

Newsletter No. 12

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Dear parents and caregivers.

Last week we were treated to a wonderful assembly by our Year 2 pupils and today we were privileged to be entertained by our reception and nursery pupils. These assemblies are a wonderful way for our children to showcase the wonderful talents they possess as well as provide an insight into their curriculum – very enlightening when often the response to ‘What did you do in school today’ is met with ‘Nothing.’ Thank you for your support and presence at these gatherings; it means a lot to the school community and mainly the children.

Today at mass we celebrated the feast days of St. Patrick and St. Joseph. Both are wonderful examples of people who followed the call of Christ. Patrick through his ministry and spreading of the good news and Joseph carrying out his responsibilities as the father of Jesus. We could learn to be more like these saints in our little way; especially during Lent.

We hope your mothers’ day celebrations are filled with joy and happiness. We at SJA appreciate all our caregivers/parents so all the mothers deserve a day of being the centre of attention. Enjoy.

From now on, the newsletter will consist of just a message from me. Any other news and pertinent information can be found on the website. The new website where you will find updates, dates, sporting news, reports of events and notices. Please refer to the website for news and announcements. We hope you support the new site.

2 more weeks remain of this term. We thank all our families for their support and understanding during the NEU teacher strikes. Your support means a lot to the school and our teachers.



Check out the following newsfeeds on the school website

Year 1 assembly

<https://www.st-joanofarc.islington.sch.uk/news/year-1/year-one-special-assembly/>

Athletics

<https://www.st-joanofarc.islington.sch.uk/news/year-5/athletes-year-5-6/>