

# St Anne's Weekly Newsletter - 23-24 - week 2



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.

If any parents would like a paper version of the newsletter or any documents included, please speak to the main office.

## How can I contribute to the school newsletter?

We are happy to share information that may be useful to our school community. Parents and families should contact the main office to do this.

**CLUBS start this week**

## Overview of updates for this week: 10.09.23



Our news for this week:

- Dates
- Health & Care

- **Diversity Day**
- **Project Chameleon**
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## **Dates:**

**11.09.23** - during this week we welcome Y1-6 parents for 'Meet the Teacher'

**27.09.23** - Diversity Day

**29.09.23** - Macmillan Afternoon Tea

## **Health & Care:**

As a school we work hard with parents to ensure we have all up to date and relevant information for their child linked to their health and care needs.

We must stress that it's parents and carers responsibility to update school of any changes and ensure Health Care Plans are updated.

During the Meet the Teacher sessions, staff will be available to discuss this if needed.



## Diversity Day: 27.09.23

To celebrate our hugely culturally diverse school community, we are planning a Diversity Day on 27.9.23.

This will take place over the course of the day in school and will involve all year groups from 1 to 6.

We hope to set up each classroom with an activity celebrating the culture of a country (representing the cultures of our families). Each class will travel around the school, taking part in the activity and getting their 'passport' stamped by that country.

Miss Robinson, Mrs Haggett and our Parent Forum are organising the activity and would love your help!

We need parental volunteers who would be able to come into school to lead on activities from their own culture.

If you think you can help, please speak to the main office.

## Project Chameleon:

Over the coming weeks Year Five and Year Six children will be taking part in 'Project Chameleon'. If you have any further questions about this, please speak to Y5/6 staff.

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## After School Clubs:



This week we are inviting parents/ guardians (no children) to 'Meet the Teacher'. The aim of the sessions are for parents to meet their child's new teacher, to gain useful information about the year ahead and

ask any questions. Children are able to be supervised during this time when you arrive. No children in the session.

Parents/ guardians will be asked to check key contact and health information within these sessions to ensure we have the correct information.

Sessions are below for each year group. Please arrive promptly at the main entrance for these sessions.

See attached the Parental conduct Leaflet. Staff will be checking all parents have read and understand this. Copies are available via the main office.

Please complete the form to indicate whether you'll be attending the session.

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## Walkers:



Many of our children as they reach Y5 & Y6 start to walk to and from school. A new form must be completed on a yearly basis.

All children must have permission for this, please follow the link in order to give your child permission:

<https://forms.gle/JvF6Uy1sb6tD13ZZ9>

## Safeguarding:

Please see attached the Parent Friendly Safeguarding Policy & Safeguarding Poster. 4

All key policies can be found via our website. Some are due for update this month.

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## Attendance:



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 8.45am 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.

## 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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