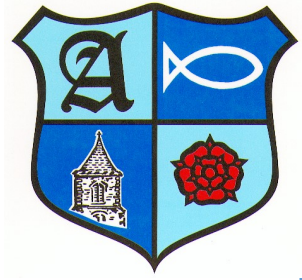




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10th September 2021

Spotlight on Year 3

What a great start to the year in particular the juniors for this year's Year 3! The children have adapted to new routines, a different building, and a busier playground so well - they certainly belong in Key Stage 2!

We began our Healthy Bodies, Healthy Minds with the rest of the school and have already been learning about nutrition in Science. We enjoyed our first PE lessons of the year and have even found time to learn some French!



We're very much looking forward to the year ahead.

Miss Williams & Mr Batchelor.



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Message from Headteacher

Dear parents, carers, grandparents and parishioners,

We are all very proud of the children who have joined our school in the Reception year group this week. They have settled into school very quickly and have been brilliant. We also welcome ten new families to our school. I know all our children always make sure everyone feels very welcome in school. To all our new children and families, I invite you to become fully involved in life at St Anne's.

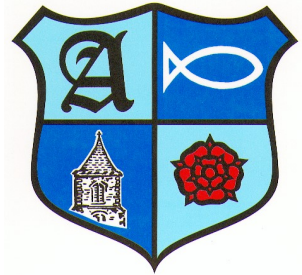
Several letters have been sent home this week. We will continue to send letters home to your email address and also place them on the website.
www.st-annesrc.lancs.sch.uk

Wishing all our families a wonderful weekend,

Mr P Bates
Headteacher



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Curriculum News

Nursery Welcome to our Nursery. We have had a busy week settling into nursery life and making new friends. All the children have been allocated Key Workers, if you are unsure of your child's please ask.

Reception We are so proud of how well the children have settled into school this week. They are making new friends and learning routines. We have enjoyed talking about our families as part of the RE Myself topic.

Year 1 Year 1 have been such superstars settling into the routines, we are very proud of you all. We have been busy this week completing our 'All about me' booklets in English and also looking at place value in maths. We have also enjoyed our first gymnastics session in P.E. We are looking forward to a busy and exciting term ahead.

Year 2 A huge welcome to the new Year 2 children and parents! We are delighted to be working with you in what will be a year of great fun and learning. The children have settled into school life brilliantly and are loving our new theme of 'Healthy Bodies, Healthy Minds.' They have been learning about the human growth cycle this week and discovering all the new things that can be done at each life stage. They have also loved reading our new class novel 'George's Marvellous Medicine' and learning about its author - Roald Dahl. We can't wait for Roald Dahl Day on Monday!

Year 3 Please see this week's spotlight.

Year 4 It has been lovely to get to know the children better this week. We have started our learning based around our first English text, The Astounding Broccoli Boy by Frank Cottrell-Boyce. It has been extremely comical and we have loved analysing the different characters.

Year 5 The Year 5 children have settled back into school amazingly and have been a delight to teach.

Year 6 Our new Year 6 pupils are settling in fantastically. We have been discussing roles and responsibilities and started the process to recruit House Captains, Librarians and Young School Leaders. We are sure the children will fulfil these roles excellently.



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Our Award Winners!

Star of the Week Mission Statement

Thomas H	Xaia H
Finlay S	Josie H
Isla K	Isabelle F
Will C	Ava C
Dakota B	Dillon M
Summer NS	Isla D
Harry P	Maddie P
Adam T	Dominic B
Theodora W	Oliver G
Harriet M	Ben C
Bella S	Lottie M
Max W	William F



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School Job Vacancy

A vacancy has become available for a **Cleaner at school 4-6.30pm weekdays**. If you are interested please contact school to arrange a meeting with Mrs Oates, Business Manager.

Tel: 01695 574697

Email: businessmanager@st-annesrc.lancs.sch.uk

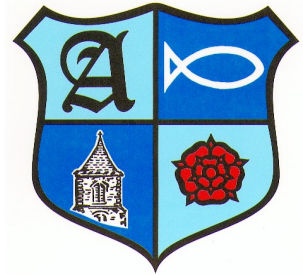
St Anne's Church Welcome Event

Saturday 11th September – come one come all. 12 noon. Mass outdoors to celebrate Jubilees & recall Blessings – please bring chairs (a few will be available). Followed by a “bring your own” picnic on the Bowling Green – tea/coffee available. From 1pm to 5pm, mainly outside there will be: Music, Tree Trail, 5 a side coaching for children, making a bug house, flower display, Guide & Rainbows, photo display in the Centre, Church open day including tours and many other items.

School will be represented so please encourage any families who may want to know more about St Anne's to attend. Mrs Cleary, Mrs Preston and Mr Bates will be there to answer any questions about St Anne's school, nursery and extended provision.



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St Anne's Toddler Group

St Anne's Toddler Group will return on Thursday 16th September, 9am - 11am in the KS1 hall. Please walk down the main path and to the rear entry door of the KS1 hall. Any parents that have offered to help set up please meet there from 8.45am .

Julie Banner
Extended Services and Nursery Manager

Key Messages

Covid19

Dr Karunanithi, who is Lancashire's Director of Public Health, has issued guidance for schools when managing Covid. Control measures that schools are to continue which are:

Good hygiene for everyone
Maintaining appropriate cleaning regimes
Keep occupied spaces well ventilated
Follow public health advice on testing, self-isolation and managing positive cases.

St Anne's Church Bulletin

The Bulletin is available on the Church website: stannes-ormskirk.org.uk

A link is available at the bottom of every page on our school website also.