



Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Primary Academy

Part of the Blessed Peter Snow Catholic Academy Trust



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Non School Uniform Day

This Thursday 24th September we will be holding a Non School Uniform day for the whole school. Instead of asking for a donation of money, on this occasion we are asking for a donation of buns/cakes or sweet treats which we will sell this Friday to raise money for The Macmillan Cancer Support Charity.

Reminder for Home-Baked Items: If you are sending in homemade items, please attach a full list of ingredients to the container. Due to allergies, we cannot accept unlabelled items, and they will unfortunately have to be sent home.

Reception 2027-Admissions

If your child was born between 1st September 2022 and 31st August 2023 they will be starting Primary School (Reception) in September 2027 and you must apply for a place online before 15th January 2027.

You will need to go to www.kirklees.gov.uk/admissions and click "Apply online". As well as the Kirklees Application Form, a Supplementary Form will also need completing and this is available from the school office.

Macmillan Coffee Morning Bun Sale

On Friday 25th September, straight after assembly, we will be holding a Macmillan Parents Coffee Morning.

All children will then have an opportunity throughout the morning to buy a sweet treat. All money raised will support The Macmillan Cancer Support Charity.

School Photos



Individual and family photographs will be taken in school on Wednesday 30th September.

If you would like to have a family photograph with children that do not attend Our Lady's, you can arrive at school for 8.30am and the family photographs will be taken then.

KS2 Mass at Our Lady of Lourdes Church

This Tuesday, 22nd September, Year 4 children will be attending weekly Mass at Our Lady of Lourdes Church at 10am. All families are welcome.

New School Year Mass

On Tuesday 29th September at 2 pm, we will be holding a Mass in school to celebrate the new school year.

All parents, carers and parishioner's welcome!



Year 6 Residential Trip to Dobroyd Castle

Thank you to all the parents who have already made payments for the upcoming residential to Dobroyd Castle for our Year 6 children.

If you have still to make payment please do so as soon as possible. The total cost for the trip is £270 - this can be paid in instalments as ParentPay will allow you to make multiple payments at an amount that suits you.



Secondary School September 2027

If your child is in Year 6 he/she will be starting Secondary School in September 2027 so **you must** apply for a place online before 31st October 2026.

You are asked to list 3 schools and it is important that all 3 schools are listed in order of preference. If you are applying at All Saints Catholic College, you must also complete a Supplementary Information Form online.

If you apply after 31st October, your application will be classed as a late application and it will **NOT** be considered until all on time applicants have been allocated school places.

Applying late can severely reduce your chances of getting a school place at any of your preferred schools.

If for any reason you are having difficulty applying online, please do not hesitate to call at the school office for help and advice.

All Saints Catholic College



LOVE



SERVICE



FAITH



COURAGE



RESPECT

Open Evening

Judged GOOD

Catholic Inspectorate, 2025

Judged GOOD

Ofsted, November 2022

Thursday 8th October 2026
4:15pm - 7:15pm

Principal's speech at 5pm and 6pm

Bradley Road
Huddersfield
HD2 2JT



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Space Day

1st October

Space Ranger Pork Sausages
(in a beef casing)

Or

**Veggie Voyager
Meat-Free Sausages**

Served With

Crispy Chips, Baked Beans
& Tomato Sauce

Followed By

**Moon Crater Waffles
& Chocolate Sauce**



Virtues to Live by

Thankfulness

"You are the light of the world. A town built on a hill cannot be hidden. Neither do people light a lamp and put it under a bowl. Instead they put it on its stand, and it gives light to everyone in the house. In the same way, let your light shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven." Matthew 5:14-16



Parents' Evening

Our Parents' Evening, will be taking place after school on **Thursday 15th October 2026.**

You will receive an invitation via SchoolPing at 9am on Monday 6th October, inviting you to book a slot to see your child's class teacher. The booking form will close on Thursday 9th October 2025.

If, after this time, you have not selected a slot, you will be given the next available time slot.

September 2026

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SU
21 Rocksteady Band Lessons	22 10 am Year 4 attending Mass at OLL church Singing Years 4 & 5 After School Clubs	23 Am –Year 5, Mini Vinnies and School Choir at Leeds Cathedral	24 Non School Uniform Day Donation of Buns Year 3 Violin Lessons	25 9.10 am Celebration Assembly MacMillan Coffee Morning Bun Sale	26	27
28 Rocksteady Band Lessons	29 2pm New School Year Mass Singing Years 4 & 5 After School Clubs	30 School Photos	1 October Space Themed Lunch Day Year 3 Violin Lessons	2 9.10 am Celebration Assembly Parish Dinner Dance	3	4
5 Booking Form for Parents Evening is live Rocksteady Band Lessons	6 10 am Year 6 attending Mass at OLL church Singing Years 4 & 5 After School Clubs	7	8 Parents Evening Booking form closes Year 3 Violin Lessons	9 9.10 am Celebration Assembly	10	11
12 Rocksteady Band Lessons	13 10 am Year 3 attending Mass at OLL church Singing Years 4 & 5 No After School Clubs	14	15 Parents' Evening	16 9.10 am Celebration Assembly	17	18

HOLY REDEEMER
AUTUMN DINNER
DANCE

• Friday 2nd October 2026 •

DRESS TO IMPRESS!

Drinks Reception - 7pm
Three Course Dinner
Plus Welcome Drink & Tea/Coffee

With Entertainment
Followed by DJ Till Midnight

Please Bring Cash for
The Raffle, Tombola & Games!

**IN AID OF THE PARISH
RESTORATION FUND**

VENUE:
Terriers Together Suite
ACCU Stadium | Stadium Way
Huddersfield | HD1 6PG

Contact Rosaleen on: 07738174102 or rosaleenhird@gmail.com for tickets.

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School Uniform

All children are expected to return to school in their full school uniform including ties, which can be purchased via ParentPay. Year 6 pupils will receive their new blazers shortly.

For a full list of school uniform expectations please visit

<https://www.ourladyoflourdesschool.org.uk/Parents/School-Uniform/>

Please ensure all clothing is labelled with their name and class.

Children will also need to bring a full P.E. kit - Black or Blue shorts, white t-shirt and trainers (**only allowed in PE lessons**) in a clearly labelled draw string bag. P.E kits should remain in school at all times and will be sent home with the children every half term to be washed.

If your child is not in full school uniform a phone call home will be made.



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Catholic Primary Academy

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A warm, nurturing start to school life



AGES
3–4
YEARS



OFSTED
GOOD



15 HOURS
PER WEEK



MONDAY
– FRIDAY



9:00AM –
12:00PM

Guided by our school mission promises



Learning



Safety



Love



Honesty

Come and see our nursery in action

Book a visit and discover how we help every child learn, grow and thrive



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Our Lady of Lourdes Mission

Our Mission at Our Lady of Lourdes is that pupils, staff, governors and families all grow and learn together in God's love through our saviour, Jesus Christ. We have four "Mission Promises" which we all live by to help us to achieve this.

Love

"A new command I give you: Love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another. By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you love one another."

(John 13)

I promise to show God that I will love and respect myself, other people and the world He created for us.

Learning

"Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you. For everyone who asks receives; the one who seeks finds; and to the one who knocks, the door will be opened."

(Matthew 7:7-8)

I promise to show God that I will work hard and be a good learner.

Safety

"God is our refuge and strength and ever present help in trouble."

(Psalm 46)

I promise to show God that I know how to keep myself and others safe.

Honesty

"Dear Children, let us not love with words or speech, but with actions and in truth."

(John 3)

I promise to show God that I am honest and truthful.

Term Dates 2026-2027

	School will close at the end of the afternoon session on	School will reopen on the morning of
Autumn Term		03.09.2026
October Half Term	23.10.26	02.11.2026
	18.12.26	04.01.27
February Half-Term	12.02.2027	22.02.2027
Easter Holiday	25.03.2027	06.04.2027
School will be Closed for Inset Day on Friday 30th April 2027 May Day Bank Holiday School will be closed on Monday 3rd May 2027		
Spring Bank Holiday	21.05.2027	07.06.2027
Summer Holiday	20.07.2027	