

Newsletter

Friday 10th July 2026



Dear parents, pupils, governors, staff and parishioners,

Yesterday our Year 5 pupils stood before the rest of the school, their parents and parishioners to enrol themselves as candidates for Confirmation. Year 5 led the readings beautifully and also asked for the prayers and support of our school and parish community as they take this next step in their journey of faith. This was a lovely occasion as it was also Father Moses's first mass that he celebrated with us as his role as new Parish Priest for St Osburg's. It was lovely to see so many parents & family members were able to join us too – thank you for your support. ☺

Reports – Annual school reports for parents will be sent home on the last week of term, with any statutory test results and attendance. We have been informed by the Department for Education that there is a national delay with the return of Year 6 SATS results but we hope to be able to share these with children and parents of Year 6 once we receive them on the new date of Thursday 16th July.

Netball Team Success

Congratulations to our talented Netball Team on an outstanding season! They demonstrated exceptional skill, determination and teamwork throughout the year, earning the title of Coventry Catholic West League Champions. Their success continued in cup competitions, where they reached the semi-finals of the Catholic Cup, and they also achieved an excellent runners-up position in the Catholic Schools Rally last Monday. Well done to everyone who has played in any matches this year.

We are incredibly proud of their commitment, sportsmanship and resilience.



Musical Celebrations

We had a fabulous Guitar Assembly on Tuesday. It was wonderful to see how the children have progressed this year in their lessons with Mr Shepherd, as they entertained us with their guitar skills. We will have a number of spaces available from September if any pupils in Years 3 and 4 would like to start guitar lessons. Following this, on Wednesday morning, the children in Year 4 showcased their ukelele skills and Year 5 their singing and recorder playing with Mrs Clayton. We were also treated to a few songs from our amazing pop choir. Thank you to Mrs Clayton for all your music lessons with every year group in our school over the past year!

Outstanding Payments - Please could we remind any parents that have any outstanding debts for dinners, trips or guitar tuition to make those payments as soon as possible so that we can ensure everything is balanced before the end of the school year. Thank you for your co-operation. Please can we also request that parents try to keep dinner money accounts topped up as this saves us much time in chasing monies owed.

Warm Weather As the hot weather continues children can choose to wear school uniform or school PE kits for the rest of term. Please do remember to ensure that your child has a sunhat and refillable water bottle each day and suncream is applied before school. Thank you.

Top Tweets From This Week

Y3 designers demonstrated new skills, team work and perseverance when making their 'greenhouses' this afternoon 🌱✂️...



The Nursery children said 'Goodbye' to the butterflies as they flew away to explore God's wonderful world of beauty and sunshine 🦋☀️



Our St Osburg's Reading Challenge winners had a lovely visit to a bookshop yesterday to browse and choose their own book! Well done & happy reading! 📖👍



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Staffing 2026/27 For your information here are the staffing arrangements for next year's classes:

Year Group	Nursery	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Teacher	Mrs Gee	Mrs Roberts <i>Phase Leader for EYFS</i> Mrs Hands	Miss Doran <i>Phase Leader</i>	Mrs Oluremi	Mr Dingley Mrs O'Shea	Mrs Bardell <i>Phase Leader</i>	Mr Jordan	Mrs McDevitt <i>Phase Leader</i>
Support staff	Mrs Smith Miss Williams Mrs Quayle	Mrs Lissaman Mrs Essoun	Mrs McDermott Miss Ashton	Mrs Rasquintia	Miss Wood	Miss Doyle	Miss Fallon	Miss Howes Miss Ashton

Thank you Mrs Crowley. We are pleased to share that Mrs Bardell will be returning to work in school next week. Mrs Crowley will be finishing with us in the summer after doing such an amazing job with Miss Doyle teaching Year 4. We are so grateful for Mrs Crowley and all her hard work. Her last working day will be Wednesday 15th July.

Year 6 Perform The Jungle Book! Year 6 are working really hard on their performance of 'The Jungle Book' which they are excited to be sharing with audiences on Tuesday 14th July. We are very fortunate to be able to use the great facilities of Bablake Theatre and children in Years 1-5 will be heading up there to watch the dress rehearsal on the Tuesday afternoon. Tickets are available from the office for parents, friends and family members to attend on Tuesday 14th July at 6pm. Tickets are available from the school office costing £4 for adults, £2 for children and will help to cover the cost of the licence, costumes and props. Tickets will be limited to 4 per family in the first instance.

Holiday Activities and Food (HAF) Programme – Summer 2026

We are pleased to share that bookings are now open for the Coventry Holiday Activities and Food (HAF) Programme this summer. The programme offers a wide range of fun activities for children, alongside a healthy meal for those who attend. The HAF programme is available for children and young people from Reception to Year 11 who are eligible for benefits-related free school meals. Families can explore what's available and book places directly through the Coventry HAF website. Spaces can fill quickly, so we encourage parents to take a look soon. <https://www.coventry.gov.uk/haf>

Attendance & Punctuality – Whole school for this week: 95.4%

Mrs Roberts Year R		Miss Doran		Mrs Oluremi Year 2		Mr Dingley Year 3		Mrs Bardell/Mrs Crowley Year 4		Mr Jordan Year 5		Mrs McDevitt Year 6	
96.8%	4 late	97%	1 late	94.5%	2 late	95.8%	3 late	96.7%	1 late	94.7%	0 late	92.1%	4 late

Last Two Week at a glance:

THERE ARE NO AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITY CLUBS FOR THE REST OF TERM

Date	Time	Activity
Monday 13 th July <i>Year 3 Swimming – last session</i>	9am All day 11-3.30pm	Mission Assembly Year 5 Greek day Y6 at Bablake
Tuesday 14 th July <i>Year 6 at Bablake all day.</i>	11.00am PM 6pm	Nursery Sports day Y6 Dress Rehearsal Year 6 performance of THE JUNGLE BOOK at Bablake Theatre
Wed 15 th July <i>PE kits for everyone</i>	9.15am AM	Sports Morning (Years R-6) Nursery – Teddy Bear's Picnic
Thursday 16 th July	9.10am 9.15-10.15 2-4pm	Y6 Leavers Mass & Awards – parents welcome Nursery Active Tots Y6 Leavers Party
Friday 17 th July	3.15pm	BREAK UP FOR THE SUMMER HOLIDAY

Wishing you all a lovely weekend

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