirty hair	Infect all lengths and types of hair	Walk from head to head	Only itches if allergic to bites/faeces

Reception September 2018

Please ensure that you apply for your Reception September 2018 place online.

Camden have advised that although the final date is the **15th January**, they are recommending **12th January** as a last entry point.

If you need any help with this process then just talk to a member of the office administration team and we will be more than happy to assist you.

There are two parts to the application process;

1. Supplementary evidence handed to upper site office
2. Camden online application form

Please see the link below to complete the online application process

<https://www.camden.gov.uk/ccm/navigation/education/camden-schools/primary-schools/primary-admissions/>