



St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Primary School

Newsletter – Week 1 – Autumn 1— Friday 6th September 2024

Mr Brooks' Top Three Proud Moments:

- 1: It has been fantastic to welcome the children and staff back into school this week. Everyone has settled quickly into their new classes and all of the teachers are pleased with the quality of work being produced.
- 2: It has been lovely to welcome 29 new reception children to our St Anthony of Padua family. The children have enjoyed getting to know their friends and have been a credit to their families.
- 3: It was a pleasure to teach Year 4 their Steps to Read lesson on Wednesday. The text was all about Whales and I was truly blown away by how amazing the children were.



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
Year 1	Luke
Year 2	Imogen
Year 3	Harry, Harlow, Emily
Year 4	Theadora
Year 5	Leo
Year 6	Lulu—Rose

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.

Extra Curricular Activities

Please see attached the list of clubs which will start next week. We have worked hard over the summer to find a way to provide some free clubs for the children and families of the school.

- Monday** MSB Woolton Football 8am—8.45am
KS1 Gymnastics—3pm—4pm
STEM Club—Year 5/6—3pm—4pm
- Tuesday** Multi-Sports— 3.05pm—4.15pm
- Wednesday** LFC Tennis - Year 3—8.15am - 9am
Mucky Monkeys—3.05pm —4.15pm
Ju Jitsu—3.05pm—4.15pm
LFC Girls' Football Year 5/6— 3pm—4pm
- Thursday** Dance—3.05pm—5pm
- Friday** Chess—3pm—4pm

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	100%
Year 1	100%
Year 2	96%
Year 3	100%
Year 4	98%
Year 5	100%
Year 6	96%
Whole School	98%

Congratulations to Reception, Year 1, Year 3 and Year 5 who are this week's attendance champions with 100%. Well done children, we are all extremely proud of you.

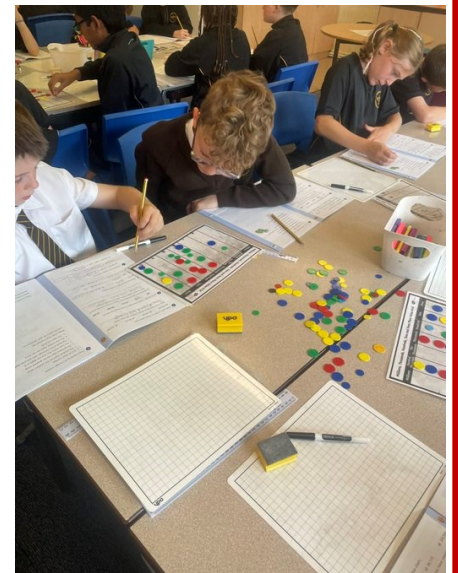
Places Available

We currently have one space in our Reception class and one space in our Year 1 class. If you know anyone who would be interested please contact the school office.

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
Year 1	Mia
Year 2	Ellie
Year 3	Nam
Year 4	Henry
Year 5	Noah
Year 6	Edie



Welcome Mr Clarke, Miss Ahmed and Mrs Schofield.

I would like to welcome Mr Clarke, Miss Ahmed and Mrs Schofield to the St Anthony of Padua Family. They have settled in well and it feels like they have always been here. Thank you to the staff and children for helping them settle in.

Key Dates

Tuesday 10th September

Year 1 Meet the Teacher—4.30pm

Year 2 Meet the Teacher—5pm

Wednesday 11h September

Year 3 Meet the Teacher—4.30pm

Year 4 Meet the Teacher—5pm

Thursday 12th September

Year 5 Meet the Teacher—4.30pm

Year 6 Meet the Teacher—5pm

Friday 27th September

Year 4 Class Collective Worship—9.10am

Maths Party Day

Wednesday 23rd October (Change of date)

Parents Evening



What a lovely first week back! We are truly blessed to have the best children attending our school! Thank you for the support that you have shown to the children and staff of the school this week. Have a lovely weekend and I look forward to seeing you bright and early on Monday morning.

Mr M A Brooks
Headteacher

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