



St Kentigern's R.C Primary School

28.4.2023

Dear families,

Parents' Evening

Parents' Evening will take place on **Thursday 4th May**. Please ensure that you sign up using the form which can be found on your child's Seesaw account. If you have any queries as to how to do this, please ask your child's teacher who will be happy to help.

Year 6 SATS

As many of you will be aware, our Year 6 children will be sitting their SATS examinations from **Tuesday 9th May until Friday 12th May**. The children and staff have worked exceptionally hard to prepare for these examinations. A special "SATS breakfast" will be provided every morning for the Year 6 children during their examination week. I would ask you to keep our wonderful children in your prayers.

Industrial Action

School will be closed on **Tuesday 2nd May** due to industrial action.

Reminder of the school day timings

A gentle reminder that the school day starts at **8.50 am** and finishes at **3.20pm**. Classroom doors are open from **8.40 am**. Please ensure your children arrive at school on time each day and are collected promptly at the end of the day. Thank you for your support regarding this matter.

Right of the Week

Article 21 Children who are adopted

You have the right to have the best care for you if you are adopted or fostered or living in care.

Year 5 Geography

Year 5 built a mini river in school this week. They added water to see how it changed the course of the river. They also identified features such as meanders and oxbow lakes. Chester was very impressed!



Fallowfield Community Choir and St. Kentigern's Choir Concert

This week, we were delighted to welcome the Community Choir to our school. Together with our school choir, they delivered a wonderfully uplifting concert which was attended by our families and community members. A huge thank you to Mrs Frazer and Miss O'Reilly for their incredible work in preparing the children.



Year 4 Shakespeare Launch

Year 4 have thoroughly enjoyed taking part in their Shakespeare Launch Workshop on Wednesday with one of the directors from the festival. They were told that they would be performing one of Shakespeare's famous plays, 'Twelfth Night.' They were able to take on the role of some of the characters and become fully immersed in the play. We can't wait to get started on our exciting scheme of work!



A Message from Fr. Michael

Hello and I hope we are all well and helping and caring for each other. This weekend is the Easter prayer of "Good Shepherd Sunday!" At one time we used to always take time this weekend to speak about "vocations to the religious life" (to be a priest or a nun). Maybe we need to talk again about vocations but the theme must be trying to discern what God is calling us to be? The theme of the Good shepherd prayer, of how we can serve God by the way we try to serve and help each other, (The true meaning of "Vocation!") we should try to find time this weekend, and then on Tuesday, to give thanks and say "Thank you" for those who do so much for us, because of their understanding of their vocation, to teach and care and organise and run our wonderful school community. (Thankyou!). We have the example of our Lord Jesus as The Good Shepherd, so

We learn and pray, in faith and love

let us give thanks for all our good shepherds in St Kentigern's school family. We are truly blessed. Have a great bank holiday weekend. St Kentigern, pray for us.

With continued best wishes,

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Mrs Muldoon

Headteacher