



Love • Respect • Shine

At Cheadle Catholic Infant School we **love** and **respect** each other.
We **love** to learn and let our inner light **shine** brightly in all that we do.

Dear Parents/ Carers,

This week in assembly, we reflected on the gospel reading about Jesus' first miracle at the Wedding at Cana. We discussed how Jesus transformed ordinary water into wine, showing how even small actions can have a big impact.



We thought about how, by doing small, thoughtful things in our daily lives, we can make a positive difference to others. This gospel reading reminded us that even the smallest gestures can have a lasting effect on those around us. We encouraged the children to think about how they can apply this lesson in their own lives, helping and supporting one another with kindness and care



Class 1BW Celebration of the Word:

On Thursday we welcomed Class 1BW parents and family into school for their Celebration of the Word.

It was a wonderful occasion, and we are so grateful for the thoughtfulness and enthusiasm shown by the children as they shared this special time with their families.

A big thank you to all family members who joined us for the celebration. Your presence and support made the event even more meaningful. We appreciate your involvement in your child's spiritual journey.

Jubilee Year:

www.cheadle-inf.stockport.sch.uk/catholic-life/jubilee-2025/

Today, we officially launched our Jubilee Year with a special whole-school assembly, marking the beginning of this important time in our school community. Pope Francis has called us all to be "pilgrims of hope," and we reflected on this message as we came together in prayer and made our pledges for the year ahead.

The children spent the day reflecting on what it means to be 'pilgrims of hope,' and took time to think carefully about how they can bring hope into their lives and the lives of others.

They discussed the importance of faith, kindness, compassion and each child made a personal pledge to live out these values throughout the year. Today was a wonderful day of reflection, prayer, and commitment as we began this special journey together.

You might like to say the Jubilee prayer as a family throughout this special year.

God, our loving Father,

In this Jubilee Year, you remind us of our call to love creation.

Help us to work together to replant, repair and renew.

In this Jubilee Year, you remind us of our call to love our neighbours and to set free those who suffer.

Help us to treat everyone with dignity, to be fair, forgiving and kind.

In this Jubilee Year, you remind us of our call to grow in faith and love.

Help us to hear you in scripture, to see Jesus in others, and to be united as God's global family.

Guide us on our journey as pilgrims of hope.





Book Sale:

Thank you so much for your kind donations at the second hand book sale last week. We hope your children enjoyed reading them. After all their hard work, the Reading Champions were delighted to have raised almost £200 and are now carefully planning a wishlist of books that they would like to add to the library. A huge well done to the Reading Champions, you are spreading your love of books and reading around the school with great enthusiasm and we are so proud of you.

Thumbs Up Tuesday!

It was lovely to see so many of you in school on Tuesday morning. Our children loved celebrating and sharing their hard work with you. Thank you for joining us.

Our next Thumbs Up morning will be on Wednesday 12th March





Class 10 PE session

Thank you Class 10 parents/carers for joining us for their PE session with Mr. Helsby. It was fantastic to see both adults and children being active together in such a fun and engaging way. Your participation made the session enjoyable for everyone, and it was wonderful to see the positive energy and teamwork throughout.

We appreciate you taking the time to be a part of this experience, and we look forward to more opportunities to come together and stay active!



Class 10 parent Dodgeball workshop
23.1.24



Big Garden Birdwatch 24th - 26th January 2025

This weekend is the 'Big Garden Birdwatch'. It is an opportunity to look carefully at the interesting birds around us and help nurture them. You may want to observe the birds in your garden, from your window or in your local park and record your results.



Your results will need to be submitted by 23rd February 2025 to:
www.rspb.org.uk/birdwatch

Please send in any photos of birds you spot and these will be evidence towards promoting our Eco School 'Biodiversity' topic.

Kind regards,
Mrs. Burke and the Eco Warriors



Community News:

Cycle Together

If your child is learning to cycle and is keen to cycle to school then why not support your child by brushing up your own cycling skills or learn yourself?

Cycling is a great way to get around and an enjoyable family activity.

All things cycling in Greater Manchester can be found online at **Transport for Greater Manchester (TfGM)** cycling. Courses, tips, maintenance and cycle routes are at <https://beeactive.tfgm.com/cycling/>

SEND Advice from Stockport Hub:

Are you a parent or carer of a neurodivergent child or young person?

Or are you a parent or carer of a child with SEND looking for information or advice?

Drop in to one of our Coffee and Connect Sessions at Family Hubs.

Come along and have a chat with colleagues from our multi-disciplinary team which includes representatives from:

- Educational Psychology
- Primary Jigsaw
- Secondary Jigsaw
- Neurodevelopmental Team
- Children's Therapy
- Refreshments will be provided. No formal diagnosis required.

If you would like further information about the sessions, please contact: ndteam@stockport.gov.uk.

Please click the link below for more information:

<https://www.stockport.gov.uk/events/coffee-and-connect-session-at-family-hubs-brinnington-2?date=2025-02-11>

School Nurse Support:

On Wednesday 5th March our school Nurse will be in school and she will be offering drop in slots for parents in Reception to Year 2 who would like some advice about their children's general health including such issues as sleep and diet. (Nursery children will still be supported by their Health Visitors).

If you would like to book a slot between 9am and 12pm in confidence please email Mrs Glynn.

Please note continence issues will be referred straight to the continence team, please email Mrs Glynn for a referral.

headteacher@cheadle-inf.stockport.sch.uk

REMINDERS:

PE Sessions with Mr Helsby:

Wednesday 29th January 9.15am- 9.45am	Class 1DW Parent PE session with Ross
Wednesday 5th February 9.15am-9.45am	Class 1BW Parent PE session with Ross
Friday 14th February 9.15am-9.45am	Class 2L Parent PE session with Ross
Friday 28th February 9.15am-9.45am	Class 2N Parent PE session with Ross
Friday 7th March 9.15am-9.45am (Please note new date).	Class 2W Parent PE session with Ross

The week beginning 27th January will be Week 1. Please click on the link for the menu.

www.cheadle-inf.stockport.sch.uk/assets/Documents/Cheadle-RC-Inf-My-School-Menu-Week-1-.pdf

Applications for nursery places for September 2025 are being accepted online. Closing date is **31st March 2025**.

www.stockport.gov.uk/schooladmissions

And finally:

Please continue to keep our Cheadle Catholic family in your prayers,

Mrs Glynn.

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Congratulations to our new Stars of the Week:

Nursery: Elsie & Tadhg

R1: AJ & Hannah

R2: Bethany & Paddy

RN3: Finn C & Ruby

1O: Willow & Thomas

1DW: Eli & Florence

1BW: Gabriella & Eoin

2L: Eabha & Aspell

2W: Erin & Austin

2N: Anthony & Maia

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Friday 14th February	School Closes for Spring half term break
Monday 24th February	School opens for Spring half term 2
Friday 28th February 9.15am-9.45am	Class 2N Parent PE session with Ross
Friday 7th March 9.15-9.45am (please note new date)	Class 2W Parent PE session with Ross
Wednesday 12th March 8.50-9.15am	Thumbs Up
Friday 14th March 2pm	Class 2L First Forgiveness
Friday 21st March 2pm	Class 2N First Forgiveness
Friday 28th March 2pm	Class 2W First Forgiveness
Tuesday 1st April 4.15-6.30pm	Parents Evening
Thursday 3rd April 4.15-6.30pm	Parents Evening
Tuesday 8th April 9.30am	Class 1DW Easter Assembly
Wednesday 9th April 9.30am	Class 1BW Easter Assembly
Thursday 10th April 9.30am	Class 1O Easter Assembly
Friday 11th April	School closes for Easter break
Monday 28th April	School opens for Summer Term

