

St Antony's Catholic Primary School

Newsletter

19th June 2026



Dear Parents and Carers,

It is wonderful to be back in school after maternity leave - the warmth of the welcome I have received from our school community has been truly heartening. Thank you to everyone—pupils, parents, staff, and governors—for the kindness and support shown during my absence. It is a privilege to return to such a caring and committed environment.

As we move through the final weeks of this academic year, there is a real sense of momentum and purpose across the school. We are already looking ahead strategically to September, ensuring that we build on the strong foundations we have established and continue to develop provision that meets the needs of all our pupils. This planning is essential work, and I am grateful to our leadership team for their dedication during this period.

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Our pupils have also shown tremendous enthusiasm and sporting spirit during our Sports Days for both Key Stage 1 and Key Stage 2. These events are always highlights of the calendar, and it has been wonderful to see such energy, determination, and good humour on display. Well done to all who participated and to the staff who organised these occasions so brilliantly.

We are also delighted to be running a Skipathon to raise money for new playground equipment. This is a fantastic initiative that combines physical activity with a real sense of purpose—our pupils are not only keeping active but also contributing to improvements that will benefit the whole school community. It is this kind of collective effort that makes St Antony's such a special place.

As we head into the warmer months, I would like to remind parents to ensure that pupils apply sun cream before coming to school and that they bring a hat for outdoor activities. Protecting our pupils' wellbeing in sunny weather is a shared responsibility, and your support with these simple measures is much appreciated.

Finally, could I ask that you check your contact details with our office and update them if there have been any changes? Keeping our records current ensures that we can communicate effectively with families and respond promptly in any circumstances. Please do get in touch with the office if you need to make any amendments.

Thank you once again for your continued support and partnership.

Ms Pampellonne

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 4M with an attendance of 99.7 %

KS1 Sports Day



KS2 Sports Day



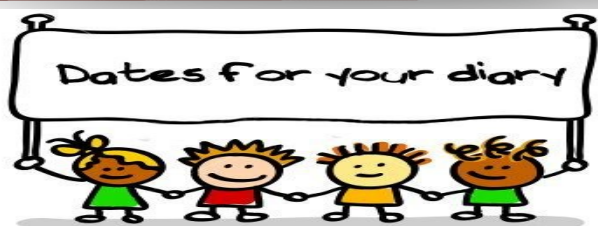
Skipathon



The Gospel Matthew 10: 26-33

Jesus instructed the twelve as follows: "Do not be afraid. For everything that is now covered will be uncovered, and everything now hidden will be made clear. What I say to you in the dark, tell in the daylight; what you hear in whispers, proclaim from the house-tops. Do not be afraid of those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul; think more about God who has power over both body and soul. Can you not buy two spar-

rows for a penny? And yet not one falls to the ground without your Father knowing. Why, every hair on your head has been counted. So there is no need to be afraid; you are worth more than hundreds of sparrows. So if anyone declares himself for me in the presence of men, I will declare myself for him in the presence of my Father in heaven.



Weds 24th June - Yr6 Production to parents 1.45pm

Thurs 25th June - Yr6 Production to Parents 6pm
(children back to school 5.30pm)

Thurs 25th June - Nursery (9am) & Rec (9.45am)
Information meeting

Fri 26th June - FOSA Break the Rules Day

W/c Mon 29th June - Yr6 Residential

Tues 30th June - EYFS Tennis morning

Sat 11th July - Summer Fete at St Thomas' Church

Nikolai	Olivia	Sam	Maria
Mia	Joshua	Nova	Jack
Jannah	Lewis	Soline	



Thank you for all your gardening donations! We will be putting them to good use for the gardening area!

PARKING AROUND ST ANTONY'S PRIMARY

When parking around the school please park considerately, be mindful of the neighbours and do not block any driveways/entrances.

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