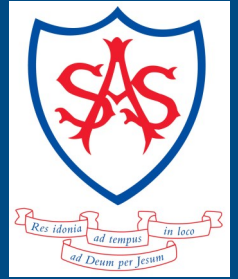


St Antony's Catholic Primary School

Newsletter

12th Sept 2025



Dear parents, carers and children,

I am delighted to welcome you all to the start of a new school year. Whether you are returning to us after the summer break or joining our school community for the first time, I hope you feel a strong sense of excitement and belonging as we begin this journey together.

A new school year brings with it fresh opportunities for learning, growth and achievement. Our dedicated staff are committed to providing every child with the best education, supporting their individual talents and encouraging them to reach their full potential.

This year, we look forward to building on our successes, strengthening the partnership between home and school, and creating an environment where every child feels safe, valued and inspired to learn. Together, we will celebrate achievements, overcome challenges, and ensure that St Antony's remains a place of joy, respect and high expectations.

I would like to thank you for your continuous support. With your encouragement and the hard work of our pupils and staff, I am confident this year will be a happy, productive and successful one.

God bless you all

N Debernardis

Acting Headteacher



"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 3D with an attendance of 99.37%



The Gospel John 3: 13 - 17

Jesus said to Nicodemus: "No one has gone up to heaven except the one who came down from heaven – that is, the Son of Man who is in heaven. The Son of Man must be lifted up as Moses lifted up the serpent in the desert, so that everyone who believes may have eternal life in him. Yes, God loved the world so much that he gave his only

Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not be lost but may have eternal life. Indeed, God did not send the Son into the world to condemn the world, but so that through him the world might be saved."



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Julianna	Haris	Christabelle	Alice
Andrian	Daniel	Conor	Mia
T'zara	Sophia	Ethan	
Tanish	Francis	India	

Mon 15th Sept - Meet the Teachers Yr 1 & 2

Tues 16th Sept - Flu Vaccination

Weds 17th Sept - Meet the Teachers Yr 5 & 6

Thurs 18th Sept - Meet the Teachers Yr 3 & 4

Fri 19th Sept - FOSA Doughnut Sale after school

Weds 24th Sept - 6S Class Assembly

Weds 24th Sept - Meet the Teacher Reception

Fri 26th Sept - FOSA MacMillan Coffee Morning - 9am School Hall

ATTENTION

EARRINGS – for health and safety reasons, we ask children not to wear earrings to school. However, children in Years 5 and 6 are allowed to wear them if they can take them off themselves for PE sessions.

PARKING - A kind reminder about parking. As we begin the new school year, I kindly ask all parents and carers to park safely and considerately outside the school. Please avoid blocking driveways, pathways, or school entrances and remember to keep your children close to you as you enter or leave the school to ensure they are safe around moving cars.

COATS – as the weather turns and days get colder please remember that children should wear navy blue coats.

DOGS – As much as we love our furry friends, dogs are not allowed in the playground.

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