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**Our Lady's School****Weekly Newsletter****NEXT WEEK**

Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> February      Collective Worship Year 3  
 Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> February    Swimming Years 3 and 5  
 Friday 8<sup>th</sup> February        Celebration Assembly Year 2

**YEAR 6 PUBERTY TALK**

As part of our Relationship and Sex Education curriculum we have invited the school nursing team to come into school on Monday 18<sup>th</sup> February to work with Year 6. Please note this is a change of date. If any parents have any questions about this or they do not wish their child to take part, please contact Mrs Ward.

**MASSES**

There will be no parish Mass on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> February. Masses will continue on a Thursday after half term when Father Ravi returns from India. Further details to follow.

**ART EXHIBITION**

Our school is participating in an art exhibition along with other local schools. The art work will be on display in Runcorn Shopping City from Monday 4<sup>th</sup> February. All of our classes have contributed to our art display.

**SWIMMING – YEAR 3**

Please note that Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> February will be the last session of swimming for Year 3.

**SWIMMING YEAR 2**

All children in Year 2 will begin swimming after half term. Lessons will begin on Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> February 2019. Please make sure that your child has a swimming kit, towel and a £1 voluntary donation towards the cost of transport to the baths.



Well done, once again, to all children in Key Stage 1 who are setting a fine example to the rest of the school. All classes again reached the school target of 96% or above and Year 1 was the overall attendance winner with 98.67%. Year R won the punctuality award with 8 instances of lateness. Unfortunately, none of the classes in Key Stage 2 reached the school target of 96% and only Year 6 met the punctuality target.

	Attendance %	No of 'Lates'
Reception	96.27	8
Year 1	98.67	10
Year 2	96.96	11
Year 3	88.28	13
Year 4	90.97	24
Year 5	86.67	11
Year 6	92.00	3
Whole School	95.68	

### **AFRICAN DANCE – YEARS 3, 4, 5 AND 6**

Parents of children in Key Stage 2 are invited into school on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> February between 2.30 pm and 3 pm to watch the children take part in an African dance. No tickets are required just enter the school through the church door.

### **HALF TERM**

School closes at 3 pm on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> February for our half term break. After School clubs will take place as usual.

School will reopen on Monday 18<sup>th</sup> February at 8.55 am.

### **YEAR 1 – OWN CLOTHES**

Well done to our Year 1 children who have managed to accumulate 10 attendance stars. As a reward, children in Year 1 may wear their own clothes next Friday (8<sup>th</sup> February) and will take part in a 'Teddy Bears Picnic' during the school day. Children may bring their favourite teddy bear into school.

### **ZOO LAB**

Zoo Lab will be visiting school on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> February during the school day. All children in Years Reception, 1 and 2 will be enjoying a session with Zoo Lab where they will be given an opportunity to view and hold (under supervision) small rodents and reptiles.