



**St. Anthony of Padua**  
Catholic Primary School

**Growing Together Following Jesus**



**Meet the Year 2 Team - 2023**

# Welcome to Year 2

Mr. Preston and Mrs. Swift



Mrs. Aziz will cover PPA on a Wednesday afternoon.



# Daily Routine

- ▶ The school day starts promptly at 8:55. Please ensure children are in school by that time at the latest.
- ▶ Phonics, English and Maths will take place every morning. Other subjects will take place during the afternoon.
- ▶ Snack and drink time after morning break. Please ensure your child brings a healthy snack to school every day and a bottle of water.
- ▶ Children will have a second break time during the afternoon. Fruit is provided by school as their afternoon snack.
- ▶ School finishes at 3pm.

# Class Timetable



St Anthony of Padua Catholic Primary School – KS1 Autumn 1 Timetable



8:45-Children to complete Phonics/handwriting task during register.	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8.55 – 9.05	<b>Whole School Collective Worship (9.05 – 9.25)</b>	<b>Collective Worship</b>	<b>Collective Worship</b>	<b>Collective Worship</b>	<b>Whole School Collective Worship (9.05 – 9.25)</b>
9.05 – 9.25	9.25-10.25 English	9:05-9:25 Phonics	9-10 English	9.05-9.25 Phonics	9:25 -10:25 English
9.25 – 10.25		English	10 – 10:40 PE (LFC foundation)	9.25-10.25 English	
10.25 – 10.40	<b>Break</b>				
10.40 – 11.45	Maths	Maths	Maths	Maths	Maths
11.45 – 12.35	<b>Prayers Lunch</b>				
12.35 – 1.35	Computing	Science	PPA PSHE	History	RE
1.35-1.45					
1.45 – 2.00	<b>Break</b>				
2.00 – 2.55	Come and see RE	Steps to read	PPA Art	PE	Music
3.00	<b>End of day prayer</b>				

# Autumn Term Curriculum Overview

- ▶ Come and See- Beginnings, Signs and Symbols.
- ▶ English- A River (circular narrative and letter writing), The Night Gardener (setting narrative and diary entry).
- ▶ Maths- Number, focusing on place value in 2 digit numbers, representing numbers, comparing and ordering numbers, counting, and addition and subtraction facts to 10, 20 and 100.
- ▶ Science- Animals including humans and Living things and their habitats.
- ▶ PE- Tennis, Fitness, Dance and Gymnastics.
- ▶ History- Sudley House and its occupants.
- ▶ Geography- What is exciting about Mossley Hill?
- ▶ Computing- What is a computer? and Algorithms and debugging.
- ▶ Art and Design- Drawing: Telling a story.
- ▶ Design Technology- Textiles.
- ▶ PSHE- Being me in my world and Celebrating differences.
- ▶ Music - Hands, feet, heart (South African music), Ho ho ho (Christmas songs).

# All Aboard Phonics

- ▶ We will continue to embed and consolidate the phonics taught in Year 1, and will be covering phase 5 units 1-3.
  - ▶ Unit 1- New graphemes
  - ▶ Unit 2- Reading focus (alternative phonemes)
  - ▶ Unit 3- Spelling focus (alternative graphemes)
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- ▶ Tricky words will continue to be practised weekly - the, to, and, I, go, no, he, she, we, me, be, was, my, you, they, all, are, said, so, have, like, some, come, were, there, little, one, do, when, out, what, here, says, love, Mr, Mrs, Ms, their, people, oh, there, looked, asked, called, could, should, would.

# Uniform

- ▶ To be worn on non PE days (currently Monday, Tuesday, Friday).
- ▶ Grey shorts or long trousers (Boys)
- ▶ Grey skirt , pinafore dress, shorts or long trousers (Girls)
- ▶ White shirt with school tie
- ▶ School jumper or cardigan (Knitted only) with school logo embroidered
- ▶ Grey socks or tights
- ▶ Black shoes (not trainers)
- ▶ During the summer term, girls may wear a yellow and white check summer dress.
- ▶ During the summer term, boys may wear a white polo shirt with the school logo instead of shirt and tie.
- ▶ **Please ensure all uniform is clearly labelled.**

# Class dojos

- ▶ Children will collect dojos for:
  - ▶ Good work
  - ▶ Good answers/confidence in attempting work.
  - ▶ Good behavior
  - ▶ Acts of kindness.
  
- ▶ At the end of the week the top 5 dojo earners will be allowed to visit the dojo shop. The children will be allowed to select a prize in returns for their dojos.
- ▶ Every child will visit the dojo shop every half term at least once.



# Homework, PE Days, Reading

- ▶ Children should attend school in their full PE kit on: Wednesday and Thursdays.
- ▶ We would ask that parents read with their child for 15 minutes each night and ask questions based upon the text once completed. Please ensure reading books are in school everyday. Books will be changed weekly.
- ▶ Homework will be sent out each Friday and is should be returned to school by the following Friday. Children will receive points for completing their homework.
- ▶ Spellings will be sent as part of homework. Children will not be tested on them, but we will complete spelling application activities in class.
- ▶ Please support your child in practising letter formation.
- ▶ It is a national expectation that children fluently count forwards and backwards up to 100 in 1s, 2s, 3s, 5s, and 10s by the end of Year 2. Please support your child in regularly practicing these.

# Attendance

- ▶ Children should be in school everyday
- ▶ If they are unwell a message should be made to the school office via phone
- ▶ Mr Brooks or Mrs Lamb will contact you if they require further information
- ▶ Our school target is 98%+
- ▶ Holidays will not be authorised and may result in a fixed note penalty charge
- ▶ Appointments should be made outside of school time, however when this is not possible children should come into school to receive their attendance mark and then go to their appointment. If this is in the morning they should then return to school for their afternoon mark.

# Statutory Assessment Dates - 2023-2024

Phonics Screening Check resit 10<sup>th</sup>-14<sup>th</sup> June

Thankyou for coming.

Questions?