



A Message from Mrs Nicolaou

As we approach the end of the school year, it's a joy to see the school buzzing with activity.

We're also looking ahead with excitement to next week's Bastille celebrations, which promise to be a vibrant and enriching experience for everyone involved.

Our Year 6 children have also been busy preparing their Leavers' Assembly, and we look forward to celebrating with them and their families on Wednesday 16th July. It promises to be a special and memorable occasion as we mark the end of their primary school journey.

A quick reminder that Parents' Evening will look a little different this summer term. Instead of the usual 10-minute meeting with your child's class teacher, we are inviting you into school between 2:00-3:30pm on either Monday 14th or Tuesday 15th July 2025. During this time, you'll have the opportunity to look through your child's learning from across the school year, speak with the class teacher, and spend time in the classroom with your child. I look forward to seeing many of you then.

Wishing you all a restful weekend, and I look forward to seeing you on Monday.

Prayer at Home

God of love,

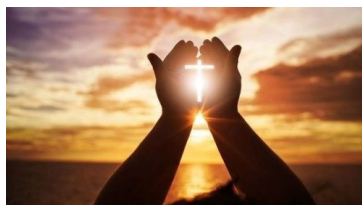
We pray for peace in our world, and an end to war.

Instead of hatred, let there be love.

Shelter your children and protect us.

Guide us and keep us from harm,
so we can build a world of love and live
our lives in peace.

Amen.



Attendance Update...

Attendance this week -
Whole School - 94.46%

Highest attendance this
week - Joseph Class
97.78%

Let's keep moving towards
our goal of getting 100%
attendance next week!



Dates for your School Diary



Monday 14th July - Bastille Day - Come to school dressed to celebrate France

Monday 14th July - End of Year Work Showcase 2-3.30pm in classrooms - details to follow...

Tuesday 15th July - End of Year Work Showcase 2-3.30pm in Classrooms - details to follow...

Wednesday 16th July - Year 6 Leavers Assembly (doors open at 8.40am)

Wednesday 16th July - Nursery stay and play - 2pm

Wednesday 16th July - Reception stay and play - 2pm

Thursday 17th July - Year 6 Leavers Mass 4.30pm - RESCHEDULED

Monday 21st July - Leavers Mass 4.30pm (new date!)

Tuesday 22nd July - End of Term - School closes 2pm

Parish Dates for your Diary

(From Dockhead Church)



Confirmation Programme 2025 We invite Young members of our Parish who are in Year 9 or above who have a genuine desire to be Confirmed to collect an Information Sheet from the back of the Church this weekend. Application forms need to be returned by Sunday 20th July

PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES 27 to 31 OCTOBER 2025 We can confirm that this pilgrimage is going ahead. Those who have expressed an interest will be sent a form to complete and pay the deposit.

Give us a Follow!

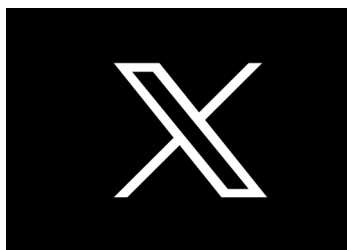
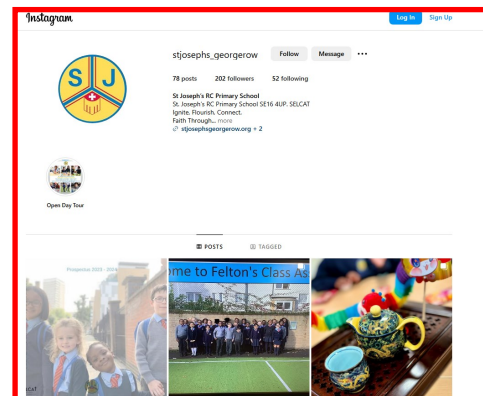
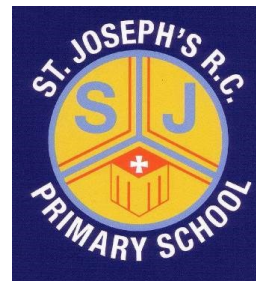
www.stjosephsgeorgerow.org

Our Instagram account is live and posts regular updates so please give us a follow, our username is stjosephs_georgerow



Please rest assured that we will never post images in which your child is named, however if you do not want your child's image used on our social media platforms, please inform the school office.

@sorcatrust is the Instagram page for St Oscar Romero Catholic Academy Trust (formally SELCAT)



We are also on X (formerly Twitter) and can be found under the username @sjgeorgerow, here you can also find updates from SELCAT now known as St Oscar Romero Catholic Academy Trust under the username @SORCATrust



ParentMail

You will also be sent any correspondence from school through your parentmail, so please check your app regularly to stay updated.

Useful links for a safer Internet...

<https://www.childrensmentalhealthweek.org.uk/families/>

<https://saferinternet.org.uk/guide-and-resource/parents-and-carers>

<https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/>

School Lunches



Week commencing Monday 14th July.

FOOD FESTIVAL <small>by Aspens</small>		LUNCHTIME					TRADITIONAL Week 1
Spring Summer 2025 21/04/25, 12/05/25, 02/06/25, 23/06/25, 14/07/25, 04/08/25, 25/08/25, 15/09/25, 06/10/25		THE MAIN EVENT <small>BAKED/NOOD SALADS</small>	MEAT-FREE MAGIC <small>Veggie Dish</small>	RAINBOW ALLEY <small>Vegetables and Salads</small>	BIG TOPPING <small>Filled Jackets</small>	DESSERT TROLLEY	DAILY SALAD BOWL, FRESHLY BAKED BREAD, YOGHURTS AND CUT FRUIT AVAILABLE DAILY
MONDAY	All Day Breakfast <small>BAKED/NOOD SALADS</small>	Margherita Pizza Slice and Wedges	Baked Beans	Beans, Cheese or Tuna Mayo	Toffee Biscuit Bars		
TUESDAY	Cottage Pie <small>BAKED/NOOD SALADS</small>	Shepherdess Pie	Green Beans	Beans, Cheese or Tuna Mayo	Classic Trifle		
WEDNESDAY	Roast Chicken, New Potatoes, Stuffing and Gravy <small>BAKED/NOOD SALADS</small>	Vegetable and Stuffing Loaf with New Potatoes	Carrots and Peas	Beans, Cheese or Tuna Mayo	Bananas & Custard		
THURSDAY	Chicken Korma, Rice <small>BAKED/NOOD SALADS</small>	Veggie Noodle Stir Fry	Green Salad	Beans, Cheese or Tuna Mayo	Strawberry and Pineapple Jelly		
FRIDAY	Golden Fish Fillet and Chips	Cheesy Bean Wrap with Chips	Baked Beans and Sweetcorn	Beans, Cheese or Tuna Mayo	Coconut Crisp Bar	PASTA TWIRLER AVAILABLE EVERY DAY Topped Pasta Hot Pasta topped with Homemade Tomato Sauce & Cheese	W1

Packed Lunches

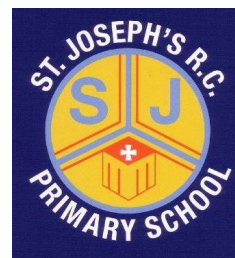
For healthy packed lunch ideas:

<https://www.nhs.uk/healthier-families/recipes/healthier-lunchboxes/>

We are a NUT-FREE school as we have children who have severe nut allergies, so please bare this in mind when preparing your child's packed lunch, nut allergies can be fatal. Please do not send any food which contains nuts or nut traces in your child's lunch. Thank you!



School Events



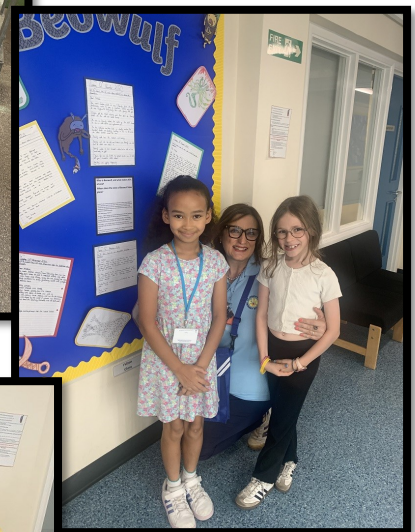
Teacher / Student Swap Day

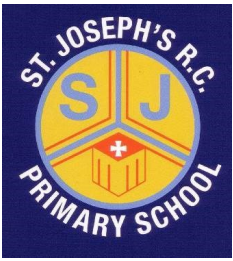




School Events

Teacher / Student Swap Day





School Events



The Daily Mile



Everyday, we have been doing the Daily Mile.

This simple activity involves walking, jogging or running for around 15 minutes, and it has had a really positive impact on us. Not only has it helped us stay physically fit, but it also gives us a break from the classroom.

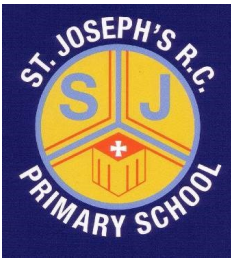


After the Daily Mile, we often feel more awake, focused and ready to learn. It's a great way to clear our minds and get some fresh air, which makes lessons afterwards more enjoyable and productive.



Overall, it has helped improve both our physical health and our motivation to learn.

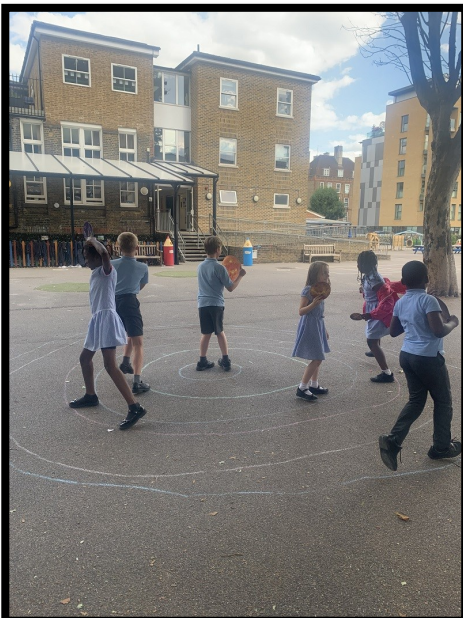




Extracurricular Clubs

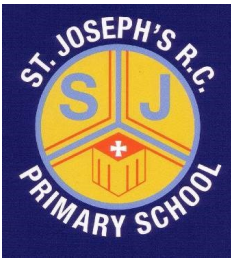


Science Club
with
Professor
Carmen



Science Club has been a
big hit this term with
the children being able
to do different
experiments such as
making elephant's
toothpaste!





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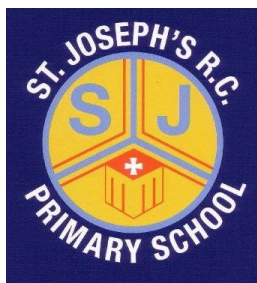
Cricket Club



This term, the London PE & School Sports Network have been running a Thursday afternoon cricket club at our school, delivering high-quality coaching to enhance the children's skills.

Over the past few weeks, the club has focused on mastering bowling and fielding techniques. The improvement has been evident—students are confidently refining their bowling accuracy and developing sharper fielding instincts.





Blessings...



1st Holy Communion

We send our warmest blessings and loving wishes to all our pupils celebrating their First Holy Communion.

May they receive abundant graces as they partake of the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ for the very first time.

This milestone marks an important step in their spiritual journey—may they always feel the comforting warmth of God's love guiding them each day.

Kofi Nathalie Julia Emily

Annabeth Ezra Caleb Annabeth

Purísima Eldana Spencer Declan

Bobby Abisola Kayleigh Gaia

Jemima Melael Oliver Olivia

Frema Aliyah Bella Joshua

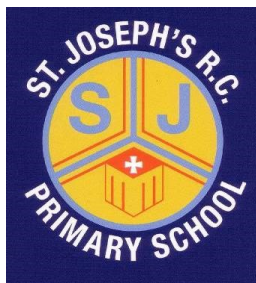
Alesha Maximus Albert Amira

Adenike

David

Eliana





Summer Fun...



MADE FOR This Game

BIG FOOTBALL DAY

POWERED BY THE NATIONAL LOTTERY

TIME AND DATE
23rd July, 10am-2pm

LOCATION
St Paul's Sports Ground, Rotherhithe, SE16 5EF

WHO WE ARE
Millwall Community Trust

SCAN NOW TO BOOK

ROYAL BRITISH LEGION

Remembering VJ Day - 80 Years
Also Battle of Britain 85 years

On Saturday 9th August 2025 stall open from 9.30
Event Starts at 10.45a.m
Market Square
Southwark Park Road SE16 3UQ
North Bermondsey RBL

Are holding an event
We will start the event with a moment silence with RBL
Parade of standard Bearers
We will have a 40's inspired trio of singers called
The Saffin Dollz

Raffle
Arts and crafts
And of course, our stall, become a member on the day.
Any enquiries pls contact Jill 07305144908
Hope to see you there!

Parent Skills2Go ROTHERHITHE

SUMMER HOLIDAY

PARENTS, CARERS & CHILDREN TOGETHER

AGE 0-11

**DATES: MONDAY 28TH JULY 2025
TILL TUESDAY 26TH AUGUST**

TIME: 10AM-2PM

**ADDRESS: LEWINGTON CENTRE
9 EUGENIA ROAD
SE16 2RU**

HOT MEALS PROVIDED

ACTIVITIES
ARTS AND CRAFTS
MUSIC AND GAMES
COOKING
STORYTELLING
SPORTS
OUTINGS AND MORE!

BREAKFAST (OPTIONAL) 9:30 - 10AM

Token cost apply
Register & find out more

02035369609, 07394662602
Admin@parentskills2go.com
Parentskills2go.org

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26 July - 27 August 2021
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Summer Fun...



FREE
YEAR 6
LITTLE FISH THEATRE
SUMMER PROGRAMME
FOR SOUTHWARK CHILDREN
28TH JULY - 8TH AUG
2025 (MON-FRI)
AT RYE OAK PRIMARY
SCHOOL

FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TO
BOOK A PLACE FOR YOUR CHILD
EMAIL: INFO@LITTLEFISHTHEATRE.CO.UK

TO FILL IN A BOOKING FORM
CLICK THE LINK BELOW OR
SCAN THE QR CODE

<https://bit.ly/413nERW>

ART **DRAMA** **Music**

LITTLE FISH THEATRE
ORIGINAL. REAL. CAPPELLA.

DANCE DANCE

ANNUAL
FUNDRAISING
BARBECUE

Sunday 13th July 2024 @12pm
Our Lady of Immaculate Conception
Surrey Docks. SE16 6SJ
Back garden of the church

BBQ FOOD **DRINKS** **DESSERTS**
MUSIC **BOUNCY CASTLE** **RAFFLE**

Free entry and welcome everyone

MILLWALL COMMUNITY TRUST
1965

SUMMER
HOLIDAYS
2025 WK1

MULTI-SPORTS
CAMPS

LEWISHAM
LIONS CENTRE

10AM - 2PM
EACH DAY

£12 PER DAY OR
£50 FOR THE
WEEK

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Premier League

QR CODE



Summer Photo Challenge

Your photo challenge, should you choose to accept it...

Try to capture an interesting photo this summer!

It could be wildlife in the park, a unique building, you and your friends playing football, or someone enjoying time on the beach (just remember to ask permission before snapping anyone's picture).

The possibilities are endless!

Get out there and explore the world around you over the holidays. The best photos will be featured on our school's Instagram account and website.

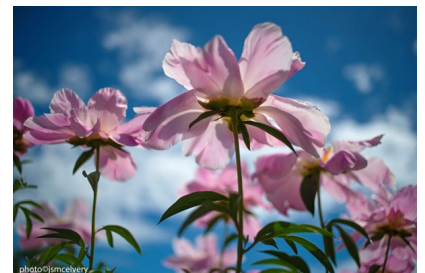
Happy snapping!

Send your chosen photographs to:

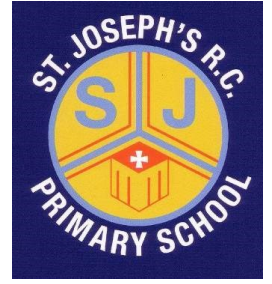
info@stjosephs-georgerow.southwark.sch.uk

Photos need to be sent in by Wednesday 3rd September 2025

Include your name and class and where your photo was taken.



School Notices



We are always looking for ways to inspire a love of reading in our children, and one of the ways we're doing this is by creating more inviting and comfortable book corners in every classroom.

These are special spaces where children can enjoy books, read for pleasure, and develop their confidence as readers.

To help us make these spaces as cosy and welcoming as possible, we're kindly asking for donations of small items such as:

- Cushions
- Small rugs or throws
- Beanbags

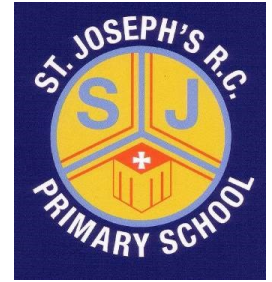
If you have any of these items at home that you're no longer using and would be happy to donate, we would be very grateful. All donations can be handed in to the school office.

Thank you for your continued support in helping us build a strong reading culture across the school - we truly appreciate it!

Ms Jones,
Assistant Headteacher



School Notices



School Uniform...

REMINDERS

Coats, hats and scarves need to be navy or black.

School shoes needs to be black (no trainers or boots)

Grey socks for boys

Navy tights or socks for girls

Hair bows to be school colours / no sunglasses (except for medical reasons)

Items can be purchased at the local supermarket/school office or from the link on our website (Items do not have to have the school logo).

Any queries please ask at the office.

When we return to school in September children should return in the winter uniform.

Boys

Grey Trousers

Blue Shirt

Grey Jumper

School Tie

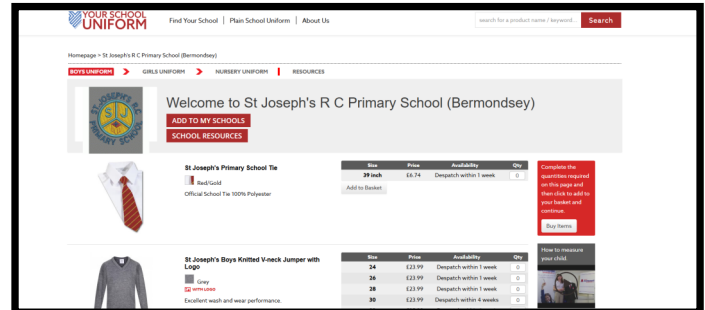
Girls

Navy Skirts/pinafore/culottes

Blue Shirt

Navy Cardigan

School Tie



Please do not park on the yellow zig zag lines outside the school gates or double park when dropping off or collecting your child.

It can get very congested with cars and dangerous with children having to cross the road between double parked cars and this is hazardous.

Please be mindful where you park your car, children's safety is our main concern.

Thank you!