



St Maxentius Newsletter - 12th November 2021

This week, we held a Remembrance Super Learning Day on Wednesday. This was a fantastic event with all children and staff fully involved. Thank you to parents for sourcing such wonderful costumes, the children looked amazing!

We also commemorated Remembrance Day in school on Thursday with our 2 minute silence to remember the fallen. The Year 6 team then led us in a beautiful and poignant worship to remember all that have lost their lives through conflict.

Mrs. N. Patel



Stars of the week

This week's stars of the week are as follows:

Year 6	Molly -	Enthusiasm and clarity in our assembly and in church
Year 5	Eve -	Perseverance in maths and mastering long multiplication
Year 4	Ellie -	Outstanding work and behaviour both in and out of school.
Year 3	Caleb -	For facing challenges and determination.
Year 2	James S-	Improved attitude to learning.
Year 1	Harriet -	Superb focus in her maths lesson and not giving up.
Reception	Abbie -	For her excellent threading skills when making a poppy wreath.



Attendance Matters

We have met our target for attendance this week!
Our average attendance was 96.1% (target 96%).

Well done!

Year 4 had the highest attendance this week
and achieved an outstanding 99.09%



Upcoming events:

Over the next few weeks, we have some more dates for your diary:

- **Monday 15th November** Odd socks day – for anti-bullying (no cost), pupils to wear odd socks to raise awareness of anti-bullying.
- **Friday 19th November** Children in need – own clothes day, with a theme of 'Funky Friday'. Children to dress up in pyjamas, fancy dress, bright colours or anything 'Funky'. Information of how to donate will be sent out soon.
- Winter Ball – Each year group will have an after school Ball, tickets will go on sale next week.
 - Reception **Tuesday 23rd November** 3.30- 4.30pm,
 - Year 4,5 & 6 **Wednesday 24th November** 3.30-5.00pm
 - Years 1,2 & 3 **Thursday 25th November** 3.30-5.00pm.

Time to Read

In the last week before half term, we read for **9,623** minutes.
For your information, you can see how each class are doing below.

Year group	Total minutes	Average minutes
1	1134	57
2	1831	70
3	889	30
4	1536	50
5	1550	50
6	4219	129

Well done to the continued dedication in Year 6 over half term,
keep up the good work!

We aim for pupils in Year 1 & 2 to read for 1 hour per week, Year 3 & 4 1.5 hours and Year 5 & 6 2 hours per week.

Bible Quote this week:

Genesis 2:15

“The Lord God took man and put him in the gen of Eden to work it and keep it.”