



25th March 2026

Guardian Angels' RC Primary School Newsletter

Dates for your diary

Monday 23rd March: Week 2

Thursday 26th March: 2.10pm- Rock Steady Concert- parents of the band members welcome to attend.

Friday 27th March: Non-uniform day in exchange for Easter egg donations

Monday 30th March: Week 1

Monday 30th March: Holy Week

Tuesday 31st March: Easter Bingo at 6pm (secure your place by filling in the Google form!)

Thursday 2nd March: 1.15pm – School to close for the Easter holidays

Monday 20th April: Week 2

Monday 20th April- Start of the summer term at 8.30am

Tuesday 21st April- Year 6 taking part in a gang workshop with Prevent 2 Protect am

Tuesday 21st April- Year 4 taking part in the School Linking Project in Bury pm

Wednesday 22nd April- Earth Day!

Monday 27th April: Week 1

Monday 27th April- Year 5 Bikeability Training taking place this week Mon-Thurs

Tuesday 28th April: Basketball sessions for Years 1-6 taking place across the day

Monday 4th May: Week 2

Monday 4th May- Bank Holiday

Friday 8th May- VE Day celebrations in school

Message from Mrs Sly

We are really looking forward to welcoming parents and carers into school this afternoon for our Spring Parents' Evening. The children have been very excited to lay out their books and share the wonderful progress they have made — both in their learning and in the presentation of their work.

Tomorrow brings another special moment: our very first Rock Steady concert! The children involved in bands will be showcasing the song they've been learning, and we can't wait to celebrate all their hard work and enthusiasm. The concert begins at 2.10pm.

Next week, we enter Holy Week, and each day the whole school will gather to reflect on the events leading up to Jesus' death and resurrection. We will come together for our Stations of the Cross reflection, led by Year 4 and the GIFT Team. Throughout the week, the children will also be writing prayers, creating artwork, and taking time to think deeply about the importance of Easter.



Year 6's Prayer and Liturgy

This week, Year 6 led our Lenten prayer and liturgy, focusing on the theme of **repentance**. The children guided us in reflecting on the importance of repenting during Lent. They shared thoughtful and practical ways we can live out this message, encouraging everyone in school and within our wider community to see Lent as a time of spiritual renewal.



Made for this Game

The FA are encouraging as many girls as possible to get involved in football, and we were delighted to support this initiative. On Friday, many of our girls in school took part in football skills circuits and a match-play session on the school field. It was a fantastic opportunity for the girls to take part in, building their confidence, and enjoying the game. We thank Mrs Shaw and Mr Kemp for organising.



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Eco Angels

Our Eco Angels will be turning their fingers green this term as they plant spring bulbs around our communal areas. They're very excited to brighten up the school grounds and help nature flourish! If you are able to donate any bags of soil, bulbs, plants or seeds for our team to use, we would be enormously grateful. Every little contribution helps, and the Eco Angels thank you in advance for anything you are able to give.



SATs Meeting for Year 6 Parents

Miss Mulkeen hosted a SATs meeting on Monday. She went through important information about the tests including what will happen during SATs week. She also talked about Easter homework and was there to answer any questions parents had. Miss Mulkeen has shared the slides on Seesaw for those parents who were not able to attend.

Year 6 Crucial Crew Trip

Year 6 had a great time at Crucial Crew on Friday. They learnt about road safety, about the effects of drugs and alcohol, what a healthy diet should look like and about anti-social behaviour. They came away with lots of new knowledge which was learnt through interactive activities and games. We thank Miss Mulkeen, Mrs Hodgson and Mrs Price for taking the children.





The Big Lent Walk

As a whole school, we are supporting CAFOD by taking part in the **Big Lent Walk**. Our goal is to walk **200km** before we break up for Easter—an ambitious challenge that each class will contribute to through daily walks, taken in solidarity with communities around the world. We hope to raise **£200** to support CAFOD's work with families facing poverty across the globe. If you are able to sponsor our school, we would be extremely grateful. Donations can be made via our JustGiving page using the link below. Thank you for all the generous donations already to help us reach our target!

<https://schools.walk.cafod.org.uk/fundraising/guardian-angels-fundraising-page>



Easter Bingo

Our Easter Bingo event is taking place on Tuesday 31st March at 6pm. We have a small number of tickets left so please contact the school office if you would like to reserve a place. There will be lots of egg-citing prizes to win on the night! The cost is £5 per person, payable on the door, which includes 3 bingo cards for the 3 games of bingo that will be played during the evening. Additional tickets can be bought for £1 and raffle tickets and refreshments will be on sale (hot dogs, drinks, crisps, chocolate and sweets).

There will be a non-uniform day on Friday 27th March where we ask all children to donate an Easter egg for the event. All donations will be greatly appreciated.



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New Macron PE Kit

Our new PE Macron kit is now online and will be our kit design for the next 4 years. If you would like to order a new kit, please follow the link below. There is no requirement to buy the new version until the old one needs replacing.

[Guardian Angels](#)



New Instagram Account

Our Instagram page has been up and running for 2 weeks and it has been lovely to share some of the things we have been doing in school! If you do not follow us yet, you can find us by searching **@gaburycps**.

We are using our Instagram page to showcase the wonderful learning journeys taking place across school, as well as to share special events and celebrations. The account is private, and only children whose parents have given permission for social media will appear in any posts. If you would like to update your permission or prefer that photos or videos of your child are not included, please contact the school office and we will make sure your wishes are followed. Instagram will now replace our Twitter account as our main platform for sharing updates. We can't wait to connect with you there

Rock Steady Band Lessons

Our Rock Steady band lessons have been taking place in school since last half term and the children who take part, are formed into bands and doing such an amazing job at learning new songs. There are still places available for children to sing, play the keyboard, guitar and drums. Please follow the link below for more information and to sign your child up.

It is fantastic that we have more than one school band and we are very much looking forward to the first concert which will be taking place on **Thursday 26th March in school at 2.10pm.**

[Rock Steady Sign-Up](#)

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Wednesday Word

If any of our families do not have access to the Wednesday Word leaflet and would like to see a copy and share it with your children, please use the link below:-

[Wednesday Word](#)

News from your child's class - Please see Seesaw for this week's messages

Take a look at our class pages from the website here

[Class Pages | Guardian Angels Roman Catholic Primary School, Bury](#)

This Newsletter is also available on our School website www.guardianangels.bury.sch.uk. Our website is full of lots of important information so please take a look and learn lots of things about our wonderful school. Please note that paper copies of the Newsletter or anything on our website is available from the School Office.

Attendance

Guardian Angels' RC Primary School firmly believes that Great Achievement can only happen if we have Great Attendance. Below you will see this week's attendance figure for each class.

Reception	98.11%
Year 1	97.67%
Year 2	97.42%
Year 3	95.52%
Year 4	98.06%
Year 5	97.59%
Year 6	98.48%

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To book your place, please follow the link below . . .

[Book your place on the emotional regulation webinar!](#)