



# St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Primary School

Newsletter - Friday 19th September 2025

## Mr Brooks' Top Three Proud Moments:

1: We started our week with a lovely welcome Mass. A huge thank you to Fr Max, our Year 5/6 children, and Mrs Bloor for leading the Mass. I particularly enjoyed listening to the children's singing.

2: Another highlight for this week, was the cross country race on Thursday night. Our children showed dedication and determination. Mr Preston and I were so proud of all of the 14 children who represented the school.

3. Our Year 1, Year 2 and Year 3 children started their music session with Mr Ferry this week. The children really enjoyed the sessions and it was lovely to see the smiles on the children's faces.

## 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	Child
Reception	Harrison
Year 1	Olivia B
Year 2	Shay
Year 3	Reuben
Year 4	Teddy
Year 5	Sachiel
Year 6	Lucas

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.

## Key Dates for the Autumn Term:

24th September—Reception and Year 1 Phonics  
Parent Meeting—5pm

22nd September—Year 4 Robinwood Parent  
Meeting 6pm Zoom

26th September—Year 4 Celebration of the Word  
—9.10am

Packaged cake donations for the  
Mini Vinnies to sell in church



### Attendance and Punctuality

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	Number of Lates
Reception	93%	1
Year 1	98%	5
Year 2	98%	2
Year 3	99%	2
Year 4	97%	4
Year 5	99%	1
Year 6	99%	2
Whole School	97%	17

Congratulations to Year 3, Year 5 and Year 6 who are this week's attendance champions with 99%. Well done children, we are very proud of you!

### Pupil Profile Meetings

If your child has a pupil profile, there will be an opportunity for you to meet with your child's class teacher to review their profile between 3.15pm and 4.15pm on Wednesday 1st October. Class teachers will be in touch to book these appointments.

### Spanish Day—Friday 26th September

We are very excited to announce that we will be holding a Spanish day in school on Friday 26th September. The children are asked to come into school dressed in red and yellow or traditional Spanish clothing. As Year 4 will be completing their class Celebration of the Word on that day, the children are asked to bring their Spanish clothes in a bag so that they can get changed after.

#### Spanish Activities:

- Miss Tracey will deliver Spanish dances sessions to each class.
- Miss Langley, our Spanish teacher, will deliver a Spanish singing session to each of our Key Stage 2 classes.
- The children will have a special Spanish lunch—the menu will be emailed out on Monday.



### Presentation Pencil Awards

Each week we celebrate the child in each class who has made a huge effort or improvement with their presentation. Below are the children who have impressed their teacher this week.

Class	Presentation Winner
Reception	Sophia
Year 1	Peggy
Year 2	Freya
Year 3	Billy
Year 4	Maisie
Year 5	Emiliana
Year 6	Rachel

Have a lovely weekend I look forward to seeing you all bright and early on Monday morning.

Mr M A Brooks—Headteacher

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