



St Anne's Catholic Primary School

Living and working as Jesus taught us!

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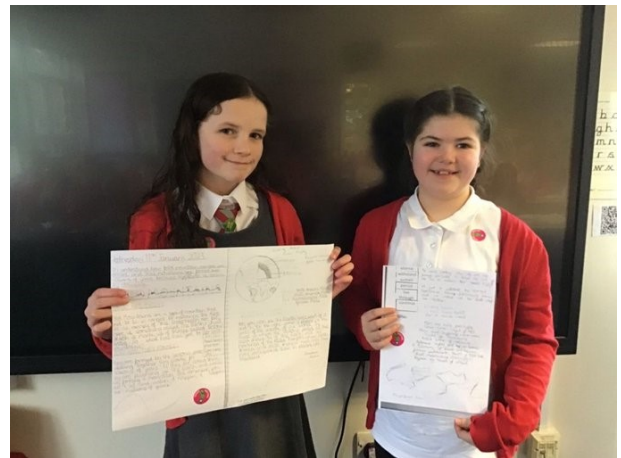
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St Anne's Catholic Primary School - Weekly News

Highlights of the Week

- Many thanks to all who joined in on our usual 'Walk On Wednesday', you will see the results in today's newsletter. Keep fit and healthy by walking to school!
- Our Year Six Class enjoyed their Swimming lessons this week!
- Well done to two wonderful pupils from KS2, and one from KS1 who have impressed their teachers and received the Governor's Writing Award this week.



Weekly Messages

This week at St.Annes .

The year 6's did algebra, this was very fun to learn about.

On Tuesday afternoon we did ,P.E (Dance) , Spanish and Art which we did around our English topic Shackleton's Journey. Yesterday, we did Geography (The Alps) we had to draw a house and a fact file about the Alps.

Today we will do English , Maths (algebra) and Finally, on Friday there will be an award for the children who have got 50,000 or more words on Reading Plus. This week was very fun my favourite part was the Geography.

A big thank you to Holly and Hollie from Y6/5 for their messages for our newsletter this week this was written on Thursday.

We hope everyone has a safe and peaceful weekend and we will look forward to welcoming you all on Monday morning between 8:40am and 8:50am.

'We all have the duty to do good' - Pope Francis

Attendance

Attendance is vital for our children to achieve in many ways.

Weekly Attendance	
Wales - Mrs Henesy	95.9
Scotland - Mrs Bromley	97
Bumblebees - Miss Doran	97.9
Dragonflies - Miss Williams	95.6
Ladybirds - Miss Frodsham	94.8
Year 3 - Miss Weaire	99
Year 4/3 - Miss Howarth	95.7
Year 4 - Mrs Bannister	93.7
Year 5 - Mrs Williams	94.3
Year 6/5 - Mrs Reale - Smith	97
Year 6 - Miss Hodgkiss	90.7

Our school target is 97%

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

Our overall school percentage this week is: 95.6%

Lates

Please remember that our school gates close at **8:50am**. Children arriving after this time are missing out on vital learning. Please ensure your child arrives between 8:40—8:50am. Children who are regularly late miss key elements of learning, which when built up over a long period, gaps in certain areas are noted. Thanks for your support in ensuring your child is in school for **8:50am**.

Attendance Reward Winners!

Well done to Y3 they had 99% Attendance this week!

Which class will get 100% attendance next week?



Extra Curricular Activities

The following clubs are available this term. The clubs are now live on Parent Pay. Please pay for your child's club as soon as possible.

<u>Day</u>	<u>Club</u>	<u>Year Group</u>	<u>Time</u>
Monday	LKS2 Dodgeball	Y3-Y4	3-4pm
Tuesday	KS2 Girls Football	Y3-Y6	3-4pm
Wednesday	KS1 Multi Skills	Y1-Y2	3-4pm
	Catholic Choir	St Columba's	4-5pm
Thursday	KS1/KS2 Good Grub Club	Y1-Y6	3-4pm
	UKS2 Football	Y5-Y6	3-4pm
Friday	KS2 Running Club	Y3-Y6	3-4pm
	KS2 Spanish Club (Language Academy)	Y3-Y6	3-4pm



School Dinners

The week commencing Monday 23th January, we will be on week 1 of our new school dinner menu, which can be viewed on the app or school web-site:

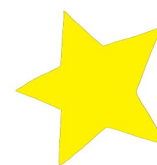
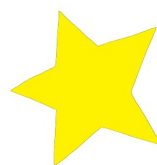
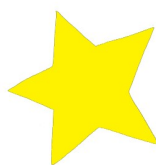
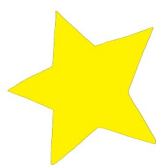
<http://stannesprimaryknowsley.co.uk/about-us/school-meals-menu/>

There are several outstanding balances for school dinners that need to be paid on parent pay — please can you check you are up to date.



Awards

Year	Head Teacher's Award	Class Teacher's Award	Golden Cushion
6	Phoebe H For Wonderful work exploring the Bible in RE.	Una L For always giving 100%.	Sasha H
6/5	Holly M J For being a wonderful spiritual example in our RE lessons this week all about The Bible.	Sebastian G N For his excellent work in Science dissolving solids into liquids.	Elliott S
5	Seraphina S For her wonderful spiritual work in RE lessons this week.	Brandon P For his excellent effort across the curriculum this week.	Levi S
4	Leo K For his wonderful focus and attitude returning to school after the holidays.	Macy M For going the extra mile and creating science experiments at home. Well done ! Jacob G For his unbelievable knowledge and effort in our Geography lesson this week. Well done!	Noah H
4/3	Colin M For making good choices to stay focused on his work.	Amaya E For always making good and loving choices in class.	Jacob M
3	Livia B For consistently following and being a great example of the school's mission statement, living and working as Jesus taught us.	Charlotte K For her fantastic effort and participation in maths this week.	Lottie J
LB	Talulla F For your excellent attitude to learning and your great effort across all areas of the curriculum. You have been a great role model to others and we are really proud of you!	George P For your amazing effort in all areas of the curriculum this week and for your determination to make progress. Well done superstar!	Zuzanna Z
DF	Sadie W For being such a kind and caring member of our class. She is such a wonderful role model and we love having her in our class.	Romee L W For working so incredibly hard and giving 100% effort in every single lesson. We are so proud of you and love having you in our Dragonflies class.	Jamie L
BB	Nancy O For working hard in our R.E lessons about special people and trying hard to answer questions. Well done!	Lio H For joining in well with class discussions and sharing his lovely answers. Keep it up!	Alex A



Notices

Breakfast Club and Wrap Around Club Bookings

Please book your child's Breakfast Club and Wrap Around Club Places by noon on the Friday before the start of the new school week.

Places **MUST** be booked in advance so we can ensure sufficient staffing is in place. Please do not arrive to breakfast club or Wrap Around Club without booking on as this is unfair on the staff who are working.

In case of an emergency cover or cancellation please phone the school.

Year 2 SATS

As you may be aware, in May this year the children in Year 2 will sit SATS papers.

To provide you with more information on this and to show you different ways you can support your child, we will be holding a meeting for all Year 2 parents.

This meeting will take place on Monday 6th February at 4:30pm.

If you could please let Miss Frodsham and Miss Williams know if you will be attending.

KS2 Spanish Lessons



After our consultation on our MFL offer we are now teaching Spanish in our KS2 Modern Foreign Language Lessons.

Our school will also benefit with extra lessons at times from Mrs Farren, a MFL Specialist Teacher from SFX, who will be coming into school to teach our children Spanish over the next number of weeks.

SEND Lead in school

Our Acting SENCO, Mrs Casson, is in school all day on Mondays and Tuesdays. We also have our specialist SEND teacher Mrs Johnson in school every Thursday as usual.

Please contact the school office if you need to arrange an appointment to speak to either of them stanne@knowsley.gov.uk.

Children's Mental Health week: 6th - 12th February

This year's theme, 'Let's Connect', will encourage people to connect with others in healthy, rewarding and meaningful ways.

Potential NEU Teacher Strike Action

You may be aware from media coverage that the NEU (National Education Union) have declared strike action, which will potentially take place on these dates:

- Wednesday 1st February
- Tuesday 28th February
- Wednesday 15th March
- Thursday 16th March

Please see the letter on this sent out today—more information will follow next week.

Spelling Shed

Top spelling classes:

Year 5, 41 million
Year 4/3, 37 million
Year 4, 28 million

Top spelling children:

Joshua G 27 million
Billy K 22 million
Lily G 8 million



Reading Plus

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Hall of Fame members- Darcey K, Rosa J, Holly M J, Darcey H

50,000 words—James W, Zack R

100,000 words- Kiera C H, Siobhan M, Katie R

Most combos this week:

Year 6 - Katie R

Year 6/5- Darcey K

Year 5- Barney M

Year 4- George H

Year 4/3- Harper S

Year 3- Lydia N

WOW - The Walk On Wednesday School Challenge!

WOW — The Walk to School Challenge!

Our school is taking part in WOW — the walk to school challenge. We record how we travelled to school each day in class on the WOW Travel Tracker. There is a new WOW badge to earn each month by walking, wheeling, cycling, scooting or doing Park and Stride at least once a week, every week.

Walking to school instead of driving

- Protects the Planet
- Is Great for your Health
- Makes Streets Safer



The WOW badges have all been designed by pupils across the UK as part of our annual WOW Badge Design Competition. Find out more about each of the WOW badges at livingstreets.org.uk/wowbadgeguide.

(WOW) Walk on Wednesday Scores!

Bumblebees Y 1 WOW score was 12

Dragonflies Y 2/1 WOW score was 14

Ladybirds Y2 WOW score was 19

Y3 WOW score was 15

Y 4/3 WOW score was 11

Y 4 WOW score was 15

Y 5 WOW score was 17

6/5 WOW score was 15

Y 6 WOW score was 24

This Week the Winners of the Golden Wellies are: Y6



St Anne's Catholic Primary School in the Parish



Collective Worship

Our Collective Worship focus this week was Happiness

Pope Francis said: "Educating is an act of love; it is like giving life".

Our St Anne's Catholic Primary School child focus for next week is: Independence

Our Collective Worship focus for next week is: Friendship

Our RE Focus is: Local Church Community

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



Mass times at St Agnes and St Aidan's Church this weekend

Saturday 21st January 2023

5:30pm Mass

Sunday 22nd January 2023

9:30am Mass

11:00am Mass

Dates for Your Diary

	What's On
January 2023	
Fridays 6/13/20/27 January	Y6 Swimming
February 2023	
Wednesday 1st February	Potential NEU strike
Friday 3/10 February	Y6/5 Swimming
6th-12th February	Children's Mental Health Week
Friday 10th February	School Closes for Half Term at 3:00pm
Monday 20th February	School Starts at 8:50am
Wednesday 22nd February	Ash Wednesday (Start of Lent)
March 2023	
Wednesday 1st March	St David's Day: Wear a Splash of Yellow on your uniform
Friday 17th March	St Patrick's Day: Wear a Splash of Green on your uniform
Monday 6th March	Parent's Evenings
6th- 10th March	Sikhism Week
22nd -24th March	Y5 Colomendy Trip
Friday 31st March	PTA Easter Egg Collection
April 2023	
Tuesday 4th April	Easter Bingo
Wednesday 5th April	End of Spring Term, School Closes at 1:30pm
Monday 17th April	School Starts for the Summer Term at 8:50am
May 2023	
9-12th May	KS2 SATS Week
Monday 15th May	Meet New Reception Parents 5:15pm
Thursday 18th May	EYFS—Meet the New Nursery Parents 4:30pm
16-20th May	Walk to School Week
June 2023	
19-23rd June	Refugee Week
19-23rd June	National School Sports Week
Tuesday 20th June	Sports Day
26th June—30th June	Y6 PGL Residential
July 2023	
Saturday 15th July	Summer Fair
December 2023	
Saturday 2nd December	Christmas Fair

School Applications

Nursery Applications 2023-2024

For our nursery intake September 2023-2024 it is so important that your child is baptised in the Catholic faith and you have evidence of this. This also applies to any places becoming available before this intake.

Children must be baptised and a copy of their baptism certificate received **by 10th March 2023** to be considered as a baptised Catholic for place allocation purposes.

Our closing date for receiving nursery applications for the September 2023-2024 cohort is **Friday 10th March 2023**. Please ensure that your application form and a copy of your child's baptism certificate is handed in to the Office by this date.

Reception Applications 2023-2024

The application process for Reception places for September 2023 is now closed.