



St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Primary School

Home Letter information for parents: 12/09/2025

Classes: RS Mrs Smith and RM Miss McDonagh

The majority of the children are settled and enjoying school life at St Joseph's. It is important to talk to your child about the fun and positive activities that they are doing in school as children learn best when the significant adults in their lives - parents, teachers, and other family and community members - work together to encourage and support them. Thank you for your support!

Important notes



Please read to your child every evening

Please make sure your child has a full, **labelled PE kit** with plimsolls in school.

Please make sure that **all items of school uniform are labelled** including the ties and school shirts.

This week at school



The children have created tray labels and attempted to write their name.

The children have been assessed in Phonics and mathematics.

We are learning the different areas of the classroom.

The children drew a picture of themselves.

PSED

Encourage your child to put on and take off their blazers and jumpers independently.

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Encourage your child to describe themselves. Ask your child to say their name and something about themselves. This may be what they like to do, their favourite colour, if they have a pet or a sibling or what special things they like to do as a family.



Pencil control

Help your child to hold a pencil correctly:



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Religious Education home learning

St Joseph's school daily prayers

Please read and support your child in learning how to say our **daily prayers**. Keep these prayers at home. Practise the **Sign of the Cross**.

Please return the book bags on Wednesday, not before.

Home learning - Classroom Displays

As we are creating our classroom displays, we would like each child to bring 3 photos:

- a new born baby photo (just the child)
- a family photo
- a baptism photo

On the speech bubble provided, write how you felt when you first saw your baby. Please keep it simple, a few words will do. You can write in your own mother tongue (e.g. Portuguese, Polish, Amharic, etc) if you feel more comfortable.