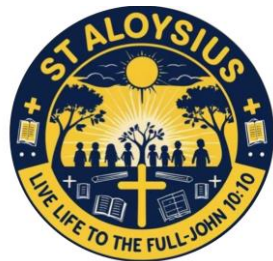


Key Stage

Newsletter



Key Stage 2
Year 3
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Year 6



Spring 2



Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you for your continued support and encouragement—it truly makes a difference. It has been a pleasure to see our Key Stage 2 children grow in confidence and maturity throughout this academic year. They are becoming increasingly independent learners and continue to impress us with their positive attitudes and enthusiasm.

We have also shared many enjoyable and memorable experiences in school, including World Book Day and Commando Joe activities. The children embraced each event with enthusiasm, showing teamwork, perseverance and a real sense of enjoyment.

In addition, the children have taken part in a range of special activities and events this term. They thoroughly enjoyed decorating Easter eggs, approaching the task with creativity and care. We were also delighted to welcome a visit from the Bishop, which was a very special and meaningful experience for the children. They have shown great commitment during the '100 Challenge' and have taken part respectfully in their Reconciliation Service in school.

We are incredibly proud of everything they have achieved so far and look forward to seeing their continued progress and success in the coming half term.

Thank you once again for your ongoing support.

Kind regards

Key Stage 2 Lead
Mrs Kay

Key Dates

Friday 24th April – Y6 Kindness Café

Monday 11th May – Year 6 SATs Week

Monday 18th May – MADD STEM Week

Friday 22nd May – School closes for half term 3:20pm – no wraparound club.

Reminders

Just a reminder that the school car parks are for staff and visitors. We are limited for space and often staff cannot get parked on a morning.

If you are dropping off at wraparound, then please only use the car park before 8:15am and please park at the entrance of the car park rather than near the main door. No cars are to enter the car park after 8:15am, other than staff.

When collecting from wraparound, then you can use the car park if there is space available.



The Greek Olympics were fun – we got to do lots of games and dress up!



I loved the residential – I can't wait for the next one!





WHAT'S BEEN HAPPENING IN KS2...



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A Message from Deputy Head Boy and Girl

We've had a very busy half term in school. Some special visitors came to look at RE in our school, and we were pleased that they were very impressed.

We also enjoyed career's day and World Book Day.

Next half term, Year 6 will be sitting their SATs, and we are working hard to get ready for this. We hope everyone has a happy Easter holidays.



We had a very exciting delivery this term. Our very own Peter Rabbit sculpture arrived ready to be painted for St Oswalds ' Tales on the Tyne' trail this summer. Every child has been involved with designing and painting it and we can't wait to reveal our finished piece. We will be taking part in a sponsored bounce next term to raise money for St Oswalds, and our sculpture will be on display in a fluffle of bunnies around Newcastle or North Tyneside between 15th July- 14th September.



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100 Challenge

During Lent, the children have been completing our St Aloysius 100 Challenge.

They successfully completed a range of activities based on the number 100 and we have raised an amazing £2,300. The money will be spent on our Garden of Hope, and we will be making a donation to Cafod. Thank you so much for your support.

Garden of Hope

Bishop Stephen visited on Thursday 12th March to open our Garden of Hope in the Junior yard.

This is a quiet space for children to reflect and pray. All children across the school will have the opportunity to use this space.

Egg Decorating

The children have loved decorating their eggs, and it has been lovely welcoming parents, carers and grandparents to participate.

The Music Festival

The Year 5 children performed at the Customs House on 17th March and they were fabulous! They did the school and their families proud.



World Book Day



World Book Day was a fantastic celebration of reading across the school. The children enjoyed completing a range of fun activities and looked wonderful in their creative costumes. They also spent time reading with younger pupils, sharing stories and showing great kindness, confidence and enthusiasm while celebrating their love of books together.