



St Anne's Catholic Primary School

Living and working as Jesus taught us!

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Headteacher: Mr L Anderson

**Friday 6th
November
2020**

St Anne's Catholic Primary School - Weekly News

Dear Parents/Carers,

It has been lovely to welcome all our children back to school after the half term break, they all look refreshed and ready for the half term ahead. This week we have had to close our nursery due to a positive case of COVID-19 in this bubble and we look forward to welcoming our children back to school on Tuesday 17th November, when they return from self isolation. We have also had to cancel our extra curricular clubs until national restrictions are 'eased'. We will continue with the same clubs and finish these sessions when restrictions are eased. Next week sees the start of our other faith week Judaism. We will also have our 'check in' parents/carers evening phone calls next week. Have a restful and peaceful weekend and stay safe.

Mr L Anderson

Highlights of this week

- We welcomed our children back after a restful week's half term.
- KS1 enjoyed exploring their new English text 'A River' by Marc Martin. [#sacpskenglish](#) [#sacpskreading](#)
- Year 6/5 worked with Alan Ellis from Knowsley CLC producing some inspiring work about how to stay safe online. [#sacpskcomputing](#) [#sacpskinspire](#) [#sacpsknews](#)

Collective Worship focus when we return is: Remembrance/Awe

Our RE Focus: Judaism

St Anne pray for us and our school. St Agnes pray for us and pray for our Parish.



Our St Anne's Catholic Primary School child focus when we return is: Being Numerate

WOW - Walk on Wednesdays

WOW is back..... the return of the 'Golden Welly'. This week's winners are..... **Year 4/3**. A big well done to you all.



We would like to thank you for wearing a face mask/covering whilst on our school grounds.

Please may we also remind you to be mindful of our neighbours when entering/leaving our site and also when parking.

This week's Class Attendance

Lions - Mrs Henesy	92.8%
Tigers – Miss Hodgson	96.8%
Bumblebees – Miss Doran	98.6%
Dragonflies – Miss Williams	97.1%
Ladybirds – Miss Frodsham	100%
Year 3 – Miss Harrison	95.8%
Year 4/3 – Miss Howarth	100%
Year 4 – Miss Jarvis	100%
Year 5 – Mr Waive	94.7%
Year 6/5 – Mrs Reale-Smith	96.1%
Year 6 – Miss Hodgkiss	98.5%

Remember attending school is so important, as is being on time. We are aiming to be the best-attended school in Knowsley, so let's work together to do this and achieve 97%.

Our school target is 97%

Green met the target or exceeded, Yellow just below, Red below.

**Our overall school percentage this week is:
97.3%.
Well done.**

Please see below a reminder of the 'Temporary' Timings for staggered drop off and collections

<u>Drop Off</u>	<u>Classes</u>	<u>Finish</u>
8:30am	Y6, Y6/5, Y5	3:00pm
8:40am	Y4, Y4/3, Y3	2:50pm
8:45am	Y2, Y2/1, Y1	2:40pm
8:50am	Reception Nursery	2:40pm 3:05pm

Please see our plan for timings from Monday 9th November. Lessons will start at 8:50am (from Nursery to Y6) our drop off times are to ensure there are not too many people onsite at the same time. Children will be supervised in class from 8:30am every morning until 3:00pm each day (Nursery 3:05pm). Gates will close at 8:55am each morning for the first few weeks and then 8:50am after this. Children arriving after 8:55am must report to our school office.

Breakfast Club and Wrap Around Club

Please remember to book in for Breakfast and Wrap Around Club through the email address:

breakfastafterschoolclubs@stannesprimaryknowsley.co.uk Breakfast Club takes place in the hall but we are now based in our new nursery unit for our Wraparound club - **there is now a direct link to phone the after school club from 3:15pm on 01514778260 and then opt for option 5 or 07388732605 if there is no answer.** We hope to have a new and improved booking system through our app **very soon.**

COVID 19

If your child is displaying any of the symptoms of COVID 19 (see below) please do not send them into school. Please call the school office on 01514778260 to advise us. We must help to stop the spread of the virus by isolating if we have any of the symptoms and seek medical advice.

Please also remember to wear a face covering/ mask whilst on the school premises.




THE SYMPTOMS



CONTINUOUS COUGH	TEMPERATURE OR FEVER	LOSS/CHANGE IN TASTE	LOSS/CHANGE IN SMELL
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Extra-Curricular Activities

Unfortunately, after checking and rechecking the government guidelines we are unable to proceed with the planned after school clubs during the 2nd lockdown for: football, camp skills, multi sports and cricket. The only service after school will be our after school Wraparound care. We can only apologise for any inconvenience caused but rest assured that when restrictions are lifted we will be continuing with the same clubs.



Dates for your Diary

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>
Sunday 8th November 2020	Remembrance Sunday
Monday 9th—Friday 13th November 2020	Judaism Week
Tuesday 10th November 2020	Pupil Progress Meetings KS2 and Lions
Wednesday 11th November 2020	Pupil Progress Meetings KS1, Tigers and Cubs
Thursday 12th November 2020	Reception Vision Screening
Tuesday 17th November 2020	Reception Vision Screening

The school nurses will be returning to school at the end of November to do a mop up session for any children who did not receive the Fluenz Nasal Spray in October. If your child did not receive their vaccination could you please call to the school office and fill in a form from the immunisation service. We will have a definite date nearer the end of November.

Pupil Progress Meetings

A reminder that you will be able to book an appointment on our school app for a telephone appointment with your child's class teacher to discuss how your child has settled into their new year group, share with you expectations for the year and talk about how together we can help your child achieve their true potential. The dates of the calls are as follows:

- ◆ KS2 (Year 3, Y4/3, Year 4, Year 5, Year 6/5, Year 6 and Lions) will be on Tuesday 10th November 2020 from 1pm to 5.50pm. Each phone call will last up to 10 minutes.
- ◆ Key Stage 1 (Bumblebees, Dragonflies and Ladybirds together with Tigers and Bear Cubs) will be on Wednesday 11th November 2020 from 1pm to 5.50pm. Each phone call will last up to 10 minutes.

Please note if you cannot make these sessions, we can rearrange a mutually convenient time on another date.

'Over and above'

Just before half term some children were highlighted as going over and above in their classes and their families all received a special message. Well done to all who achieved this award.

COVID-19

If there is an emergency out of normal school hours and you need to inform our school of a positive test result please email: covid19@stannesprimaryknowsley.co.uk

Christmas Share Course with Knowsley Family Learning

Here at Family Learning we have had to adapt with the times. As we know that lots of you like to participate in our Christmas craft sessions, we have put together a 3 week Christmas Craft course for you to do with your child/ children. This course will involve a 15/20 minute phone call each week with either myself or another Family Learning worker. All of the resources will be sent out to you in advance of you starting the course. We will discuss the craft item that you will make that week with your child. You will then complete the activity with your child at home and talk about how it went the following week. We will then plan the next activity together.

If you are interested in taking part, please contact me directly on:

07825 117 487 or at Victoria.powell@knowsley.gov.uk

I look forward to working with you soon.

Take care

Vicky Powell

KS1 AND KS2 Children's University Mini Masterclass

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University credit

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Mini Master class
Art - Op Art

Saturday 7th November
10:00 - 11:00

Join us for a free online Mini Master Class on Saturday 7th November.

What is it?

A fun and engaging online session with an Art specialist. Helping participants learn all about the 'OP ART' movement in the 20th century and demonstrating some easy techniques to create some stunning pieces of work all from the comfort of your own home.

How do I join the session?

Simply head over to our YouTube channel on Saturday morning before 10:00 am and join the session. To find our YouTube channel you can copy this link in to your web browser.

www.youtube.com/watch?v=qSamYM0Kw7A&feature=youtu.be

OR

Scan this QR code with your smart phone.



What will participants learn?

1. Understand what makes a successful 'Op Art' drawing using graded pencil and colour pencil. Accurate drawing, light, medium, dark and blended tones
2. Applying skills in rhythmic and contour drawing using graded pencil/colour pencil to create an optical illusion.

What you will need?

Required: Pencil /A4 Paper /Ruler

Optional: Coloured Pencils / Coloured Felt-tips

For more Home Learning activities and to count towards your children's University credits visit:

www.enricheducationuk.com/home-learning



A St Anne's child is: happy, confident and respectful.

