



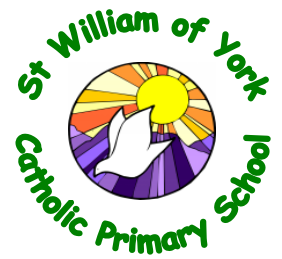
Shining as we learn in  
Faith, Family and Friendship!



## Weekly Newsletter



Together, as God's family we are learning through love, forgiveness, respect and compassion to use our unique gifts, challenging and transforming our world.



### LENT

Lent is the time we remember the 40 days Jesus spent fasting and praying in the wilderness in preparation for the most difficult time of his short life.

As LENT begins on Wednesday let us remember that it is a time for greater generosity—not just with money but with love, forgiveness and mercy.

Lent is the season for deepening our love: love for Jesus, love for our family and love for those most in need.

What will you do for Lent this year?

### Ms Adams - the return!

We are delighted to inform you that our Head Teacher Ms Adams will be returning from her maternity leave after half term.

We give thanks to all those who have helped support the school in her absence, especially Mrs Rabbett, Mrs McGrath and of course our own Deputy Head Teacher, Mrs Coyle.

Ms Adams can't wait to get back to school and is looking forward to seeing you all on

Tuesday 24th February!

Friday 13th February

### LENT

Dear God, as we journey through this Lenten season, help me to reflect on Your love and sacrifice. Teach me to be still and listen to Your voice, guiding me closer to You. May this time of reflection deepen my faith and draw me into a more meaningful relationship with You.

### Safer Internet Day

This week, our students celebrated Safer Internet Day, learning how to stay kind, smart, and safe online. They explored the importance of thinking before posting and knowing what to do if something doesn't feel right on the internet. We learnt the importance of questioning everything you read online or when using AI!

### Wednesday Word

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### Y3 Visit Lostock Primary

Year 3 visited Lostock Primary School as part of the School Linking Project. They had great fun making new friends and taking part in four activities in their Forest School.



### Chinese New Year

EYFS had a wonderful morning celebrating Chinese New Year.



### Dates for your Diary

|                         |                                             |
|-------------------------|---------------------------------------------|
| Tuesday 24th February   | School opens for pupils                     |
| Tuesday 24th February   | Gold Children reward from Spring 1          |
| Wednesday 25th February | Lent Mass in school @9.45am                 |
| Thursday 26th February  | Y4 CST assembly in School Hall @2.45pm      |
| Sunday 1st March        | Y3 Sac Programme Mass @ St Ethelbert's Mass |
| Sunday 8th March        | Y3 Sac Programme Mass @ St Ethelbert's Mass |
| Monday 9th March        | Y4 Swimming Lessons start                   |

### Attendance

This week's attendance is as follows:

Reception: 94.4% → (-0.0%)

Year 1: 95.1% ↑ (+0.1%)

Year 2: 95.8% ↑ (-0.1%)

Year 3: 96.1% ↑ (+0.1%)

Year 4: 96% → (-0.0%)

Year 5: 96.7% ↓ (-0.1%)

Year 6: 95.8% ↑ (+0.1%)

Just a reminder that we aim for every child's attendance to be at least 97%.

