



# St Anne's Catholic Primary School

*Living and working as Jesus taught us!*

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Headteacher: Mr. L Anderson

**Friday 15th  
Octobre  
2021**

## St Anne's Catholic Primary School - Weekly News

### Highlights of the Week

- On Monday Some of our children spent the day at Croxteth Hall and Country Park. They had a wonderful day looking at the animals and finding out all about them [#sacpskscience](#)
- This week Year Six used Numicon to develop their understanding of long division [#SacpskMaths](#)
- Some of our local PCSOs called into school and met our House Captains [#sacpskpshe](#)
- Good Grub Club started this week. A club to promote healthy eating, whilst trying new foods along the way. [#sacpskhealthy](#)

\*If you would like your child to attend Good Grub Club call the school office on 01514778260 \*

Collective Worship focus next week is: Forgiveness

Our RE Focus: Baptism and Confirmation—Belonging

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 for the week ahead is: Encourage***

### Weekly update from Mr Anderson

Dear families,

Another week passes and we continue to see amazing efforts at school. There is so much taking place on a daily basis, from focusing on Black History Month to the full curriculum that is taught every week. Next week, as well as being Road Safety week, we will have visitors from the Ambulance service, Police Force and the Fire Service to talk about their important roles in helping people, especially in the run up to Halloween and Bonfire Night. This is a vital part of our PSHE (Personal Social and Health Education) curriculum in teaching about people who help us.

May I just remind you all, that in order to ease congestion around the school some of our Nursery, Reception and Key Stage one parents can return up the entrance path and out through the main pedestrian gate. While doing this please can you remember to keep left.

Have a restful and relaxing weekend everyone—Mr Anderson

### Family Short Survey

Over the next number of weeks we will continue to share results from our short survey and answer some of the queries that people had. Today's focus is on the extra curricular activities that we provide. Firstly, we would just like to clarify the amount of extra curricular clubs that we provided last academic year was significant, especially as each club was only for one class (bubble) at a time. We made sure that all classes from Reception to Y6 had the chance to take part in at least one after school club and in many year groups at least four. As well as this, we provided extra catch up sessions and indeed sports clubs at half term and in the summer. Last academic year we added in a two day residential for Year 5 which was new to our school as well as our usual 5 day Year 6 residential trip. Please check out our website for more information on what we provide in this area:

<http://stannesprimaryknowsley.co.uk/about-us/school-sport-premium-funding/>

<http://stannesprimaryknowsley.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2021/09/St-Annes-Catholic-Primary-School-PE-Report-2020-21.pdf>

<http://stannesprimaryknowsley.co.uk/extra-curricular/extra-curricular-clubs/>

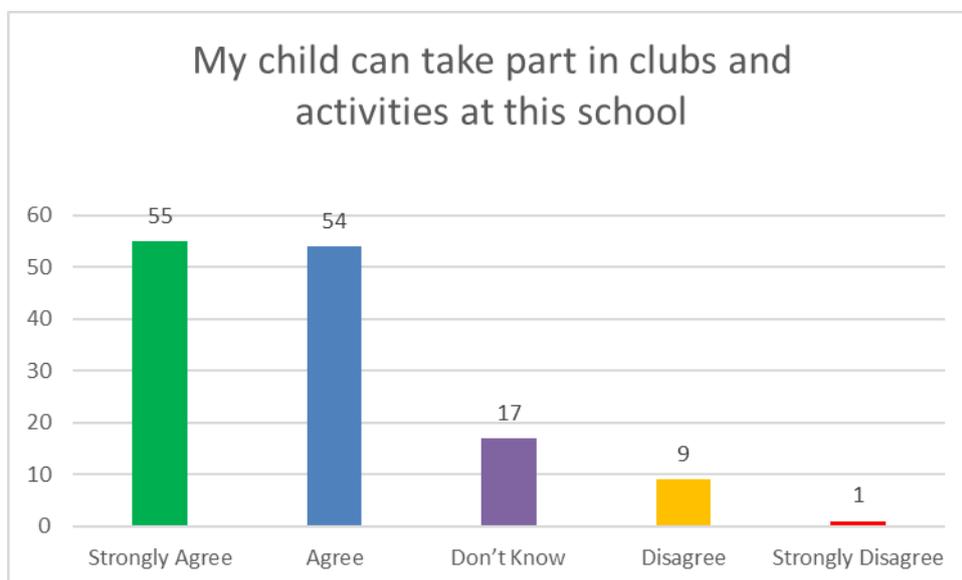
This half term we have increased our extra curricular offer and the fact that we can now open certain clubs to the wider Key Stage gives our children more of a choice.

There was some feedback about more clubs for: Reception, Year 1 and Year 3—there will be clubs on offer for all of these year groups, but they take place later in the year. For a lot of our Reception children the school day is quite long at the start of the year, so we focus on our children settling in first before they have a chance to take part in an extra curricular club. It is the same for our Year 1's and Year 3's who have just moved to a new Key Stage, our focus is on our children settling before they start an extra curricular club. There will be more clubs as the year progresses and currently our Year 3's can take part in: Good Grub Club, Dodgeball, Girls Football and Spanish lessons. Year 1's currently have the option of Spanish Lessons.

There will be a change in extra curricular clubs after half term (second week back). The first week back after half term we will run with the same current clubs and the second week back we will change our clubs. We hope the information above explains a little about what we provide and have provided in terms of extra curricular sessions and what we will be providing in the second week back after half term.

Please see the results below:

#### Question 13



#### Internet Safety and Staying Safe online SQUID GAME

You may have heard lots of people talking about the Squid Game and how it is trending on Social Media. Please discuss with your child how this is not suitable for them and should not be discussed in school. Please check out the link below: [https://nationalonlinesafety.com/wakeupwednesday/squid-game-trending-across-platforms-what-parents-need-to-know?fbclid=IwAR3U3PIC3ZhA6Cg9Xwsl1SXijq22noVCi\\_WsW0YtTVtJd3xHHD4ceU9ucq4](https://nationalonlinesafety.com/wakeupwednesday/squid-game-trending-across-platforms-what-parents-need-to-know?fbclid=IwAR3U3PIC3ZhA6Cg9Xwsl1SXijq22noVCi_WsW0YtTVtJd3xHHD4ceU9ucq4)

## Attendance

Attendance at school is mandatory for all pupils and it is so important for children to be in school learning and interacting regularly. It is vital that children are punctual too. Our playground gates will close at 8:50am daily, so children can arrive any time from 8:40am – 8:50am. Good attendance will be celebrated with the best attending class up to half term receiving a half term treat of coming into school in their own clothes and a 'chilled' afternoon. We are currently awarding 100% days by rewarding each class with 50p on a 100% day. This will be counted up to the half term and each class will decide how they spend their money.

Weekly Attendance	
Wales - Mrs Henesy	91.7%
Scotland – Miss Hodgson	99.1%
Bumblebees – Miss Doran	85.7%
Dragonflies – Miss Williams	97.0%
Ladybirds – Miss Frodsham	96.4%
Year 3 – Miss Barton	99.4%
Year 4/3 – Miss Howarth	100%
Year 4 – Mrs Bannister	97.5%
Year 5 – Mrs Williams	95.7%
Year 6/5 – Mrs Reale-Smith	93.8%
Year 6 – Miss Hodgkiss	98.6%

Money earned this week	
Wales - Mrs Henesy	£0.00
Scotland – Miss Hodgson	£2.00
Bumblebees – Miss Doran	£0.00
Dragonflies – Miss Williams	£1.00
Ladybirds – Miss Frodsham	£1.00
Year 3 – Miss Barton	£2.00
Year 4/3 – Miss Howarth	£2.50
Year 4 – Mrs Bannister	£1.00
Year 5 – Mrs Williams	£0.00
Year 6/5 – Mrs Reale-Smith	£0.00
Year 6 – Miss Hodgkiss	£1.00

**Our school target is 97%**

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

Our overall school percentage this week is: **95.9%**

### Extra Curricular Timetable

***When collecting children from after school clubs please be aware the exit pedestrian gate will be closed and to just exit through the main entrance gate. The exit gate will be closed at 3:10pm.***

<u>Day</u>	<u>Club and Year Groups</u>	<u>Time</u>
<b>Monday</b>	Girls Football Mr Corless (Years 4/5/6)	3-4pm
<b>Tuesday</b>	Performing Arts Mrs Williams (Years 4/5/6)	3-4pm
	Football Mr Rutter (Years 4/5/6)	3-4pm
	Good Grub Club KS2	3-4pm
<b>Wednesday</b>	Dodge Ball Mr Rutter (LKS2 - Y3, Y4, Y4/3)	3-4pm
	Science Mr Gregson Y6	
<b>Thursday</b>	Multi skills Mr Rutter (Year 2)	3-4pm
	Cross Country Mr Anderson (Years 4/5/6)	3-3.40pm
<b>Friday</b>	Spanish Lessons Liverpool Language Academy	3-4pm



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





## Playground Improvements

One of our targets this year is to improve our playground facility for our children - if you have any links in this area - or you know of links to purchasing nice benches that our children can relax on please let the school know on Twitter @StAnnesKnowsley or via email: stanne@knowsley.gov.uk

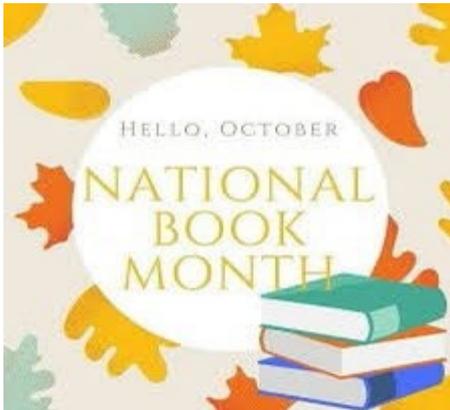
## Half Term Project for New Starters



If your child is new to St Anne's Catholic Primary School over the half term why not research your family tree and bring it back into school when we return on Tuesday 2nd November. We really want to see where people are from and work will be showcased on one of our school displays.

## Road Safety

Next week is Road Safety week at St Anne's Catholic Primary School. Children will spend time with members of the Knowsley Road Safety Team and learn how keep safe on our roads.



October is National Book Month, we would love to hear about what you're reading at home (parents too.) Share what you are enjoying reading  
[#sacpskreading](#)  
[#sacpskinspire](#)

## School Dinners

Week commencing Monday 18th October we will be on week 2 of the school dinner menu, which can be viewed on the app or school web site:



<http://stannesprimaryknowsley.co.uk/about-us/school-meals-menu/>

## Language of the Month

Each month we will have a focus on a different Language from around the world. Language of the Month for October is Bengali. **Challenge** - Can you learn how to say 'Hello' in Bengali? You could record yourself on Seesaw and share this with your classmates.

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## Talk Question

Should wrapping fruit and vegetables in plastic be banned to help the environment?

Keep up to date with all the latest news at St Anne's Catholic Primary School. You can follow us on our:



Twitter feed @StAnnesKnowsley or on Instagram @stannescatholicprimaryschool



## Fluenz Nasal Spray

The immunisation team will be in school on Monday 15th November 2021 to roll out the Fluenz Nasal Spray for children in Reception to Year 6. Please remember to complete the consent form online.

<https://forms.mersecare.nhs.uk/flu-vaccination>

## Dates for your Diary

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>
Monday 18th—Friday 22nd October 2021	Road Safety Week
Monday 18th October 2021	Vision Screening for Reception (opt out if not wanted)
Thursday 21st October 2021	Halloween Disco: KS1 4-5pm, KS2 5:15-6:15pm. Children may dress up in Halloween Costumes.
Friday 22nd October 2021	UKS2 Living History Day
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> October 2021	School Closes for Half Term @ 3pm
Monday 1st November 2021	INSET Day for staff—school closed to pupils
Tuesday 2nd November 2021	Children return to school for Autumn Term 2 @ 8.40am (Gates Open)
Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup> November 2021	Year 5 visit to the Slavery Museum
Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> November 2021	Fluenz spray for all children Reception to Year 6
Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> – Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup>	Y5 Swimming Mon- Thurs
Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> – Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup>	Y4 Swimming Mon- Thurs
Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> November 2021	Own Clothes Day - Teddies for Christmas Fair + 50p donation
Tuesday 30 <sup>th</sup> November	St Andrew's Day (Scotland) wear a blue accessory
Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> December	Own Clothes Day - Chocolate for FS and KS1, Bottles for KS2 + 50p donation
Wednesday 15 <sup>th</sup> December 2021	Father Christmas Visit
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Fair OUTSIDE

## SATS WEEK FOR YEAR 6

MONDAY 9TH MAY—THURSDAY 12TH MAY 2022. It is extremely important that children are in school for SATS week. Please only book holidays outside of term time.

**Parents of Year 6 children—Please remember that the national closing date for applications to secondary school is Sunday 31st October 2021. Please ensure you allow good time to make the application before the deadline.**