



# Saint Francis School

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Dear Parents & Children,

## JESUS IS RISEN! HALLELULIA!

We all hope you had restful holidays because this month we have a lot of activities and excursions. Next month, we will be having our annual exams so I suggest that students start their revision and take the lessons more seriously.

**Annual Exams** Since many of you are asking the dates of the Annual exams, we would like to inform you that these will be held from Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> to Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> June.

### Joseph and the Amazing Technicolour Dreamcoat

As you all know next Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> May, we are holding a second performance of the Musical Joseph and the Amazing Technicolour Dreamcoat. We thank all those who have already bought the tickets. The proceeds from this performance are going towards the building of the new playground. We would very much like to fill the hall so that we get the utmost benefit. So, for those who have not bought tickets, we suggest that you do so as early as possible and encourage other relatives to attend. Children are also welcome. The tickets are €5 and €2.50 for adults and children in the hall and €3 and €2 for adults and children in the balcony. We will be selling tickets at the door if we have available.

Hereunder please find list of activities for the month of **May**

2<sup>nd</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> day of 3<sup>rd</sup> term

3<sup>rd</sup> **May Crowning Celebration**

4<sup>th</sup> Dental Hygienist will be giving a talk to Years 3 and 5  
Confessions for Year 6 students

5<sup>th</sup> The Malta Writing Programme are organizing talks for **parents** and pupils of **Year 5** and for Year 3 students. The meeting will be held at the Multipurpose Hall from 8.15 a.m. to 10.00

6<sup>th</sup> Mass for Year 6 students

9<sup>th</sup> **Change to Summer Uniform. If the weather is cold, students may continue to wear their cardigan.** Year 5 students will be going to Għadira and Simar Nature Reserves. Students are to bring €1.50 for transport. Year 6 students are going to be screened for scoliosis by the school medical team. Parents are to send their signed consent.

10<sup>th</sup> Year 6 students will be going to Luxol grounds. The fee of €4 includes transport and entrance fee.

11<sup>th</sup> Malta Writing Programme for students of Year 4 and 6

12<sup>th</sup> Confessions for Year 5 students

13<sup>th</sup> Mass for Year 5 students

**Sports Day Parents Transport Form**

I, the parent of \_\_\_\_\_ who is in Year \_\_\_\_\_ would like to come with the school transport. Transport fee €2.

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Parent's Signature

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- 16<sup>th</sup> Years 3 and 4 students will be going to watch "It-Tifla li Waqghet go Ktieb" at St James Cavalier. Students are to bring €5 for transport and entrance ticket.
- 19<sup>th</sup> Confessions for Year 4 students
- 20<sup>th</sup> Mass for Year 4 students. Open day at St Francis School Sliema. Year 6 girls will be going with Sr Giovannita Briffa. Parents are invited to attend and those of you who would like to make use of the school transport are to inform the school as soon as possible. Transport fee, €1.50 for students and €2 for parents.
- 25<sup>th</sup> Clean Up Day organized by Ekoskola committee. All B'Kara schools are going to take part. The Hon George Pullicino will be visiting our school.
- 26<sup>th</sup> Confessions for Year 3 students
- 27<sup>th</sup> Mass for Year 3 students
- 31<sup>st</sup> **Sports Fun Day** - Parents are invited to come to the Sports Fun Day which will be held at Ta' Qali Basketball Pavilion from 8.30 a.m. - 12.30 p.m. Transport fee is €1.50 per child and €2 for adults. Parents who would like to make use of the school transport are to fill in the form below and send it together with the exact money by not later than Friday 20<sup>th</sup> May. Parents who would like to take their children when we finish are to inform the class teacher in writing.

**National Benchmarking Exams for all Year 6 students**

Written exams are going to be held at our school on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> June. At the end of these exams, the children are to leave school. Orals are going to be held on Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> June. More details will follow.

Sr Giovannita Briffa  
Head of School