

Faith

Kindness

Love

Persevere

Enjoyment

Respect

St Elizabeth's Primary School and Nursery Class

Our vision is -

to strive to excel in all that we do through working hard and having respectful relationships in a safe, happy and nurturing environment, embracing a love of life long learning.

Our motto is -

Learn Together, Laugh Together, Be the Best You Can!

Welcome to our news bulletin!

5th September 2025

Dear Parents and Carers, welcome to our latest update. I hope you find this latest bulletin informative and helpful and, as always, please contact the school office on 285080 or office@st-elizabeths-pri.s-lanark.sch.uk should there be anything you are unsure of and we will be happy to help. The children have enjoyed having their school photograph taken this week and I'm sure we'll have beautiful photographs of our wonderful children winging their way to us in a few weeks.

Outdoor Learning

We can feel the change in the weather as we now move swiftly into autumn and summer becomes a distant memory! Our children will be participating in outdoor PE each week and they will need appropriate clothing please to keep them dry and cosy.

Bluesky

You can access our Bluesky account through <https://bsky.app/profile/stlizps.bsky.social>. This is where we will post pictures about our school and nursery as well as information. We will continue to use our Parents Portal, Learning Journals and School App. We hope you enjoy seeing pictures and updates about the learning and teaching going on in our school and nursery as well as all the social and parental events.

Medication

A reminder to please return all relevant paperwork if your child has any medical or dietary needs. Thank you for your help with this.

Resources

A wee plea from our Class Champions – if there is anything in your house you are considering replacing or throwing out/donating to charity, we would be delighted to take it for our school and nursery. Please hand any pre-loved items into our school office and we thank you very much for the lovely items we have already received.

Fun Run

Thank you so much for all monies gratefully received. Can I ask that any remaining sponsorship money be handed in to school by this coming Monday 8th please. Thank you to you, family and friends once again for your fantastic support, so far we have a **fantastic** amount of £999.80!

Pupil Responsibilities

I am delighted to inform you that we now have our Head Boy, Head Girl, House and Vice House Captains and Pupil Council in place for this year and they are as follows -

Head Girl	Freya Longmuir	Head Boy Benjamin Ibageola
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House Captains and Vice Captains-

St Andrew's House	Oliver Alexander and Aryan Sarath
St Columba's House	Sophia Doyle and Joseph Plunkett
St Margaret's House	Mya Townsley and Rose Arnott
St Mungo's House	Ruarirdh McBride and Conor Duffy

Pupil Council - David Asare, Alfie Allan, Ava Lyons, Leo Brannan, Zack Donaghy, Zion Ibageola, Riley Doyle and Orlaith Wilson have been selected by their class to become a Pupil Councillor this year.

Well done to all children and we very much look forward to working with them all.

Parental Engagement

It was wonderful to have some of our P1 parents attend the You +Me workshop on Wednesday, learning more about how we teach number skills. This will continue next Wednesday, 9.15-10.15am and is open to all our Primary 1 mums and dads. We also thoroughly enjoyed your company at our Stay and Play event yesterday...thank you for coming along and for spending time in our classrooms. We are so lucky to have such wonderful staff and children in our school and we hope you got a sense of how well everyone works together. We really do live out our school motto of 'Learn Together, Laugh Together, Be the Best You Can!' As a staff team, we warmly welcome opportunities to meet and work with you for the benefit of your child. Our yearly calendar of events is uploaded to the portal today for your information.

Primary 7

Our P7 children have had a busy week – earlier in the week they had a visit from Mr Fearon, one of the Depute Head's at Holy Cross High School. Mr Fearon likes to come out to school at the start of term to introduce himself and to meet our P7's. He was, of course, very impressed with the high standards of respect, manners and engagement on display. There will be a P7 Welcome Mass at Holy Cross next Thursday, 11th Sept at 6.30pm to which our P7 children and their families are warmly invited.

Our P7 children also attended a beautiful Jubilee Mass at Carfin yesterday to celebrate the Jubilee Year of Hope. This was a diocesan event and I know the children, Mr Kelly and helpers were all delighted to attend.



With every good wish

Mrs Grant, Head Teacher

