



Parent Consultations – date change

As mentioned in the email that was sent on Tuesday 28th January, the dates for the parent consultation will be on 12th and 13th February.

Parent Consultations

Parent consultations will take place on Wednesday 12th and Thursday 13th February. You will be able to book your timed slot via Parent Cloud, which will go live on Tuesday 4th February at 6:30pm. Please refer to the email sent earlier today on how to make your booking. If you are unable to make either of these dates, please contact your class teacher to arrange an alternative day.

FOSJ Mother's Day & Someone Special

FOSJ will be hosting a Mother's Day & Someone Special craft session.

KS1 - 19th March 3:15pm - 4:15pm

KS2 – 21st March 3:15pm - 4:15pm

The session will cost £5 per child and you can book your child's place via School gateway. When booking, please include the number of children you are paying for and if it is a Mother's Day or Someone Special craft you would like in the comments box. For further details please refer to the email sent earlier to today and if you have any questions please contact your class rep.

School pick up

We understand that on rare occasions there are reasons that prevent parents from collecting children at 3.15pm. We ask that if this is the case that parents inform the school in a timely fashion. As a school we do not have the ability to book children into afterschool club. This must be done directly with LBV and must be done prior to 3.15pm.

Stronger together at Tesco

If you haven't managed to see it, please take a look at our personalised message for Jessica Ennis-Hill who is supporting our Tesco fundraising initiative <https://strongerstarts.tesco.com/video/9e11ee4b-b75e-4d06-ba00-fabd0f8f7334>. We would appreciate your votes if you happen to be shopping at Tesco!

New Term dates for 2025/2026

The new term dates for 2025/2026 are now available of the school website. Please us the following link:

[Term Dates | St Joseph's Catholic Primary School](#)

Booking your child's lunch via Swift Kitchen

Please book your child's lunch via swift kitchen if your child is having school lunch. There are a large number of children receiving school lunch with no booking. To help avoid food waste and disappointed children, please book their lunch by 8:30am every morning. You can also book a term in advance.

Gold book winners

R: Kye
Y1: Jonah
Y2: Sadie
Y3: Kit
Y4: Aria
Y6: Sydney

Afterschool Club – Little Blue Van

As the afterschool club is run by an external company, the school cannot book children into the club. Please contact Little Blue Van directly, on 07770 963701/07790 444704 or by email, martin@littlebluevan.co.uk

School email addresses

Breakfast Club - diary@stjosephs255.herts.sch.uk

Absences, illness, medical appointments, collection of children, lunches - diary@stjosephs255.herts.sch.uk

Breakfast Club queries - diary@stjosephs255.herts.sch.uk

General enquiries not listed above – admin@stjosephs255.herts.sch.uk

Term dates for 2024/2025

These are now available on our website. Please use the following link:

[Term Dates | St Joseph's Catholic Primary School \(stjosephs255.herts.sch.uk\)](https://www.stjosephs255.herts.sch.uk/term-dates)

Dates

Here are some dates for your diary for the Spring term. You will receive more information for some of the events nearer the time.

February

- ❖ 5th - 7th Y5 Kintbury residential trip
- ❖ 12th and 13th Parent consultation
- ❖ 17th - 21st Half Term
- ❖ 24th Return to school
- ❖ 26th LIFT Maths

March

- ❖ 5th Ash Wednesday Mass (time TBC)
- ❖ 6th World Book Day (more information to follow)
- ❖ W/C 17th Travelling Book Fair (more information to follow)
- ❖ 19th St Joseph's Day Mass (time TBC)
- ❖ 26th LIFT Reading

April

- ❖ 4th End of Term collection at 1:15pm
- ❖ 7th - 21st Easter Holidays
- ❖ 22nd Return to school
- ❖ 23rd LIFT Maths

May

- ❖ 22nd LIFT Reading
- ❖ 26th - 30th Half Term

**Please note that these dates maybe subject to change.
Please read your newsletter weekly to be informed of any changes**