

A HALF TERMLY NEWSLETTER ABOUT THE CATHOLIC LIFE AND RE AT ENGLISH MARTYRS SCHOOL

NEW SCHOOL YEAR

We have now started a new school year.

The new **worship leaders group** also met for this first time a couple of weeks ago and started planning worship activities for this term.

On Friday 25th September they also joined Mr Camilleri for the **Beginning of Year Mass at St George's cathedral** led by Archbishop John Wilson.



SPECIAL DAYS THIS HALF TERM

29th September: **St Michael, Raphael and Gabriel**

OCTOBER: Month of the Holy Rosary

2nd October: **Feast of the Guardian Angels**

4th October: **St Francis of Assisi**

9th October: **St John Henry Newman**

CORE VALUE AUTUMN 1

Our Autumn Term 1 core value is **FAITH**. This is about believing in God and showing this in what we do in our everyday life.

Are you a person who shows strong Faith through your actions?



LIGHTING THE PATH

From this term, at English Martyrs' we're changing our **Religious Education Scheme of Work**. We will now be using a new scheme called **LIGHTING THE PATH**. This programme is made up of a series of 6 different topics for each year group to be covered during the school year. Topics change every half term and cover a wide range of topics of our Catholic Faith and more.



RE CURRICULUM THIS HALF TERM

September - October

LIGHTING THE PATH

**CREATION AND
COVENANT**

Children will be focusing on the **Autumn 1 RE Topic - CREATION AND COVENANT**. Children will be learning about God's wonderful creation, how everything God created is good; our responsibilities as human beings to look after the whole of creation and many other related themes.



FAIR ACTIVE AWARD

Last year, our school was awarded the **FAIR ACTIVE AWARD**. This Award recognises the efforts we are doing to support and promote the concept of **FAIRTRADE** in different ways. It is also another way how we put the **CATHOLIC SOCIAL TEACHING** in practice. We encourage all school families to support this good cause by

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*This **ROMERO NEWS** newsletter is a half termly newsletter intended to provide parents with more information about the **Catholic life** of the school and to share ideas how parents can support children in areas related to **Religious Education** and **Spirituality** at home. It also gives you information about **special days** and other events this half term as well as information about the RE topics children are covering this term.*

