



Weekly Bulletin ~ Bwletin Wythnosol

Spring Term ~ 6th January 2017

This week's prayer

Generous God, at this time of Epiphany we remember how the wise men were guided by a star to the infant Jesus. Guide us all by the light of your love to walk pathways of peaceful discovery and to make journeys beyond the boundaries of our expectations. Show us the gifts we each have to offer and help us to use them well to the glory of your holy name. Amen.

Help us to help you

Here at St Joseph's we aim to support pupils and parents in any way we can. Sometimes it may be necessary to speak to a member of staff about an important issue or difficulty that your child is experiencing. Naturally, it is not always possible for a member of the Teaching Staff or Senior Leadership Team to deal with the problem instantly, due to their teaching commitments or prior engagements. We therefore kindly request that parents and carers contact the school to agree on a mutually convenient appointment. We really appreciate your support in helping us to help your child.

Mr Wilkinson

Dates for the Diary

- 9th January – Year 9 Examinations commence
- 13th January – Year 11 Mock Results
- 16th January – Year 10 Welsh Bacallaureate
- 17th January – Year 10 Wellbeing Day
- 19th January – Year 11 Mock Interview Day and Welsh Bacallaureate
- 26th January – Year 8 – 11 Photographs

Year 9 Option Interviews

Year 9 Option interviews will take place during week commencing 13th February. A letter will be sent out next week inviting pupils and parents to meet with a member of the Senior Leadership Team.

Mrs Annull

Ski Trip 2017 ~ Hoodie and Apres Ski

Please return Hoodie and Apres Ski order form together with payment **as soon as possible**.

Mr Donlon

Attendance Matters

This week's whole school attendance is **95.8%**. Disappointing attendance for the start of Spring Term – with eleven Form Groups not achieving the schools stretch target and three Year Groups below target! I am particularly worried for Year 11 as there are only a few months left and every day counts.

Congratulations to 11 Devereux who smashed the stretch target and have achieved 100%! Let's see more Form Groups do the same next week please!!

Mrs Ellis

Year	Cassidy	Devereux	King	Kolbe	Romero	Year Average
7	96.7	98.6☺	89.7	95.2	94.3	94.9
8	98.6☺	98.7☺	96.0	97.9☺	96.9	97.6
9	98.5	95.7	99.3☺☺	97.8	97.0☺	97.7☺
10	97.8	99.2☺	97.8	94.6	89.6	95.8
11	89.6	100☺☺☺	91.1	89.6	95.6	93.2
Family Average	96.2	98.4☺	94.8	95.0	94.7	