

# St Anne's Weekly Newsletter - 23-24 - Spring term week 6



Our weekly newsletter is sent out at the start of each week with all the important updates from school with all the information to keep our parents and families up to date.

## Overview of updates for this week: 05.02.24

Our news for this week:

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## Dates:

**05.02.24 - Children's Mental Health Week & Manchester Hate Crime Awareness Week**

**05.02.24 - Bounce Fitness**

**05.02.24 & 06.02.24 - Problem Solving Workshops**

**06.02.24 - Rock Kidz**

**06.02.24 - Safer Internet Day**

**09.02.24 - Online Safety sessions with Y5/6**

**Week beg 12.02.24 & 26.02.24 - Bikeability - Y6 pupils**

**12.02.24 - Hate Crime Awareness Sessions with Year 3-6**

**13.02.24 - Shrove Tuesday - Mardi Gras**

**14.02.24 - Ash Wednesday - Mass**

**16.02.24 - Finish at normal time for half term**

**17.02.24-25.02.24 - February half term**

**26.02.24 - Return to school - Spring 2**

**26.02.24 - Art Week**

**01.03.24 - Art Gallery show for parents and the community**

**07.03.24 - World Book Day**

**07.03.24 - Y4 Camp Curiosity**

**11.03.24 - Islam week linked with Our World Religions for RE - children will be visiting a local Mosque**

**15.03.24 - British Science week - celebration day**

**25.03.24 - Holy Week**

**28.03.24 - Finish for Easter Holidays - 1pm close**



## Rock Kidz:

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## Class assemblies:

This term we're inviting parents to come to class assemblies. The below dates have been organised up until February half term. Classes that don't have an assembly invite for this half term will have a date in Spring 2 half term. These will be shared closer to the time.

**The Tuesday assemblies take place:**

**Y4-6 - 9.05am-9.30am**

**Y1-3 - 2.40pm -3.05pm**

**Each child is allowed up to two parents for their assembly. Please arrive before the time above as assemblies will start promptly.**

Tuesday 30th January 2023

Year 3K

Year 6B

**Friday 9th February**

Year 1C

Year 5W

Tuesday 13th February

Year 2HR

Year 4W

Please use the link to sign up to your child's assembly: <https://forms.gle/fvyN6E8y7BWT5h4SA>



## Picture News:

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## Religious Education:

### Celebrating our learning in Key Stage 2

This week we wanted to share with you some of the wonderful learning that is happening in Key Stage 2. The children have loved participating in the Walk for Creation.

Children have also been working hard to share their learning on their class and shared area displays, with an engaging display all about 'Laudato Si'. Year 6 shared work they had done on a timeline and an interview with Father Joshy.

You can see more learning on our social media platforms.

### Our Gospel Value for February – Trust

We trust in each other to try new challenges.

God, help me trust you with my decisions and future. Let me lean on you with all my heart instead of relying on my own imperfect understanding. Give me clear guidance in my life. I ask for your help to direct my path.

Amen

## **A Reading from the Holy Gospel for this coming Sunday 11th February**

6th Sunday in Ordinary Time World Day of Prayer for the Sick

### **Mark 1:40-45**

#### **Jesus Heals a Sick Man**

**40** A man who had a harmful skin disease came to Jesus. The man fell to his knees and begged Jesus, “I know that you can heal me if you will.”

**41** Jesus felt sorry for the man. So he touched him and said, “I want to heal you. Be healed!” **42** At once the disease left the man, and he was healed.

**43** Jesus told the man to go at once. But Jesus warned him strongly, **44** “Don’t tell anyone about what I did for you. But go and show yourself to the priest. And offer a gift to God because you have been healed. Offer the gift that Moses commanded.[\[a\]](#) This will show the people that you are healed.” **45** The man left there, but he told everyone he saw that Jesus had healed him. So the news about Jesus spread. That is the reason Jesus could not enter a town if people saw him. He stayed in places where nobody lived. But people came from all the towns to wherever he was.

#### **Feast Days and notable events:**

5th – 11th Children’s Mental Health Week –My Voice Matters

8th St Josephine Bakhita Day for Victims of Trafficking

6th Safer Internet Day

10th St Scholastica

11th World Day of Prayer for the Sick



## Attendance:



***Our Attendance team are more than happy to discuss your child's attendance and how we can continue to work together on attendance. If you have any questions please speak to Miss Garside or Mrs Shakespeare-Regan***

**Well Done to 1C on achieving the best attendance.**

Nursery - 84.4%

Reception H - 90.7%

Reception MC - 90.4%

Y 1C - 98.8%

Y 1S - 96.5%

Y 2O - 95.7%

Y 2HR - 87.4%

Y 3C - 96.1%

Y 3K - 95%

Y 4J - 90.7%

Y 4WD - 91.7%

Y 5WO - 85.5%

Y 5CK - 92%



Y 6B - 88.3%

Y 6WI - 96.1%

**If your child is not going to be able to come to school for any reason it is important that you let us know.**

**There are a number of ways to do this**

- 1. Report your child's absence using the Parentsapps**
- 2. Telephone school**

We may require evidence of the reasons for your child being absent (such as an appointment card / letter from your doctor) but please speak to a member of staff about your child's absence and we can let you know if we require any further evidence.

### **Punctuality**

Please ensure that children are on time for school. The gates close at 8.50am and all children are expected to be in class and registered by 8.55am. If your child is later than 8.50am they will receive a L (late) mark. If your child is later than 9.20am they will receive a U (unauthorised) mark.

Latecomers cause disruption for pupils and teachers, and learning time is lost. All latecomers are recorded in a 'Late register' in the main entrance. Children should be collected punctually by a responsible adult (over the age of 16) at the time their class finishes. When children are not collected on time, they will wait in after school club and you will be charged for the session.

## **Safeguarding:**

NSPCC - <https://www.nspcc.org.uk/charity-events/game-safe-festival/>

Children's Mental Health week : <https://www.childrensmentalhealthweek.org.uk/families/>

<https://youtu.be/FfQ5yFexOb8>

## **Free School Meals:**





Eligibility is based on one of the following benefits :

- Universal Credit (provided you have an annual net earned income of no more than £7,400, as assessed by earnings from up to three of your most recent assessment periods)
- Income Support
- Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- The guarantee element of Pension Credit
- Child Tax Credit (provided you're not also entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual gross income of no more than £16,190)
- Working Tax Credit run-on - paid for four weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit

Click on the link to see if you're eligible:

<https://www.cloudforedu.org.uk/ofsm/sims/apply>

## Updating Contact details:



It is really important that we have the most up to date details for us to be able to contact you - this makes sure that if there is an emergency or your child is not too well then we can get in touch with you or with someone that you have nominated to be able to care for your child in an emergency.

This also makes sure that we are sending out any letters / updates / newsletters to the correct email address.

Please make contact with the office if you feel your details need changing.

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