



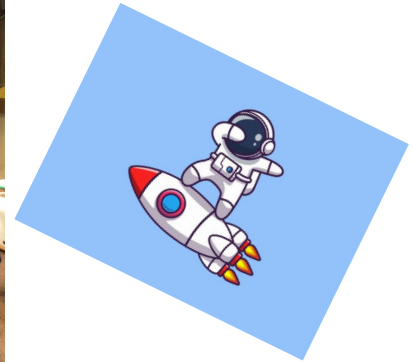
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19th April 2024

Spotlight on Reception

What a fabulous week we have had in Reception! We have started to learn all about SPACE! We had a special visitor in our class on Wednesday- an Astronaut! We thought about questions to ask them then we used our big voices to ask him lots in interesting questions. We have also been reading the story 'Astro Girl' by Ken Wilson-Max and writing applications to become astronauts ourselves!

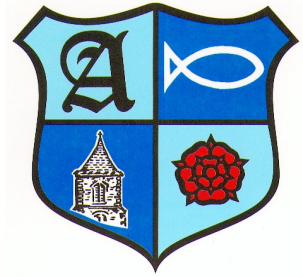


In Expressive Art and Design, we have started to learn about the artist Gaudi. We created our own mosaics using playdough and painted lasagne sheets.





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Message from Headteacher

Dear parents, carers and grandparents,

Please keep the children who made their Sacrament of Reconciliation this morning in your prayers. The children really enjoyed going to Mass and receiving their Sacrament. Many thanks to the teachers, families and Father Godric for guiding our children on their sacramental journey. The children will continue their preparation for First Holy Communion.

This week, we welcome Miss Banks back to school from her maternity leave along with also welcoming several new children and families into our school. I am extremely proud of how every child always welcomes new children into our classes and ensure they feel at home straight away. All the children at St Anne's are a credit to their families.

Hopefully, the summer weather will begin to shine throughout this next term! Please can I remind parents that suncreams must be applied at home and that school staff cannot apply sunscreen in school. Hayfever medication must be taken in the morning too. Children are welcome to bring a cap or summer hat into school when the sun is shining.

Attached is information regarding British Sign Language training which will be of interest. Please share with friends and family.

Reminder – We have several children in school with severe nut allergies. There can be no raw nuts or nut products brought into school. Please check snacks and packed lunches carefully. All snacks need to be healthy!

Polite reminder to all adults that the school car park is only accessible after 5pm at night and that 5mph is plenty fast enough on school grounds!



Wishing all our families a wonderful weekend,

Mr P Bates

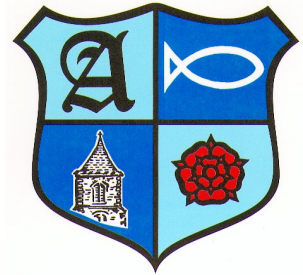
Headteacher

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.



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Curriculum News

Nursery We have been exploring Spring this week, the children have shared their knowledge and have talked about what they have seen, lots of lovely new language. We are looking forward to exploring lots of their ideas and thoughts, especially their interest in bees and pollen! The children have been painting images of their favourite flowers, they are beautiful. Next week we also are excited about the new arrivals coming to Nursery, we can't wait to see what is going to happen.

Star of the Week: Zach McQ **Mission Statement:** Theo B

Reception See Spotlight

Year 1 This week in Year 1 we introduced our new English topic Classic Stories with Supertato. We looked at the characters and discussed their feelings and the reasons why. In maths we have been counting in 2s, 5s and 10s. In topic we did observational drawings of plants.

Year 2 What a fantastic and busy first week back in Year 2! This week we have started reading an exciting book called 'The Boy Who Grew Dragons'. In PSHE we have also been understanding the importance of having rules as well as understanding that we have different rules in different settings.

Year 3 Year 3 have had a wonderful first week of the Summer Term. On Wednesday they demonstrated their continuing skills in tennis while on the courts at Ormskirk Tennis Club. Then on Thursday the children went to their first ever school swimming lessons and impressed both their class teachers and swimming teachers.

Year 4 The children have made a fantastic start to their final term in Year 4. They have continued to work hard on decimals in maths and will be applying this knowledge to money. In PE, we have begun Athletics and in Science we are learning about Sound. The children have completed their final 'With You Always' session and are continuing to prepare for their upcoming Sacraments.

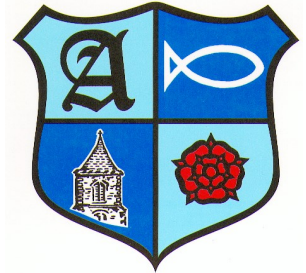
Year 5 Year 5 had a wonderful time making a terrible mess in Art, otherwise known as tie-dying, but the t-shirts, which they shall wear in our residential trip in June, turned out brilliantly. In Maths we have been looking at types of angle, estimating the size of them and measuring them in degrees with a half-moon protractor. In Science we have started looking at forces acting on bikes and aeroplanes and we have found where Greece is on various maps as we prepare to study the Ancient Greeks.

Year 6 Year 6 have carried on where they left off before Easter. We've have begun our new topics across the curriculum, from Detective Fiction in English to Witnesses in RE. In Geography we have started to look at the Lake District in preparation for our residential trip to Tower Wood next month. The children have also had a busy Friday with both yoga and striking & fielding lessons delivered by West Lancs Sports Partnership.





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Our Award Winners!

Star of the Week

Harvey MP
Noel N
Grace E
Patrick O
Rian G
Mason B
Jude C
Theodore VB
Reuben E
Sasha C
Jacob D
Lewis B
Mason M
Annie Mc

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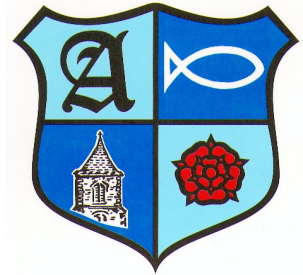
Beatrice W
Jack I
Sienna U
Mia L
Phoebe C
Indie R
Jack P
Harry E
Max W
Michael M
Samuel H
William L
Grace B
Isabelle F

Attendance for Week Ending 22/03/2024

	Class	No Pupils	% Attendance	Sessions Missed	Rank
Class 1 are the winners of the Attendance Award for this week in Key Stage 1	Class 1	22	99.10%	2	1
	Class 2	23	93.50%	15	5
	Class 3	24	97.10%	7	2
	Class 4	24	94.40%	14	4
	Class 5	26	92.30%	19	6
	Class 6	26	95.40%	12	3
Class 13 are the winners of the Attendance Award for this week in Key Stage 2	Class 7	22	95.50%	10	5
	Class 8	24	92.30%	17	8
	Class 9	32	97.80%	17	2
	Class 10	31	97.20%	9	3
	Class 11	24	92.50%	18	7
	Class 12	24	97.10%	7	4
	Class 13	31	99.40%	2	1
	Class 14	30	95.30%	14	6



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Online

Tuesday 7th May
10.00am - 11.30am



Online

Wednesday 8th May
6.00pm - 7.30pm



Use the QR codes above to enrol today!

In conjunction with Deaf Awareness week.

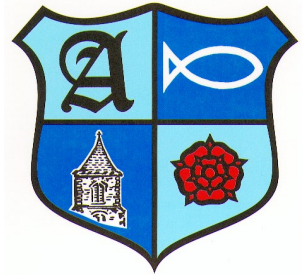
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