

## <u>St. Anne's</u> <u>Catholic Primary School</u> <u>Newsletter</u>



## 18th September 2020

#### Message from Headteacher

Dear parents, carers, grandparents and parishioners,

A very useful poster with clear guidance for 'What to do if...' relating to Covid-19 has been emailed to you. All newsletters are on the school website.

The key messages we are continually promoting, to try to reduce the spread of Covid-19 are:

Ensuring good hand washing routines using soap and hot water.

Adults and children to maintain a 2 metre distance wherever possible.

Parents and children not to gather at the start or end of the day on the school grounds.

We all work together extremely well at St Anne's to care for all our children, staff and families. Over the next few months, we will continue our work together by following these simple key messages. I thank you all for fully supporting St Anne's school community.

#### PRIMARY SCHOOL ADMISSIONS - SEPTEMBER 2021

Please share Primary School Admissions information with friends and family members who have young children starting school next year. Many toddler groups are not operating as normal during the current restrictions and this could lead to parents not knowing about the timeframes for applications. All information is on St Anne's School Website. All information for Secondary High School Application is on the website too.

St Anne's Church bulletin is available on the Church website. A link is available at the bottom of every page on our school website.

Finally, I hope you have enjoyed a 'Virtual Tour' of our school this week. If you have not yet managed to visit the website and click on the link, please do so and have a good look around our school!

Wishing you a wonderful weekend,

Mr P Bates Headteacher



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### **Curriculum News**

Reception	We have been so proud of the way the children have settled into school this week. Happy faces all round!
Year 1	This week our Year One children have been practising writing sentences correctly and made a wonderful "All About Me" booklet. We have also explored how to order numbers and identify whether they are odd or even!
Year 2	The children have had another wonderful, hard working week exploring the 'key ingredients' for a healthy body & a healthy mind. They made some fantastic information posters during their Science session to display their ideas. The children have also been immersing themselves in a variety of Traditional Tales with a Twist. They have been exploring the language and story structure needed to make a fantastic twisted tale.
Year 3	This week Year 3 have continued to work hard on their biographies in English as well as finding out all about the Olympic Rings and their history. The children are working so hard and we're so proud of the start they have made to Year 3!
Year 4	Year 4 have loved learning about the NHS this week. We explored the history of the NHS and took on the role of someone who benefitted from the system in 1948. We also discussed the impact that the NHS had then and now.
Year 5	Yr 5 had their first lesson of the Health and Wellbeing programme this week.
Year 6	In Year 6 this week we have been writing Hybrid texts, all about Paralympian sports people. In Science we have been studying the function of the heart.

# Our Award Winners!

Star of the Week	Mission Statement
Sadie	Tayte
Annie	Freddie
Ethan	William
Sham	Oscar
Daisy	Sawyer
Finlay	Grace
Imogen	Madeleine
Louisagrace	Ollie
Megan	Orla
Wojciech	Vincent
Olivia	Oliver
Jack	Daisy
Adam	Grace
Theodora	Daniel



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#### St. Anne's Nursery and EYFS

Nursery and EYFS parents/guardians

You are invited to enrol on the free phonics course (to be held on Zoom from the comfort of your own home) on Wednesday 30th September 9.30-12.00.

For more information see the flyer shown on Key Stage 1 windows.

### St. Anne's Nursery

Dear parents/carers,

If your child, or friends and families children, are due to turn 3 between September 2020 and January 2021 they are eligible to start at St Anne's Nursery in January 2021. Places are now available. The nursery is situated at the front of the school in a stimulating and bright learning environment. We also have our own brand new outdoor space to enable children to access outdoors throughout the day.

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