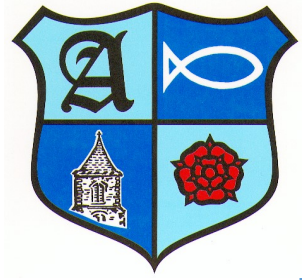




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**17th September 2021**

**Spotlight on Year 2**

It has been a fantastic and busy week as always in Year 2!

We kick started our week with Roald Dahl Day. The children looked fantastic in their costumes, and it was an action-packed day with a costume parade, Willy Wonka rocky road making, Quentin Blake drawing lessons and the children even made their own version of George's marvellous medicine.

Continuing with our class novel 'George's Marvelous Medicine', the children collected key words from the story and used them to describe their own medicine. Their medicines truly sound gruesome!



In Maths we finished off our unit of work on 'Place Value' with the children describing and continuing patterns of 2's and 10's.

In Science this week the children have been looking at medicines and describing how why they are used, and who should administer them. The children then created a very detailed leaflet about using medicines safely. After such a busy week, our Twitter page will be full of pictures of all the wonderful things we have done, so be sure to have a look!

Mrs Preston, Miss Banks & Miss Williams



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## Curriculum News

**Nursery** We have been playing lots of different 'getting to know you' games, learning each others names and making new friends. We have been challenged to complete different games and jigsaws. Learning to work as a team has been lots of fun !!

**Reception** This week in Reception we have started our religion topic 'Myself'. We have learnt that our names are unique and special to us and have been making our names in many ways using paint, play dough and loose parts. We also had our first PE lesson and loved doing some gymnastics!

**Year 1** This week in year 1 we have started our new English topic and introduced our story 'Lost and Found' by Oliver Jeffers. The children came into school to find an unexpected visitor in the classroom. They had to ask questions to find out why the penguin came to our school. The children have also loved starting their computing topic this week using Purple Mash to create a self-portrait.

**Year 2** Please see this week's spotlight.

**Year 3** In Year 3 this week we have continued our great start across the curriculum! Working hard on our biography topic in English and homes in RE. We have also been looking at Queen Elizabeth II and will be looking in more detail at the different decades of her reign.

**Year 4** Year 4 went swimming for the first time this year. We were all very excited to show off our swimming skills, find out our swimming groups and have lots of fun.

**Year 5** We have been using Atlas' to explore the countries of the UK and the surrounding seas.

**Year 6** This week in Year 6 we have completed hybrid texts about different Paralympian's. Our hybrid texts have included biographies, diary extracts and interviews.



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# Our Award Winners!

## Star of the Week   Mission Statement

Maisie F	Tyler B
Annie M	Madison A
Mackenzie P	Sebastian V
Grace E	Sawyer R
Jake LJ	Jaimie W
Max S	Shane MC
Olive H	Elliot MQ
Tommy C	Seren L
Max S	Betsy S
George OB	Jude C
Jack S	Evie FW
Florence G	Mason A
Sophie F	Isobel T
Jack P	Charlie O



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## St Anne's Toddler Group

Thank you to all the families who attended the Toddler Group this week. It was a great success and the children and adults enjoyed getting together again. I would also like to give a special thanks to the volunteers who helped me on the morning setting up and organising the session. **Please note from next week the Toddler Group will start at 9.15am.** This is to give us time to set up the hall, if you are not volunteering to help please do not enter the hall until after 9.15am.

Thanks again  
Mrs Banner

## Harvest Festival



Dear Parents/Carers,

September is a very special time as we welcome new children, families and staff into our school and parish community. We also extend our help and gratitude to the local harvesting community by supporting St Anne's Church harvest festival.

This year the masses for *Sunday, 26th September* (Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> at 5pm and Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> at 10.30am) are dedicated to thanking God for his harvest. We would like to support the church by collecting non-perishable foods that will be donated and displayed in church over the harvest weekend. After the weekend masses, the foods will be made into food parcels and distributed by local charities who support our local families.

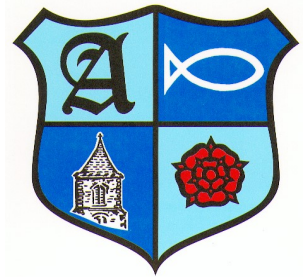
We would be very grateful if you are able to donate tins or packets of food. Please send them into school with your child on or before **Thursday, 23rd September** so that the foods can be taken over to church to be displayed.

Many thanks for your help and continued support,

Mrs J Preston  
RE Subject Leader



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**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](http://stannes-ormskirk.org.uk)

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