

St Anne's Catholic Primary School

Living and working as Jesus taught us!

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St Anne's Catholic Primary School - Weekly News

Highlights of this week

- Mr Waine kept our children active with his weekly challenge. Well done to those who
 accepted 'the Length of Lunge' challenge and lunged the length of their room, garden or
 street. #sacpskPE #keepactive
- KS1 were thinking about the 'St Anne's Bake Off' and began to design their brilliant bakes! There is going to be some serious competition! #sacpskdt #sacpskinspire #sacpskbakeoff
- We had some wonderful responses for RE from KS1 this week. They focused on how Jesus asks us to forgive at least 77 times and this produced wonderful reflections and collective worship. Children decorated rocks showing traits of true friendship and the necessity for forgiveness. #sacpskre #sacpskcollectiveworship
- There was lots more going on......Lions children designed their own planets, Years 6 and 6/5 found out about Sir Isaac Newton, Year 4 conducted experiments designed by the famous mathematician Archimedes and KS1 made vehicles from recycled materials.

REMEMBER TO VIEW OUR TWITTER FEED TO KEEP UP WITH ALL THE LATEST NEWS



KEEP UP THE GOOD WORK EVERYONE



Collective Worship focus this week is: Hope

At this uncertain time please 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 this week is: Mathematics

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Attendance

We are basing our attendance on checking in with school either through seesaw or a phone call. We will base our attendance on who we know has touched base with school (we do understand that some families do not always have access to the internet so we have been phoning to say hello).

Class		% engaged
Bear Cubs	+	54%
Lions		75%
Tigers	><	84%
Bumblebees		60%
Dragonflies	<u>Property of the second of the</u>	67%
Ladybirds		75%
Year 3	*	61%
Year 4/3		71%
Year 4		75%
Year 5		85%
Year 6/5	★ **	86%
Year 6	®	84%

Overall 73% engaging with home learning. Fantastic efforts from our wonderful pupils. Let's keep engaged.

Well done to Year 6/5 with 86% of students active on our home learning platforms.

Star of the week INSPIRING us all

<u>Class</u>	Star of the Week	
Bear Cubs	Lydia Doolan & Thomas Riccio.	
Lions	Matilda Foster for her excellent work and home engagement.	
Tigers	Charlotte Keiller for working so hard on her writing at home this week.	
Bumblebees	Zack Reardon for his amazing engagement on Seesaw. It is wonderful to see how hard you are working.	
Dragonflies	Rosie Pearsall for her continued effort, enthusiasm and creativity during home learning.	
Ladybirds	Isla Matthews for her fantastic effort and concentration with her work this week and	
	Freddie Yeadon for his excellent commitment to Mathletics this week.	
Year 3	Noah Anglesey - For all of the fantastic effort and work posted on Seesaw this week.	
Year 4/3	Jack Churchill for excellent effort in all his home learning tasks.	
Year 4	Isla Thomas for managing to balance going to school and home learning with a great level	
	of maturity.	
Year 5	Jessica Kehoe and Jack Davies for great effort with their home learning.	
Year 6/5	Joshua Blackman for his continued hard work and effort on Seesaw and his	
	positive attitude to learning.	
Year 6	Lily Tirant for cheering us all up with her virtual PGL activities and Daniel Porter for his	
	consistent work in Maths.	

Dear parents/carers,

Another week passes and we continue to be amazed at your hard work and endeavours at home, you are all superstars and **INSPIRATIONAL** - well done and keep up the good work. As well as our amazing children our families are doing such a fantastic job home schooling, so a big well done to our families too.

As a staff this week we have discussed improving how we can improve our home learning offering and the challenges that we provide for our children. As mentioned last week, we will provide a work pack if you would prefer your child to have one at home—please email the school and request this (if needed) from your child's class teacher stanne@knowsley.gov.uk More information will follow on the projects and challenges that we will provide. Please also remember that we have a home learning section on our website with a host of links to many other online activities. We do appreciate how difficult home schooling can be, but the wonderful efforts from our whole school community makes us all smile.

It was wonderful to see the <u>'Travel to Tokyo'</u> challenge which Mr Waine launched this week - this looks fun, so please do check it out. Next week is National Sports week and we had planned activities for this in school which we have had to cancel so it is wonderful that we can still do this virtually. Y6 have also planned some virtual activities with Mrs Bannister too which linked to their cancelled trip to PGL.

As mentioned last week, there is now a separate section on our website for COVID-19 this is where all our communication has been collated. A letter was also sent to Y6, Y1, Reception and Nursery last night with an update on possible wider opening to these year groups.

Can we also say a big thank you to our school community for the wonderful messages of kindness throughout this period. We appreciate your support and understanding.

Yours sincerely, Mr L Anderson Head Teacher



Bubbles

This week in our childcare provision we have trialled our 'Bubble' system in preparation for more children joining us soon. Children are in smaller groups with a member of staff who stay with their bubble throughout the day. Children socialise together and play in the same area. Our Nursery and Reception children who attend move around their provision in a controlled way. In all our bubbles lots of handwashing takes place.















Travel Tokyo

This term we are excited to get involved in the 'Travel to Tokyo' challenge from Team GB, ParalympicsGB and Sports England. This is a great way for families to get active together and discover new activities. Aim for 10—30 minutes of exercise a day and log your activity weekly on Seesaw using our 'Get Set Tokyo' activity. And with the games just around the corner why not find out more about the host Country or the Olympic/Paralympic games.



Music

If your child is currently in Year 6 and will be leaving us at the end of the year and if they attended music with Mrs Walton could you please return their Guitar to school if it was one of the school's. Mrs Walton also wanted us to say hello to all her music children.

Health and well being

Have you ever checked out our well being section on our school website?

http://stannesprimaryknowsley.co.uk/wellbeing/

How can you CONNECT this weekend?



"Always find time for the things that make you feel happy to be alive."

This week Ellis Maynard from Year 6/5 has been thinking about what he has been doing to help his well-being at home:

At home I have been going on bike rides and learning news skills on my trampoline. I have been enjoying time with my sister and taking part in different family games. I have created a scrap book with my own drawings of my favourite Pokemon and made up imaginary Pokemon. I have also done some awesome master creations with my Lego, I've really enjoyed building new things.

Can you let us know what you are currently doing as a family for your well being? We would love to know—so please either tweet to our school twitter handle @StAnnesKnowlsey or post your well being wonders to Seesaw.

Father Anton will be recording a weekly Sunday message. You can see last week's message on our Twitter page or the Parish Facebook page. We will also share forthcoming messages.

#sacpskre #sacpskparish



We are live on twitter which is a fantastic way of communicating with our school community. Please follow us for the latest news about the wonderful things our children do at school!



BAKE OFF IS BACK!



It's that time of year again, when children and staff put down their pencils and pick up their aprons in the hope of being crowned St Anne's Bake Off Champion 2020.

This year, our Bake Off will be virtual, but that doesn't mean it won't be just as fun!

To enter this year's event and be in with the chance of winning the trophy for your class, along with some amazing prizes, all you need to do is send a photograph of your baking masterpiece to your class teacher by 1st July.

Have YOU got what it takes to be crowned 2020 Bake Off Champion?



If you are looking for some inspiration or guidance whilst home schooling please see the following links to websites that have recently been launched. Oak National Academy and BBC Bitesize have a range of video lessons as well as live shows which are updated daily. Children can access lessons from people such as Sir David Attenborough and Professor Brian Cox.



NATIONAL https://www.thenational.academy/



https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize

More Online Learning:

Also as a school we have Mathletics, Times Tables Rock Stars (TTRS) and Spelling Shed to engage with. Whilst in Key Stage 2 we also have Reading Plus and access for the First News newspaper.

WE CURRENTLY HAVE A LIMITED NUMBER OF PLACES AVAILABLE IN OUR NURSERY FOR SEPTEMBER 2020. WE ARE NOW ABLE TO OFFER 30 HOUR PLACES. PLEASE CALL US ON 01514778260 8.30—1.30PM OR EMAIL THE SCHOOL ON STANNE@KNOWSLEY.GOV.UK FOR FURTHER INFORMATION.

