

Saint John Wall Catholic School

A Catholic School For All



Mission Statement

'To educate each and every unique child in our care to hear and respond to what God calls them to be'



Issue 33

Weekly Information Bulletin

Date: Friday 9 June 2023

Catholic Life - This year we are focusing on 'The Year of Sanctuary'.
Termly theme: Option for the Poor/Parable of the Great Banquet
Termly SJW Values – Curious and Active

This week in Weekly Worship... "We focused on Volunteers Week. This is a week where we as a school recognise all volunteers and the work they do in our world. We listened to Luke's Gospel about The Great Banquet and linked this to our new theme of Option for the Poor. Option for the Poor is not just about helping those who are financially poor but ensuring that we volunteer and show care to all individuals. There are many different ways that an individual can volunteer. These include helping out at food banks and litter picking."

By Richard Oye 8PAL

This week in Afternoon Prayer... "We prayed for Trinity Sunday which we celebrated last weekend. We reflected and thought about the importance of the Trinity. This week, we also celebrated Volunteers Week. We prayed and gave thanks for all individuals who volunteer and give up their time. We also prayed for Carers Week. We gave thanks for all our carers and reflected on the love and care they show. We also thought about the many roles of a carer and how their roles can change. We also prayed for World Ocean Day which took place this week. We thought about the importance of the ocean and prayed that the ocean is always kept clean. We also thought about ways that we can help the ocean."

By Alina Mathews 8PAL

Important Dates to Note

- **Formal External Examinations Continue for Year 11**
Monday 15 May to Friday 23 June 2023
- **Year 7 and Year 10 Assessment Week**
Monday 19 June 2023 to Wednesday 28 June 2023
- **Year 10 James Watt College Trip (All Year 10s)**
Thursday 22 June 2023 – 8.50am to 3.30pm

Banned Item

We would like to remind pupils that water guns are not allowed in school. Pupils may be at risk of suspension if found with one on school premises.

Please do not bring them to school.

By Miss Timmins



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FFT Attendance Award Certificate

We have won a National Attendance Award for Spring 2023!

Thank you to all parents, carers, pupils and staff for encouraging high attendance to school. The award is based on a collection of daily attendance data from over 10,000 schools.

Through this tracking Fisher Family Trust have awarded Saint John Wall with a national School Attendance Award for being in the top 25% of similar schools who have the highest percentage attendance in England. Well done everyone for all of your efforts!

By Mrs Crooks



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Year 9 Rounders

Class Charts Rewards

Yesterday, our Year 9 girls rounders team visited Holyhead school to take part in a Rounders tournament. The girls played fantastically placing 2nd in our Poole. Well done to Hannah Nyika who had star of the match for her brilliant long distance throwing skills. It has been brilliant to see the enthusiasm towards the school games programme this year in girls PE and I am looking forward to the final events of this year.

The final term of summer is here! These are the prizes you will be able to redeem using your positive points over the next few weeks. Miss Young will be located outside the HOY office for you to choose and collect your prizes. Keep working hard to gain more positives!

By Miss Young

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12th June - 16th June

Roll on deodorant = 30 pts

Spray deodorant = 40 pts

Wipes = 25 pts

Hand sanitiser = 40 pts

Vaseline = 40 pts

Body spray = 50 pts





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19th June - 23rd June

Stationery week!

Pen = 15 pts

Pencil = 15 pts

Highlighters = 15 pts

Erasers = 15 pts

Ruler = 15 pts

**DEAL - ALL ITEMS INCLUDING A CLEAR PENCIL CASE =
60 PTS**



26th June - 30th June

Food week!

Tip top = 25 pts

Cereal Bar = 15 pts

Ice cream from the ice cream van = 100 pts

Free item from the canteen at break = 80 pts



10th July - 14th July

Water bottles = 20 pts

Football = 100 pts

Basketball = 100pts



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Year 11 Examination Timetable – Week 4

Day	Exam Date	Exam Board	Qualification	Subject	Title	Exam Time	Exam Duration
Monday	12/06/2023	AQA	GCSE	English Language	English Language Paper 2	AM	1h 45m
	12/06/2023	OCR	CAMBRIDGE NATIONAL	Creative iMedia	Pre-production skills: Written Paper	PM	1h 15m
Tuesday	13/06/2023	Pearson	GCSE	Chemistry	Paper 2 Higher Tier	AM	1h 45m
	13/06/2023	Pearson	GCSE	Combined Science	Paper 5: Chemistry 2 Foundation/Higher Tiers	AM	1h 10m
	13/06/2023	AQA	GCSE	Spanish	Spanish Paper 4 F/H	PM	1h 15m
	13/06/2023	AQA	GCSE	Bengali	Bengali Paper 4	PM	1h 15m
Wednesday	14/06/2023	Pearson	GCSE	Mathematics	Paper 3 (Calculator) Foundation/Higher Tiers	AM	1h 30m
	14/06/2023	AQA	GCSE	Panjabi	Panjabi Paper 1	PM	0h 45m
	14/06/2023	AQA	GCSE	Panjabi	Panjabi Paper 3	PM	1h 00m
	14/06/2023	AQA	GCSE	Polish	Polish Paper 1	PM	0h 45m
	14/06/2023	AQA	GCSE	Polish	Polish Paper 3	PM	1h 00m
	14/06/2023	Pearson	GCSE	Persian	Persian H Paper 1	PM	0h 45m
	14/06/2023	Pearson	GCSE	Persian	Persian H Paper 3	PM	1h 05m
Thursday	15/06/2023	Pearson	GCSE	History	Paper 3: Modern depth study- 31 Weimar & Nazi	AM	1h 20m
	15/06/2023	AQA	GCE	Panjabi	Panjabi Paper 3	AM	2h 30m
Friday	16/06/2023	Pearson	GCSE	Physics	Paper 2 Higher Tier	AM	1h 45m
	16/06/2023	AQA	GCSE	Geography	Geography Paper 3	PM	1h 15m

Year 11 Examination Timetable – Week 5

Day	Exam Date	Exam Board	Qualification	Subject	Title	Exam Time	Exam Duration
Monday	19/06/2023	Pearson	GCSE	Design and Technology	Component 1: Metals	AM	1h 45m
Wednesday	21/06/2023	WJEC	VOC AWARD	Hospitality & Catering	The Hospitality & Catering Industry	AM	1h 30m
	21/06/2023	AQA	GCSE	Panjabi	Panjabi Paper 4	AM	1h 15m
	21/06/2023	AQA	GCSE	Polish	Polish Paper 4	AM	1h 15m
	21/06/2023	Pearson	GCSE	Persian	Persian H Paper 4	AM	1h 25m



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Guide to tech: Using tracking and location settings on kids devices

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Here's what you need to consider before deciding to share your child's location on their device and how to best use apps that offer location tracking.



Which devices?

Some phones come equipped with software that **can track your child's location**, for example the Monqi phone. Others have settings specific to the phone that can switch your child's location services on and off so that apps are not able to share their location.

Age and privacy

Lots of parents want to see where their younger children are when they're out alone or with friends, using a well-known app like Boomerang or Qustodio. **However, as children get older, they will want to find their own independence** so it's important to have regular conversation about how best to use this tool to support them.

App access

Be aware of which apps your child uses as some can reveal their location to lots of people, for example Snapchat maps. You can design privacy settings that are right for you for them by blocking some apps from accessing your child's location, while enabling others.

Real time updates

If you feel like your child is vulnerable to sharing too much online, **you can install apps to monitor what they are sharing and with whom**. Encourage your children to not share their location or images in real-time so they don't give away their location to people they don't know.



Location zones

Some apps give you the option to set boundaries of **where your child can go** when they are out and about. This can be a good tool to establish boundaries with your child and as they get older and gain more independence. It's a good idea to schedule in checkpoints of when to review the boundaries set so they work for both of you.

Apps have limitations

You'll never be able to fully monitor your child's whereabouts through their phone, so it's important to create an environment where your child is able to share what they've been up to and any concerns they may have.

Building trust

No app can make up for a lack of trust. Whether you decide to disable the location settings within the phone, or install apps specifically designed to help you keep track of your child's location, you should be honest and open with your child.

It's vital you tell them whether you're tracking their movements or not, and the reasons behind it. You can set rules about when you will be checking their location, for example if they are late home or not responsive.

Top apps for location tracking



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Top apps for location tracking



iOS 12 for iPhone and iPad

Screen Time features built into the iOS 12 for iPhone and iPad devices offer great family controls for free and at the operating system level.



Monqi phone

Monqi is an all-in-one solution. It's a smartphone that has controls built into the handset. At £149 it's not cheap, but that price includes the device as well.



Boomerang

As with other apps, it includes location tracking with updates on your child's whereabouts via their mobile device. It works only on iOS and Android devices.



Family Time

This is an app you install on each of your devices that lets you control exactly what your child can do online. You can also track movement and set zones that will alert you if the child leaves them. The app is limited to iOS, Android and Kindle devices.



OurPact

User-friendly App that can track calls, and texts and monitor a range of online activities. There are three subscription plans: Free, Plus, and Premium. The Premium option allows you to access all its features.

