St Antony's Catholic Primary School Newsletter

25th September 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been a busy start to the term at St Antony's, and we are delighted by how well the children have settled into their new year groups. They have been getting to know their new routines, classrooms and teachers, and it has been wonderful to see them approaching the term with such enthusiasm.

Thank you to all the parents and carers who attended the Meet the Teacher meetings. We hope you found them both helpful and informative. These meetings provide a valuable opportunity to learn more about the year ahead, ask questions and establish strong links between home and school. At St Antony's, we truly value the partnership between teachers and parents/carers, as working together helps us to support every child's learning and wellbeing.

Today, we held our Coffee Morning to raise funds for Macmillan Cancer Support, organised by the FOSA team. It was a great morning, and it was lovely to see everyone who attended. The children really enjoyed the cakes! Thank you to the FOSA team for organising such a successful event, and to everyone who supported the morning by attending, donating or enjoying the delicious treats.

Our new playground is nearly complete, and we are looking forward to seeing the children enjoying the improved space. We will also be adding all our new equipment, which we fundraised for during our Skipathon last summer. Thank you to everyone who helped us raise the money needed for these additions. We are sure the new equipment will provide plenty of opportunities for active play and enjoyment.

Have a restful weekend.

Ms Hale-Brown.

Year 1-3 Phase Lead

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

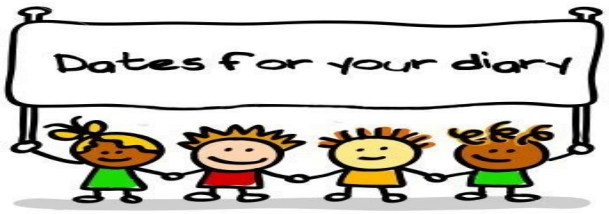
Congratulations to class Anchor (Y4) with an attendance of 99%

The Gospel Matthew 21: 28-32

Jesus said to the chief priests and the elders of the people, "What do you think about this? A man had two sons. He went to one and said, 'My son, go and work in my vineyard today.' 'I will not go,' his son replied – but later he changed his mind and went. The man said the same thing to his other son, and the son replied, 'Yes, I will' – but he did not go. Which of the two sons did the will of their father?" "The first," they said. Then Jesus said to them, "I tell you truly that those we consider outcasts are going ahead of you into the kingdom of God. Did not John the Baptist come to you, teaching what is right and true, and you did not believe him? Yet the outcasts believed him. And even then you did not change your minds and believe him."



James	Isabella	Joshua
Sophie	Riyad	Chantelle
Xavier	Samantha	Chamberlain
Lenia	Joseph	Leo



Weds 30th Sept - Steward Class Assembly (2.40pm)

Weds 7th Oct - Shepherd Class Assembly (2.40pm)

Fri 9th Oct - FOSA Doughnut Sale (after school)

Weds 14th Oct - Individual & Family Photos

Weds 14th Oct - Seeker Class Assembly (2.40pm)

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.

Trinity Catholic High School invites Year 5 and Year 6 families to its Open Evening on Thursday 8th October, from 5pm to 8pm. Visitors are welcome to tour the school, meet staff and students, and find out more about life at Trinity ahead of secondary transfer. All are welcome. For more information, contact the school office.

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.



Designated Safeguarding Lead:

Ms Debernardis

Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead:

Ms Pampellonne /Mrs Odunsi/Ms Hale-Brown