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26th January 2018

## Breakfast Club



Don't forget to try out our FREE Breakfast Club which is funded by Greggs and is open from 7:30am, Monday to Friday. **Please ensure that you deliver your child to the hall when attending Breakfast Club.** They are not supervised whilst out in the playground & reception area.



Next FOS meeting is on

Tuesday 30th January at 9am.

All Welcome.

**LITURGY IN SCHOOL** Parents and parishioners are invited to join us for liturgy, 9am, Monday mornings.



Merciful God, look after all those who are sick. Help us to bring them comfort and make them feel better in any way that we can. Watch over all doctors, nurses and carers and give them strength in their difficult job. Amen.



	Weekly attendance level
Class 1	<b>92.06%</b>
Class 2	<b>95.06%</b>
Class 3	<b>93.94%</b>
Class 4	<b>88.49%</b>
Class 5	<b>87.30%</b>

**Your child needs a coat in school every day**



## Diary Dates

**Monday 29th January 2018:**

**KS1 parents, SPOKES programme, 9:30am**

**Tuesday 6th February 2018: Safer Internet Day**

**Wednesday 7th February 2018: FOS Disco**

**Thursday 8th February 2018: Last day of term**

**Friday 9th February 2018: Non pupil day**

**Monday 12th - Friday 16th February 2018: Half term**

**Monday 19th February 2018: First day of term**

**Monday 12th - Thursday 29th March 2018: Year 4 Swimming lessons, Letter sent out 23rd January 2018**

**Thursday 29th March 2018: Last day of term**

**Monday 16th April 2018: First day of term**

**Monday 7th May 2018: May Bank Holiday, school closed**

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## Football Tournament at Goals 17<sup>th</sup> January

We were very lucky with the weather as we enjoyed playing against other schools from across Plymouth in a fun football tournament. Harrison received the special medal for displaying the School Games values of teamwork, determination, passion, self belief and honesty. All the team played very well and put in a fantastic effort.



## Celebration Assembly

Celebration assembly takes place on Fridays from 2:45pm. We use this time to celebrate and praise children who have earned a special achievement or focussed particularly hard in their learning. We will begin to send texts if your child is going to be given a certificate. We like to keep this a surprise for the children, but you are invited in to come in and see them receive it in assembly. Please sit on the chairs at the back. Due to lack of space, prams and buggies will need to be kept outside in the reception area.

## Author Visit



It has been an extremely busy day today. Class 4 were invited to the Guild Hall to meet author, Emma Carroll. Our children had the pleasure of a fun presentation followed by a book signing session.

Thank you to Mr Allen, Mrs Ellard, Mrs Chong and Grandad Martin for helping with the safe journey and supervision of the children.

This afternoon, Class 2 and 3 visited the Guild Hall to meet author, Swapna Haddow. The children had a fantastic time and were such a credit to our school. Well done.



## Developing your behaviour toolkit

Developing your behaviour toolkit is a one-day workshop aimed at building your understanding of behaviour. We will think about how behaviour will change as a child grows and develops, and how we can use this understanding to develop strategies to promote positive behaviour.

This workshop is for the parents and carers of young people with a special educational need or disability. It may not be suitable where you have been given a different understanding of the behaviour presented by your child, such as difficulties with attachment. The content of this workshop is designed to cover a wide range of diagnoses including autism spectrum conditions, ADHD and learning disability. However, a specific diagnosis is not required.

### You must book a place in order to attend.

**Monday 19th February Pre-school & Foundation**

**Monday 12th March Primary**

Workshops will be held in a central Plymouth location and run from 9:30am until 2:30pm. Each booking entitles two parents or carers to attend.

For young people known to Plymouth Child Development Centre, bookings can be made by contacting James Cook -

☎ 01752 439420

💻 [james.cook4@nhs.net](mailto:james.cook4@nhs.net)

🌐 [www.plymouthpcv.co.uk](http://www.plymouthpcv.co.uk)

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## Stars of the week

All of our children are amazing but these children have stood out from the crowd and been a little bit extra brilliant this week.

### *Class 1*

*Rusty—Amazing writing*

*Alfie—Super number counting*

### *Class 2*

*Cimuamanda—Greatly improved writing*

*Krystal—Super sounding out to spell words in her writing*

### *Class 3*

*Zuzanna— Taking pride in her classroom environment and being a good role model*

*Szymon—Showing great progress in reading and maths*

### *Class 4*

*Maja—Heart-Helping others*

*Maisy—Heart-Helping and supporting others*

### *Class 5*

*Emma—Excellent effort*

*Kodi— Fantastic maths*





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## The Cathedral School of St Mary

### 2017-2018 School Calendar

September 2017						
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October 2017						
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April 2018						
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July 2018						
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August 2018						
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School Closed/ Holidays



Bank Holiday



Teacher in-Service Day  
(no school for pupils)