

St Eugene de Mazenod Catholic Primary School Newsletter

Friday 7th November 2025

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Go shine in the world and live as Jesus lived!



Dear Parents and Carers,

A reminder that we are always happy to answer any questions about school, no matter how small :) Do pop into the office and make an appointment to meet the teacher. If you are worried about something, don't keep it to yourself, don't send an email, come in and see us straight away. Don't let a little worry turn into a big one. With best wishes, Mrs Smith (Head of School) and Ms Richardson (Executive Headteacher)

Visit from the Mayor of Camden... Mr Eddie Hanson

We were delighted to welcome Mr Hanson to our school this week. Mr Hanson spoke to year 5 and Year 6 about his job, how the Local Authority and the council work and how he works hard for the council. He inspired the children by reminding them of the value of working hard, being kind, persevering and trying their best.

Mr Hanson led an assembly for all of the children where he spoke about giving your best, aiming high and the ways you can give something back to the diverse, welcoming community of Camden in which you live. Thank-you Mr Hanson!



Sexual Harassment

Mrs Smith spoke to the children in Year 4, Year 5 and Year 6 this week about a type of behaviour that is very serious and one that we don't tolerate at St Eugene's: sexual harassment. Sexual harassment is unwanted behaviour which makes you feel intimidated degraded or humiliated. The children learned what it might look like in a school setting by discussing some scenarios. The key messages were not to comment on people's body or body parts, always tell an adult if someone does or says something that makes you uncomfortable and to remember to always consider other people's feelings before you act, remembering to be kind. The children were attentive and asked and answered questions in a mature way. Please talk to your child if they are in Years 4,5 or 6 about what they know and have learnt about sexual harassment. By talking and learning about important issues we can challenge sexual harassment and help the children to have the skills to behave in the correct ways now, and in the future. We can also enable children to understand the ways that they can get help if something like this happens to them. This is part of the safeguarding education that we teach at St Eugene's as well as being an important life skill.



I have received and read the St. Eugene's Catholic Primary School newsletter of 7.11.2025

Name of child _____ Class _____

please return this slip to school office and your child might win a prize:)

Important dates for your diary...



Monday 10th November 2.30-3.20

Our Education Psychologist is running a parent session about how to help your child manage emotions and supportive ideas for how to help your child with SEND

Tuesday 11th November Remembrance day

Wednesday 19th November 3.00pm lunch taster session in the hall, all welcome

Friday 28th November Autumn Term Music Concert 2pm

Friday 28th November—Non uniform day

Sunday 30th November: start of Advent

Wednesday 10th December Nativity for YR & Y1-10am and Y2 parents-2pm

Thursday 11th December 3.30 PTFA Bake Sale in the hall

Friday 12th December 2.00pm Christmas Carol Service in church

Tuesday 16th December Christmas Show for the children in school

Tuesday 16th December Y5 and Y6 Christmas parties

Wednesday 17th December YR, Y1 & Y2 Christmas parties

Thursday 18th December Y3 & Y4 Christmas parties

Friday 19th December last day of autumn term: school finishes at 3.30pm as usual

Monday 5th January 2026: children back to school for first day of the spring term

Work of the week...

Every week a fantastic piece of children's work is showcased in the school lobby (next to the office).

Do come and take a look:)



Clarissa (Y5) has written a fact filled biography of Emmeline Pankhurst, the famous suffragette, which has been chosen this week. Clarissa has thought carefully about the elements of Emmeline's life and work that are most important to include. She has written logically and included the reasons why Emmeline's life can be viewed as inspirational. Clarissa's work is also beautifully presented with clear and joined handwriting.

Well done Clarissa!



Our Prayer...

Last Sunday was the feast of All Souls

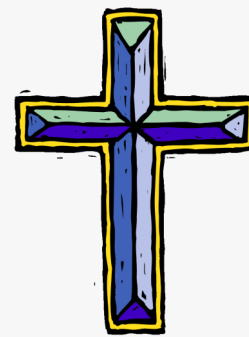
In November we remember the people that we love who have died. We have slips of remembrance papers that the children can write the names of loved ones onto, if they wish.

In every assembly in November we are joining with you in remembering those you love in heaven.

Eternal rest grant unto them oh Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.

May they rest in peace.

Amen



Applications to join our school...

Our school is very popular in our local community, but we do have a few spaces this September in our Reception class. If you know someone who is looking for a school place, do encourage them to pop in for a parent tour, led by Mrs Smith on Friday mornings or to apply via the school website. The deadline for Sept 26 applications is 15th January.



Good attendance is very important for your child's attainment and progress.

Each week the class with the very best attendance are celebrated in our assembly. This week our attendance champions were **Year 4** with 98%.

Well done Year 4!



Person of the Week!

Well done to these children for showing how we live our school values!



Reception: Azai
Year 1: Arlo
Year 2: Violet
Year 3: Oisin
Year 4: Harriet
Year 5: Angelina
Year 6: Malik

