

BACK TO SCHOOL @ST ANTHONY'S WE ARE GOD'S WORK OF ART



Star of the Week Awards

Friday, 14th July, 2023

Rec S	Alesha P			Rec T	Finn T & Bertie W
1/2S	Theo S	1/2T	Cillian N & Zohayb M	1/2A	Filip K
3/4S	Leo E & Jack S	3/4T	Hope W	3/4A	Oliver G
5/6S	Sean L	5/6T	Vanessa K	5/6A	Fearne B & Mia W

Headteacher Awards

1/2S	Nancy-May V S
1/2T	Holly G
1/2T	Grace McG

Citizen Award

1/2A	Kuba K
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School Results from Statutory Tests

We are delighted with the results that our children have achieved this year in their Key Stage 1 and 2 tests. The children have worked extremely hard and we are very proud of each and every one of them. We are really lucky as a school community to have such dedicated staff who are determined to ensure that our children make the very best progress.

Next Week - Leavers Activities

Next week we say goodbye to our wonderful Year 6 children. The children's behaviour has been superb this year, all credit to them! I have told Mr Charnock from OLCHS that a really lovely bunch of children from St Anthony's will be joining them this year. We have two pupils moving on to different high schools and we wish them well also.

Our Leavers' Production entitled 'I'm an 11 year old Get me out of Here' will take place at 10am and 2pm on Tuesday, our Leavers' Assembly is at 2pm on Thursday and the Leavers' Mass is next Friday for the whole school to say goodbye and God bless.

Miss Forbes

Miss Forbes has now started her maternity leave and Mrs Carlton has joined us back from maternity leave. We wish Miss Forbes well for her new baby and we welcome Mrs Carlton back to EYFS and St Anthony's.

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SCHOOL DAY

School starts at 8:45am
with doors opening from
8:40am

School finishes at 3:15pm

LUNCHES

School meals are free to all
children in EYFS and KS1.

Cost £2.35 to KS2 children
unless they are entitled to
free school meals.

Meal payments must be
made in advance through
Parent Pay accounts.

School Meal Menu

*Next week will be week one
of the Spring/Summer Menu*

Extra Curricular Clubs

Just to remind you, there will be no more St. Anthony's before and after school extra curricular clubs until we return to school after our Summer break.

Uniform Swap Shop

As part of our contribution to the environment we will again be offering a 'Uniform Swap Shop' in the school foyer next Monday and Tuesday, 17th and 18th July. This will allow all families the opportunity to recycle and reuse school uniform free of charge.

Increase in cost of school lunches

In line with Lancashire County Council's Catering Services price increase, we are having to increase the cost of school lunches to £2.50 per day from September. We were informed about the price increase back in March but took the decision to hold off with the increase until September.

Parent Pay Accounts

Please can we request that you all check your accounts and bring them up-to-date if necessary. Please be aware that, unless your child's account is clear by next Friday, your child will be unable to continue on lunches after the summer break. It is imperative that from September all meals **are paid for prior to your child making their meal choice each morning.**

Pupil Absences

Please can we ask that any email messages sent to school regarding pupil absences be sent to: office@st-anthonys.lancs.sch.uk Please can we also remind you that pupil absences must be reported through the school office absence line on a daily basis prior to the start of the school day. Unless contact is made, your child's absence will be classed as an unauthorised absence.



Dates for your diary

Year 6 Production - Tuesday, 18th July
Year 6 Leavers' Assembly - Thursday, 20th July
Close for Summer - Friday, 21st July at 1.30pm
School Re-opens – Monday, 4th September



PE DAYS

EYFS – Thursday

1/2S Miss Clarke – Wednesday (extended session)
1/2T Mrs Chamley/Mrs Berry – Wednesday & Friday
1/2A Miss Martin – Monday & Wednesday

3/4S Mr Martin – Wednesday & Friday
3/4T Mrs Shaw – Tuesday & Friday
3/4A Mrs Eshborn – Tuesday and Friday

5/6S Mrs Boardman – Thursday and Friday
5/6T Miss Davies – Tuesday & Thursday
5/6A Mrs Noonan – Monday & Friday
Times are subject to change – please keep PE kits in School.

Attendance – Friday, 7th July to Thursday, 13th July

<i>Class</i>	<i>% Attendance</i>
<i>Rec S</i>	<i>97.7%</i>
<i>Rec T</i>	<i>97.4%</i>
<i>1/2S</i>	<i>94.7%</i>
<i>1/2T</i>	<i>93.0%</i>
<i>1/2A</i>	<i>97.0%</i>
<i>3/4S</i>	<i>95.0%</i>
<i>3/4T</i>	<i>91.0%</i>
<i>3/4A</i>	<i>90.3%</i>
<i>5/6S</i>	<i>89.7%</i>
<i>5/6T</i>	<i>97.3%</i>
<i>5/6A</i>	<i>96.1%</i>
<i>Whole School</i>	<i>94.3%</i>
<i>Whole School</i>	
<i>Target</i>	<i>96.0%</i>

Advance warning of fines

We are well aware that the cost of holidays and trips have reached an all-time high and that the cost of living isn't really improving for people. Whilst we have had sympathy for families and avoided fining in the past, we will now be fining families who take unauthorised leave of absence from September. This is also applicable to anyone who does not return to school on time. It is important that we safeguard children's education and improve our attendance percentages to fall in line with the Government's attendance guidelines. No holidays will be authorised and days taken out of school without medical information will also be counted as unauthorised. If you reach five unauthorised days in one term or seven days in two consecutive terms you will be fined. The cost of a fine is £120 per adult per household where the child resides. Please see attached further guidance.

Sunday Mass

Mrs Shaw will be attending Mass this Sunday, 16th July.

Holiday Activities and Food Programme – Summer 2023

We have received the link below advertising holiday activities which are taking place over the Summer holiday period for children of families with FSM entitlement. If this is of interest to you, please contact the school office for further details:-

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RK88ELzcZ4g&t=8s>

Other flyers advertising events which are taking place over Summer at Haslam Park and the British Commercial Vehicle Museum in Leyland can be found on our website.

