



# St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Primary School

## Newsletter – Friday 12th January 2024

### Mr Brooks' Top Three Proud Moments:

- 1: It was lovely to welcome our children back to school on Tuesday and celebrate the start of 2024. We look forward to another successful year and watching our children work towards achieving their dreams.
2. Our Epiphany mass yesterday was another lovely way to start the year. We thank Fr Terence, the altar servers and readers for leading our mass. Well done children, your singing was fantastic.
3. Key Stage 2 enjoyed their golf sessions in PE Yesterday, we would like to thank the LFC Foundation for continuing to work with our school and provide our children with fantastic enrichment and PE activities.



### Golden Tie Winners



I am proud to share with you this week's Golden Tie Winners. These are the children who have been chosen for a 'Teacher Award' for impressing their class teacher and inspiring their friends. Well done children we are all extremely proud of you.

Class	Golden Tie Winner
Reception	Tommy
Year 1	Celine
Year 2	Lola
Year 3	Theadora
Year 4	Arad
Year 5	Rosalind
Year 6	Rory

The winner of this special award can wear their tie with pride for the week around school. They can go to the front of the dinner queue and even sit on a chair in assembly.

### Notices

#### Happy New Year

The staff and children of the school would like to wish all of our families a Happy New Year.

#### Dogs

A reminder that dogs are not permitted onto the school premises.

#### Playground Equipment

For Health and Safety reasons, children should be supervised once they have been collected from school. The children should also stay off the Reception outdoor area, Astroturf and the exercise equipment outside of the Year 4 classroom. Thank you for supporting school to keep your children safe.

## Attendance

Our whole school attendance target is **97%** each week. We will be monitoring the attendance of each class and the winning class each week will receive an additional 10 minutes breaktime on Monday afternoon.

Class	Attendance Percentage
Reception	<b>96%</b>
Year 1	<b>90%</b>
Year 2	<b>100%</b>
Year 3	<b>97%</b>
Year 4	<b>95%</b>
Year 5	<b>97%</b>
Year 6	<b>93%</b>
Whole School	<b>95%</b>

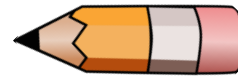
Congratulations to Year 2 who are this week's attendance champions with 100%. Well done children, we are all extremely proud of you.



## Presentation Awards

Each week we will be celebrating the child in each class who has made a huge effort or improvement with their presentation. They will be awarded a special pencil in assembly. Our winners for this week are:

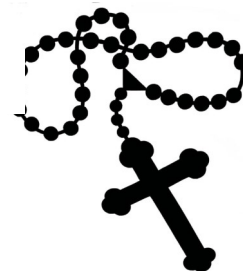
Class	Presentation Winner
Reception	Alex B
Year 1	Nancy
Year 2	Teddy
Year 3	Lottie
Year 4	Dougie
Year 5	James
Year 6	Ruby R



## Weekend Mass Times

Fr Terence would love to see as many children and families as possible at mass over the weekend. Please see the mass times below:

Day	Time
Saturday	6PM
Sunday	8AM
Sunday	10AM
Sunday	12PM



Thank you for a lovely week, we look forward to seeing you bright and early on Monday morning.

Mr M A Brooks Headteacher Growing Together Following Jesus'