



St Joseph's
CATHOLIC ACADEMY



Believe



Achieve



Succeed

Dear Families,

As we reach the end of a busy and rewarding half term, we would like to take a moment to thank you for your continued support and partnership. It has been a term filled with growth and learning, as the children have transitioned into their new year groups. They have settled so well and have already made great progress with their learning, we are so proud of them! We look forward to discussing your child's progress at our first **Parents Evenings** of the year on **Monday 27th and Tuesday 28th October**. All of these meetings will be face-to-face in school. We look forward to seeing you then.

Wishing you a restful and enjoyable break.

We look forward to seeing everyone back next term! Mrs Dabbs



Friday 17th October 2025

Spotlight in school

Wonderful Water

The children joined in enthusiastically with our Water Assembly on Monday - led by Seven Trent. They have learnt all about ways to use **water wisely** and only put the **3Ps** down the loo!

The children have all pledged to try to save water by:

1. Turn the tap off when you brush your teeth.
2. Shower for only 4 minutes or half fill the bath.
3. Drink all the water in your water bottle.



All Saints Day

We will be celebrating the Feast of All Saints with a special Mass at Our Lady of Victories Church at 10:00am on Friday 31st October. Families are warmly invited to join us for this important occasion.

On the day, children are encouraged to come to school dressed as their favourite Saint and be ready to share an interesting fact or quote about them with their class. We look forward to marking this special feast day together as a school community.



Message from our PTFA

Thank you to everyone who joined us for the Quiz & Chips night - it was great fun and enjoyed by all who attended. We are also thrilled to let you know that we raised over £300 for school funds.

If you are interested in participating in our 'Parents Lottery' please follow this link:

<https://www.theparentslottery.org>

Every ticket you buy funds vital projects, from library books to new playground equipment, helping to enrich the lives of our children.

Catholic Life

A message from Pope Leo... he calls us to pray the Rosary this October

*Dear Brothers and Sisters,
The month of October is now approaching, and in the Church it is dedicated in a special way to the Holy Rosary. Therefore, I invite everyone, every day of the coming month, to pray the Rosary for peace: personally, in the family, in the community.*

**1 Our Father
10 Hail Marys
1 Glory be to the Father**



Save the date...

Monday 27th & Tuesday 28th October

Parents evening, in person in school - more details to follow.

Friday 31st October

**All Saints Day celebrations - children come to school dressed as their favourite Saint
Mass in Church at 10am**

