



## Year 6

Dear Parents and Carers,

This week we had the debate of a lifetime – Eagles vs Kites. The children were fantastic; they debated passionately and respectfully...we can't decide which class won! We have started a new maths topic looking at area, perimeter and shape. In RE, we have been concluding our unit by looking in more detail at the Seven Sacraments. We hope you have a restful half term!

Miss Maloney and Miss Kelly

### Important messages

#### **No homework over half term**

#### **SATs drop-in sessions for the children**

We are still running maths and SPaG drop-in sessions for the children on a Monday lunchtime (12:15-12:45). Please have a look at the timetable and discuss with you child.

#### **Lent Concert 2026**

This year's Lent Concert (in aid of Mary's Meals and the Catholic Children's Society) will be on **Wednesday 25th March (1.45–3.00pm) & Thursday 26th March (9.15–10.30am)**. This concert is a fantastic fundraising opportunity where each year group joins together to perform a song. Please put the dates in your diaries; further details will come out nearer the time.

This year our Kites and Eagles will be playing and singing 'Geronimo' by Shepperd. The children will be singing from memory so please do support them in practicing using the lyrics and chord structure pasted **at the end of the newsletter**.

If your child is in the Polyphonic's choir, they can rehearse using our new online platform, Muse Class Primary; <https://www.eemusicclass.co.uk/shared/DZgYjHvIGzS8mxC4> Find the songs ('Play On' and 'Fireflies'), click on 'view song' then scroll down to 'Available Learning Resources' and access the 'interactive content' by clicking on 'lyrics'. Feel free to explore other options also (e.g.: 'Audio' - 'Accompaniment – backing track only' once lyrics have been learnt).

#### **St Polycarp's Science Fair – Tuesday 24th February 2026**

We will be holding our annual Science Fair on Tuesday 24th February. The children were very excited to hear about our upcoming Science Fair and are welcome to take part by creating a project at home. Please talk with your child about whether they'd like to get involved and support them with any planning if needed.

Families are warmly invited to come and view the exhibitions in the Pope Francis Hall from **3:15–3:45pm** on the day.

#### **Categories:**

- EYFS & KS1
- Lower KS2 (Y3–4)
- Upper KS2 (Y5–6)
- Group entries

Date	Maths Topic	SPaG Topic
19 Jan 2026	Written Methods (Add/Sub)	Advanced Punctuation
26 Jan 2026	Multiplication & Division	Clauses
2 Feb 2026	Fractions	Verb Tenses
9 Feb 2026	FDP	Passive vs Active
23 Feb 2026	Ratio & Proportion	Parenthesis
2 Mar 2026	Algebra	Modal Verbs & Adverbials
9 Mar 2026	Measurement	Apostrophes
16 Mar 2026	Geometry	Spelling Strategies
23 Mar 2026	Statistics	Complex Sentences
30 Mar 2026	Arithmetic	Mixed Grammar
20 Apr 2026	Mixed Reasoning	SPaG Test Practice





**G Em C**

Can you feeeeeeeel my love?

**G Am Em C**

*Bombs away, bombs away, bombs away*

Outro:

**G Em C**

Can you feeeeeeeel my love? *(Make this leap) x4*

**G Em C**

Can you feeeeeeeel my love?