



We grow and learn as a Family in the footsteps of Jesus

ENGLISH MARTYRS CVA



Coming Soon

Issue 20

10th March 2017

w/c 13th March	Science Week
Sunday 19th March	St Joseph's Day Mass

Diocesan Canonical Inspection Feedback

We were very pleased with the results of our R.E. Inspection, especially achieving Outstanding in the Catholic Life of the School section.

Below are some of the main points from the report. You can find the full report on our website:

“English Martyrs is a good Catholic school. It’s caring welcoming atmosphere reflects the living out of the school’s Mission statement and is reflected in the good relationships at all levels of school life.”

“The exemplary behaviour of pupils reflects the efficacy of the school’s behaviour policy which is founded on Gospel values”

“The school is well led and managed by the executive head teacher, head of school, subject leader for RE and a strong governing body.”

“The strong partnership between the school and parish benefits and is highly valued by the whole community.”

STATEMENT OF THE WEEK

‘ I try to appreciate the beauty and wonder in the World all around me’

Please take time to discuss this statement at home with your child.



NOTICES

- The balance is due for the Year 6 residential visit to Crich by 8th April
- The full payment for the Year 3&4 visit to Edith Weston (£65) is due by 12th June—this can be paid in full or by instalments via ParentPay
- Rutland County council are consulting with families regarding Childcare sufficiency, please take a moment to complete the short survey at <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/XCWP9JX>
- The 2017 / 2018 Residential trip is now on ParentPay and can be paid in instalments of £15—if you wish to pay more please adjust the amount once it is in your ‘basket’
- Following a request last year for a Volunteer Parent Governor the Governing Body are pleased to appoint Chris Thomas to this role. We are always seeking Governors to take on the task of governing the school so if you feel this is something you would like to do please speak to Mrs Chambers or Mrs Iden

www.activerutland.org.uk/primary

Visit the website to see where we are in the small schools sports league

Archery

Year 6 enjoyed two sessions of archery with Premier Sports this week. It really helped to bring our Robin Hood work to life.



CAFOD
Just one world

This morning we had our Cafod Lent Liturgy with parents and parishioners. We have begun our class fundraising and are collecting silver coins on our fish templates to help turn little fish into big fish!



Funding in Schools

You may have seen recent press coverage about the funding crisis in schools. Please look out for a letter we are sending home that clarifies the situation at English Martyrs.



Next week is science week and we need your help! Please can you bring in old cups - made from any material e.g. paper, cardboard, metal china etc) and spoons, to help conduct a school wide experiment. Thank you.