



OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

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News in School

25th April 2022

Dear Parents and Carers



"Then Peter came to Jesus and asked, "Lord, how many times shall I forgive my brother or sister who sins against me? Up to seven times?" Jesus answered, "I tell you, not seven times, but seventy-seven times."
(Matthew 18:21-22)

Throughout the year, the children have been learning about different virtues. This term's virtue is 'forgiveness'. The children will be learning that everyone can make mistakes. Sometimes our mistakes hurt someone else; we can also be hurt ourselves. When this happens we need to forgive, to accept an apology that is really meant. When we forgive we are able to move forward and have a fresh start. Please see the school [website](#) for some further information about this virtue.

CAFOD

A huge thank you to those of you who have returned your CAFOD sponsorship money. Please could all sponsorship money be returned to school by Friday, 29th April 2022. The total mileage that the children ran has been calculated and, as a whole school, they ran an amazing 2415 miles - the same distance as running to the North Pole ... and a little bit more!!



Weekly Attendance

Well done to YR class for a fantastic week's attendance! Who will be the winners next week??!

EYFS	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
98.72%	91.34%	94.44%	95.65%	96.49%	90.00%	93.94%



School Transport

If your child is starting primary school, or transferring to secondary school in September 2022, they may be eligible for school transport. If you think your child is eligible, please apply for transport as soon as you have your offer of a school place. Applications can be made online at the website below or a telephone application can be made by contacting the Customer Service Centre on 01522 782020. **The deadline for applications is 31st May 2022.**

For more information about the home to school transport policy and online applications please go to www.lincolnshire.gov.uk/school-college-transport. Queries can be emailed to schooltransportapplications@lincolnshire.gov.uk.

Dates for your diary

25th April	Final payment due for Y5/Y6 Residential Trip to The Briars
2nd May	Early May Bank Holiday
3rd May	Crowing of Mary for the month of May
9th - 12th May	Y6 SATs
16th - 20th May	The Briars Residential
24th May	School Photographs
26th May	Feast of The Ascension
27th May	Final day of Term 5

If you have any queries or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me. You can email office.admin@our-lady.lincs.sch.uk or alternatively, call on 01529 304373.

Yours sincerely

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