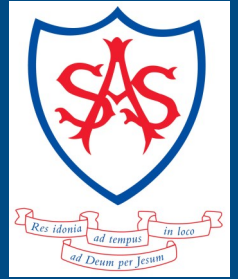


St Antony's Catholic Primary School

Newsletter

24th October 2025



Dear Parents/Carers,

As we come to the end of another busy and exciting term, we would like to take a moment to reflect on some of the wonderful things that have taken place across the school.

It has been lovely to see so many of you attending the virtual parent consultation meetings this week. These are such valuable opportunities to discuss how your child is progressing and to celebrate all their hard work so far this year. We hope everyone was able to make an appointment, and we really appreciate your ongoing support and partnership in your child's learning.

Our Year 1 and Year 2 pupils had a fantastic time taking part in the *Castles and Knights Workshop*. The children enjoyed stepping back in time, exploring medieval life. It was a brilliant hands-on learning experience that brought their topic to life — we have certainly spotted a few budding historians among them.

A huge thank you to our pupils, families, and staff for making this term such a success. The children have worked incredibly hard and should be very proud of their achievements. We wish everyone a restful and enjoyable half term break.

School reopens on **Monday 3rd November**, and we are looking forward to another fantastic term ahead.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support.

Best wishes,

Mrs Odunsi

School Business Leader



"God is at the heart of our school. With the help of our community we will strive to learn, love and achieve"

Congratulations to year 10C with an attendance of 100%



The Gospel Luke 18: 9-14

There were some people who thought they were better than everyone else. One day Jesus told them a story." Two men went into the Temple to pray. One of them was a Pharisee and the other was a tax collector. The Pharisee stood there and said this prayer to himself, 'I thank you, God, that I am not greedy, dishonest, and unfaithful like other people, and particularly that I am not like this sinful tax collector here. I fast twice a week

and always give money to the Temple.' The tax collector stood some distance away, not even daring to raise his eyes to heaven, but he bowed his head and said, 'God, have mercy on me, for I am a sinner.'" Then Jesus said, "It was the tax collector who was pleasing to God, not the Pharisee. Those who praise themselves and think they are better than others will be humbled, but if you humble yourself then you will be praised by God."

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Mon 3rd Nov - Return to school

Weds 5th Nov - 4C Class Assembly , 2.40pm

Mon 10th Nov - Yr 5/6 Girls Football Competition

Weds 12th Nov - 4M Class Assembly, 2.40pm

Mon 17th Nov - Flu Catch up clinic

Mon 24th Nov - Yr 6 Cooking at Trinity

Fri 28th Nov - Non Uniform (bring a bottle)

Sat 29th Nov - St Thomas' Christmas Fete



Grayson	Teddy	Grace
Luigi	Leo	Florence
Noah	Alice	Rory
Amelia	Phoebe	William
Charlotte	Lily	Melissa
Eva	Annabelle	Marnie

ATTENDANCE

School attendance is vital to attainment and progress. Any absences attached to a school holiday will not be authorised and may result in a fine unless there are exceptional circumstances as outlined in our absence policy.

A leave of absence form (pink/yellow form) must be completed together with evidence attached in advance of any absence whether authorised or unauthorised i.e. holiday/medical/exams etc.

**PLEASE ENSURE CHILDREN'S PACKED LUNCHES DO NOT INCLUDE ANY NUTS OR EGGS AS
WE ARE A NUT AND EGG FREE SCHOOL.**

Safeguarding



Designated Safeguarding Lead:

Ms Debernardis

Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead:

Ms Hale-Brown/Mrs Odunsi