

# St Robert's R.C. First School Newsletter

14th November 2019

Head Teacher: Mr D Sutcliffe

**We care, we serve, we learn together in the love and truth of Jesus**



*Next week's Statement to live by : I can work, play, rest and pray each day*

Upcoming Diary Dates	
Monday 18/11	Liturgy Swimming
Tuesday 19/11	Football club @ lunchtime Y1&2 Art Club
Wednesday 20/11	Dance club Y3&4 Governors Meeting 6pm
Thursday 21/11	Y4 St Benet Biscop Mass Multi Skills club
Friday 22/11	Youth Friday Library Y3&4 Dance club REC,Y1&2 St Robert's Rocks



- N Leila  
R Harry C  
1 Austin  
2 Rosie  
3 Seraphina  
4 Edith

- N Chloe  
R Skye  
1 Natalia  
2 Tyson  
3 Jessica  
4 Emily

## Attendance challenge:

Rec - 94%  
Year 1 - 96.4%  
Year 2 - 96.9%  
Year 3 - 98.4%  
Year 4 - 98.7%  
Whole school: 97%  
National target: 96%



Last week's  
attendance  
winners:  
Year 4

## SHOEBOX APPEAL 2019:

Thank you everyone who supported the shoebox appeal this year. A fantastic 92 boxes were sent away to boys and girls who will be delighted to receive your generous gifts. Who will Mr Sutcliffe dress up as this year?!



**WALL OF REMEMBRANCE:** Thank you for all the wonderful and kind comments about the hard work of the children and staff in recognition of those who lost their lives in war.

**RECEPTION PLACES 2020 PORTAL:** The portal for Reception places for 2020 opens on the 1st November. You can find all the information by following the link. [Click here!](#)

**CHILDREN IN NEED: Tomorrow—Friday 15th November** is Children in Need—SPOTACULAR— donation of a £1 to dress up covered in spots or simply add spots to your uniform!



**SICKNESS:** There has been a bout of sickness in school this week, especially in EYFS. We are constantly reminding the children to wash their hands to prevent the spread of infection. Can I remind parents of the 48hr rule for vomiting and diarrhoea.

**PTFA ST ROBERT'S ROCKS: Do you have your tickets for the 22nd November 2019?** The PTFA will be hosting a St Robert's Rocks night at the Riverside. A social event for everyone in our school community. Tickets £5 are available from class reps, school office or the PTFA, who will be selling before and after school.

**YOUTH FRIDAY:** Throughout the Diocese on 22nd November all pupils will gather in our Catholic schools to celebrate Youth Friday. On this day we remember our diocesan youth service which serves children and young people across our region through school missions, school festivals, retreats at Emmaus Village and through sharing their faith with us. The Youth Friday theme this year is 'You were born significant'.

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION:** All First Holy Communion children are expected to attend Mass this weekend at 9am on Sunday.

**PARISH FAIR:** St Robert's parish fair is **Saturday 7th December** and everyone in the school community are welcome to support the church.

**CAR PARK:** It has been brought to my attention that the amount of parents who are dropping their child/ren off in the school car park before and after school is beginning to cause issues for the taxis. Please do not use the car park between 8:30am—9:15am and 2:45pm—3:30pm. Thank you for your support.



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