



# St. Augustine's Catholic Primary School

Headteacher: Mr John Entwistle



## Friday Newsletter Week Ending: 15<sup>th</sup> September 2023

Welcome to this week's newsletter...

September's Value is **Manners**

Please can you re-enforce this at home with your children throughout September

### Our Shining Light and Values Awards for today 15<sup>th</sup> September 2023 go to ...

	Shining Light	Value ( Manners)	Dojo
Acorn	Umar		
Blossom	Isabelle P	Olivier	Aishah K
Willow	Antonia	Olly	Namareq
Sycamore	Aaliyah	Victor	Alayna
Beech	Abdur Rahman A	M-Ibrahim	Ih'saan
Year 3	Ehab	Cairo	Andromeda
Year 3/4	M- Mustafa	Bilal	Bilal
Year 4/5	Zain	Zayd	Dawid
Year 5/6	Oscar	Vanessa	Holly
Year 6	Elise	Akul	M- Zayyaan



## SCHOOL Attendance

	4 <sup>th</sup> -8 <sup>th</sup> Sept	11 <sup>th</sup> -15 <sup>th</sup> Sept
Blossom	100%	99.00%
Willow	98.1%	98.62%
Sycamore	98.67%	98.33%
Beech	99%	97.78%
Year 3	95.94%	97.74%
Year 3/4	96.88%	98.78%
Year 4/5	98.06%	96.77%
Year 5/6	98.75%	96.88%
Year 6	97.5%	98.44%



### School photographs

Class photographs will be taken on Monday 18<sup>th</sup> September 2023.



### Introducing the Year 6 Head Team

Congratulations to the following pupils for being selected to our Head team for 2023- 2024.

- Head Boy: Talha
- Head Girl: Khadeejah P
- Deputy Head Boy: Damian
- Deputy Head Girl: Juana



### Data Collection and Permission Forms

Pupils from Year one to Year six will be bringing home Data Collection and Permission forms for checking and completing today. Please check book bags for these please can you return these back to school as soon as possible.



### Flu Immunisation Consent Forms

Please complete and return the consent form to school as soon as possible.

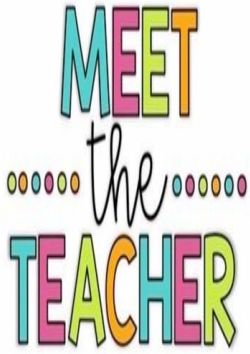
If you DO NOT wish to consent, you should still complete the section 'I do not consent' on the back of the form and return to school.

If you have any queries or questions about the vaccinations, please contact Intra Health on 0333 358 3397.



### After School Clubs

Our after school clubs start from Monday, 18<sup>th</sup> September 2023. Class teachers will inform parents of allocated clubs to parents via dojo. If you have any queries, please contact your child's class teacher.



### Meet the Teacher Meetings

If you would like the opportunity to meet your child's new class Teacher and find out more about what they will be working on over the course of the year, what homework they will be expected to do etc. Meetings are being held after school on the following dates:-

18.09.23 – Year 5/6	25.09.23 – Year 3
20.09.23 – Sycamore	27.09.23 – Year 4/5
20.09.23 – Year 3/4	28.09.23 – Beech
22.09.23 – Year 6	29.09.23 – Willow

The meetings will take place in your child's classroom from 3.15pm- 4pm. (children can stay in the classroom)

### ParentPay Accounts



Please ensure your ParentPay accounts have been activated.

ParentPay is used to make payments for school meals, trip and breakfast club fees. We also use ParentPay to send email communication. If you require your activation codes, or require assistance, please contact the school office.

Many thanks.



### School Admissions for September 2024

Applications are now open for children who are due to start primary or secondary school in September 2024.

If your child is now in Year 6 the deadline to apply for a secondary school place for your child is the 31<sup>st</sup> October 2023. If you have a child who is due to start primary school next year the deadline date is the 15<sup>th</sup> January 2024. Applications can be made online via the link below.

<https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/children-education-families/schools/apply-for-a-school-place/apply-online-for-a-school-place/>



### School Meal Price Increase from September 2023


Please note that the cost of a school meal has increased to £2.50 per day from September 2023.

**Children that have moved up to Year 3 in September 2023 will no longer be eligible for Universal Free School Meals. If you would like your child to continue having a school meal this will be chargeable at £2.50 per day (payable via ParentPay). For children who are registered for Free School**

**Meals there will be no charge.**

To check if your child is eligible for Free School Meals please contact LCC on 01772 532109 or apply online using the link below:

<https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/children-education-families/schools/free-school-meals/>



For if you forgive men their  
trespasses, your heavenly  
Father will also forgive you.

*Matthew 6:14*

## This Sunday, 17<sup>th</sup> September 2023, is the Twenty- Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

In this week's gospel Jesus talks about forgiveness – about how God is always ready to forgive us if we say sorry and about how we should try to forgive others if they say sorry to us.

**Gospel:** Matthew 18:21-35

Then Peter came to Jesus and asked, “Lord, if my brother keeps on sinning against me, how many times do I have to forgive him? Seven times?”

“No, not seven times,” answered Jesus, “but seventy times seven, because the Kingdom of heaven is like this. Once there was a king who decided to check on his servants' accounts. He had just begun to do so when one of them was brought in who owed him millions of pounds. The servant did not have enough to pay his debt, so the king ordered him to be sold as a slave, with his wife and his children and all that he had, in order to pay the debt. The servant fell on his knees before the king. ‘Be patient with me,’ he begged, ‘and I will pay you everything!’ The king felt sorry for him, so he forgave him the debt and let him go.

“Then the man went out and met one of his fellow servants who owed him a few pounds. He grabbed him and started choking him. ‘Pay back what you owe me!’ he said. His fellow-servant fell down and begged him, ‘Be patient with me, and I will pay you back!’ But he refused; instead, he had him thrown into jail until he should pay the debt. When the other servants saw what had happened, they were very upset and went to the king and told him everything. So he called the servant in. ‘You worthless slave!’ he said. ‘I forgave you the whole amount you owed me, just because you asked me to. You should have had mercy on your fellow-servant, just as I had mercy on you.’ The king was very angry, and he sent the servant to jail to be punished until he should pay back the whole amount.”

And Jesus concluded, “That is how my Father in heaven will treat every one of you unless you forgive your brother from your heart.”