



# The End of Another School Year!

Dear St Teresa's Catholic Primary School Community,

As we draw the curtain on another remarkable school year, I'm filled with pride and gratitude for the incredible journey we've shared.

Our end-of-year celebrations have been a joyous affair, with students receiving well-deserved recognition for their hard work and achievements. The "Star of the Year" certificates were awarded to our shining stars, acknowledging their exceptional efforts throughout the year. These moments of recognition are not just about academic success, but also about character, perseverance, and the embodiment of our school values.



Speaking of values, I'm particularly proud to announce that our highest honour, the prestigious Kindness Award, was bestowed upon E'Larnie and Somto. Their compassion and empathy have set a wonderful example for our entire school community, reminding us all of the importance of kindness in our daily lives. Truly, our children are living "The Little Way" of St Therese.

Our Year 6 students have had a fantastic send-off, marking the end of their primary school journey in style. We began the week with a poignant leavers mass. The year 6 production of Joseph and his Technicolour Dream Coat was also outstanding. The year sixes then enjoyed a splashing good time at their pool party, complete with water pistols – and I saw our PE coach, Rhys, bore the brunt of their aquatic enthusiasm! The traditional KFC feast was a hit as always, and the school disco provided the perfect backdrop for final primary school memories.

To our departing Year 6 students: you have made us incredibly proud. Your maturity, resilience, and achievements, particularly in your SATs, have been remarkable. As you move on to your secondary schools, we have no doubt that you will continue to shine and make St Teresa's proud. Your journey with us may be ending, but your greatest adventures are just beginning.



Now, looking ahead to the new school year, I have a couple of important reminders for parents. Please mark your calendars: our first day back will be on 3rd September. Additionally, we're implementing new school opening times. The main gate will now open at 8:35 am, and the school day will end at 3:05 pm.



As we close this chapter and look forward to the next, I want to express my heartfelt thanks to our entire school community – students, parents, teachers, and staff. Your dedication, support, and collaborative spirit make St Teresa's the wonderful place it is.

Have a fantastic summer break, stay safe, and we look forward to welcoming you back in September for another exciting year of learning and growth.

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**Upcoming Dates:**

**3rd September** : Children back in.  
 Start of the new school year.

(SEE TERM DATES OVERLEAF)

# 2024 Leaver's Mass

Our end of year leavers mass was co-created with the year six students themselves who selected readings, hymns and sang beautifully.

We were fortunate to be joined by staff, parents, parishioners and governors and Fr Sajji gave a beautiful homily, inviting the children to consider how to be goal oriented and hard working in their new schools.



## St Teresa's Catholic Primary School

### Academic Calendar 2024-25

September 2024							October 2024							November 2024							December 2024						
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May 2025							June 2025							July 2025							August 2025						
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- = Schooldays
- = School holidays
- = Bank holidays
- = Weekends
- = Inset days (No School)

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