



St Antony's Catholic Primary School Newsletter

Monday 24th September, 2018



Important School Dates:

Dates	Events for Autumn Term 2018-2019
3 rd & 4 th Sept	Staff & Governor's Inset-- Policy Practise, Roles and Responsibilities
5 th Sept	School Resumes for all staff and pupils Years 5 & 6 begin at 8am each morning Breakfast Club, Viridis & MAE all start
6 th -7 th Sept	Baseline Assessments for all classes
10 th Sept	All After School Clubs begin
13 th Sept.	Whole School Mass-All welcome 10am Yr. 6 Parents Meeting & RE Workshop 5:30
14 th Sept	Almond Class Assembly 9:15
15 Sept.	Saturday Classes Begin for all pupils focus: Yr. 2 & 6 SATS, Reading , GPS Writing & Maths for years 1-5
17 th Sept	Parents Info Evening for Yrs 3-5 5:30
19 th Sept.	Parents Info Evening for EYFS 5:30
20 th Sept	Parents Info Evening for Yrs 1 & 2
21 st Sept	Literacy Day -"Celebrating Morpurgo" and other great Authors-Class Novels
22 nd Sept. Saturday	Governors' Strategic Planning Day 2pm-5pm at the school-Conference Room
24 th Sept	SEND FOCUS WEEK-with SEND Parents Workshops & IEP Target Setting
27 th Sept	Full Governor's meeting 6:30pm
28 th Sept	Palm Class Assembly 9:15am
3 rd Oct.	Black History Month Launch Assembly
4 th Oct.	Parents History Workshop
12 th Oct	Hazelnut Class Assembly-BHM Theme
16 th Oct.	Parents Consultation Evening 3:30-6pm
17 th Oct.	BHM Choral Performance Poetry FS/KS1
18 th Oct.	Parents Consultation Evening 3:30-6pm
19 th Oct	BHM Inter -Class Performance Poetry Competition KS2 9:15am -Hall
20 th Oct	Whole Staff Trip
29th Oct.	Staff & Governor Inset Day-No School for pupils

HALF TERM BREAK will be on the **22nd -29th OCTOBER** *School resumes **30th October 2018** for all staff and pupils at the normal time of **8:45am**

We Can All Be More Helpful!



From The Head Teacher's Desk Our Virtue This Week Is: **HELPLESSNESS**



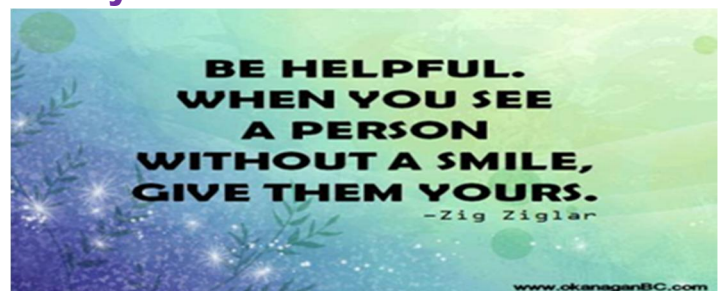
One of the most beautiful things we can do is to help another. Kindness doesn't cost a thing.

~ Spice of Life ~

The definition of helpfulness is being of good service both to the people closest to us and those we come in contact with. Doing thoughtful things that make a difference in the lives of others is one way of making the world a better place. True Helpfulness has a prerequisite that makes it unique from other virtues. Helpfulness requires that we take the time to be observant and aware of the other person first- so that we may have a better understanding of their needs.

Helpfulness comes from a heart of caring and a desire to really assist the other person, group or organisation being helped. Before we can be helpful, we must seek to understand the best way to help the individual or organisation- as the wrong kind of help can make the situation worse! Most of us have the very best intentions, but sometimes it comes down to whether or not we really understand the needs of the person or organisation we are trying to help so that we can best meet their needs- if someone needs food-it makes no sense giving them clothes. **A. Moore**

Always Remember.....



School Clubs Timetable



Out Of Hours Learning/ Clubs

After School Clubs are now up and running!

As you have been informed most clubs are Full based on their criteria-A few still have spaces these are:

Gardening Club....Thursdays 3:30-4:30pm

Spanish.....Tuesdays 3:30-4:30pm

Science Club.... KS2 (yrs4-6) Fridays 3:30-

Journalism & Publishing.....Mondays Yrs. 4-6

Performing Arts on Saturdays.....12 noon -3pm

Our OOHL/PE team have tried to ensure places have been allocated freely & fairly but please note that most clubs have a quota for health and safety and management reasons. Speak to Mr Khan or Curran for information.

REASON AND RATIONALE FOR OUT OF HOURS

PROVISION: All children, including year six pupils are asked to join at least two clubs as our aim is to make our pupils optimally rounded, balancing academic acumen and prowess with fully developing all their latent talents and skills as.... "To be truly educated is to be multi-faceted!"

Award Winners This Week 2018-2019

Class	Pupils Names
Viridis -2yrs	Jayden & Joshua
Nursery-3yrs	Jayden & Erin
Cherry	Sapphire Blue & Alexander
Peach	Joshua & Caroline
Beech	Princy & Hasset
Pine	Milan & Michelle
Olive	Michael & Kaliyah
Palm	Israel & Julia
Aspen	David & Laura
Cedar	Jonathan & Lilibeth Faith
Sycamore	Lemar, Myah, Kelechi & Tyina
Willow	Samuel & Yomial
Chestnut	Alazne & narcis
Hazelnut	Sam & Lewis
Walnut & Almond	Zuriah, Avril , Ana, Ana-Maria & Jacintha

YOUTH ALIVE @ ST ANTONY'S

Friday October 5th @5pm the School Hall



Held Each 1st&3rd Friday of each month for Pupils of: St Angela's, St Antony's, St Bon's, St. Francis, St Edwards, St Michaels, St Winifred's & St Antony's Church Parish

So if your child is in year 5, 6, 7,8 or 9 (10 & 11 welcome too)

They are invited to attend and enjoy the:

FOOD, FRIENDSHIP, FELOWSHIP,GAMES, SONGS & rich sharing of FAITH!

All young people from the parish are invited !

Attendance and Punctuality

(All attendance and punctuality is strictly monitored by the school & Newham) For Week Ending 21/9/18

Class	% Attendance	Class	% Attendance
Beech	96	Pine	95
Olive	93	Palm	96
Aspen	96	Cedar	100
Sycamore	90	Willow	97
Chestnut	92	Hazelnut	92
Almond	99	Walnut	98
School overall attendance		95%	

Well done to all classes with 97-100 % attendance last week! Most classes also managed very high punctuality percentages this week (97%+) as well .

Lining Up and House Points

Lining Up Winners for week ending 21/9/18:

KS2 Cedar Class – Year 3 KS1 Pine ClassYear 1

House points : 21/9/18

Congratulations to St John Bosco House!

House	Points	Position
St John Bosco	680	5 th
St Francis	687	4 th
St Vincent	688	3 rd
St Bernadette	799	2 nd
St Josephine	875	1 st



All parents and staff are invited to attend our first PTA AGM & Planning meeting

Saturday 13th October, 2018 @ 10:30am in the school hall

To discuss plans and ideas for the year -especially plans for this year's Children's Christmas Disco.

ParentComms

PAY+

Cashless Payments

Coming Soon...Pay + ... we will go cashless as a school -all payments via on line banking

SATURDAY SCHOOL & ONE TO ONE TUITION



Our weekly Saturday Classes began last Saturday and runs from 10am to 12 noon weekly offering both 1 to 1 Tuition and small group support for pupils from **year 1 to 6th form in English (Reading, Writing and GPS)** as well as **Maths and Science for Year 2 and 6 SATs, GCSE and A Level** preparation and Tuition is covered by our excellent teachers: Miss Wade, Miss Vivian & Mrs Surage. If your child needs additional support-send them to Saturday school. **Call Miss Olivea: 07946092467**