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'St. Joseph's...
...where minds blossom
and love grows!'

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Friday 9th September

<p>School News!</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Welcome Back! – What a wonderful start to the new school year! It was a true delight to see all of our children in their new school uniforms looking smart and ready to take on new challenges. I have received so many compliments from parents in our school and other local schools! Our school is really starting to stand out for all the best reasons ☺ #GoStJoes • Mrs Bibby – We would like to welcome back Mrs Bibby to our school family. We have missed you whilst you've been on maternity leave. • New staff – Our new staff have all settled in and already feel like part of the school family. If you see them around school, feel free to introduce yourself. • Mrs Beaumont – We had a lovely visit from Mrs Beaumont this morning. She is enjoying supporting another school but misses the St. Joe's family greatly. We miss you too (judging by the amount of cuddles she got!) but know you'll be back after Christmas. • Mrs Dodd – Whilst Mrs Beaumont is away, Mrs Dodd will be Acting Deputy Headteacher. She is very excited about this new challenge! • Toast – From Monday 12th September, there will be toast available to all children who would like some. It will be served to the Juniors on their playground from the Pastoral Room and to the Infants on their playground from the outside area. Children can now be left on the playground from 8.30 as there will always be a member of staff to supervise.
<p>Reminders</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pupil Premium – If you think you may qualify for Free School Meals, then please call at the Main Office and they will provide you with an application form. Not only will your child receive free school meals, but they will also receive the lunch vouchers during half-term holidays and reduced prices on school trips and events! • Reception 2023 Admissions – Online admissions are now available for those who have a child starting school next September. Simply follow the link to apply. https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/children-education-families/schools/apply-for-a-school-place/apply-online-for-a-school-place/
<p>Parish and Community</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rest in Peace Queen Elizabeth II – The extremely sad news of the passing of our beloved Queen will affect many of us. Please keep her and her family in your prayers during this time of mourning. • If your child is in Year 3 or 4 and would like to make their First Holy Communion this year, then please contact Fr John-Paul or Mrs Garnock-Jones.

A HUGE well done to our brilliant V.I.P's and Stars of the Week

Class	V.I.P.	Star of the Week	Super Scientist
Nursery			
Reception			
Year 1	Junior	Patcie-Ann	
Year 2	Leo D	Charlie Cor	Marnie
Year 3	Michael	Alyssia	
Year 4	Lacey	Tommy	
Year 5	Shaya-Leigh	Shay	
Year 6	Tallulah	Nicole K	



Year 5