



# St Augustine of Canterbury Catholic Primary School

"I called you by your name, you are mine." Isaiah 43

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## Newsletter

15 October 2021



I hope you have all had a good week. Next week is our last week of Term 1, please remember that **Friday 22 October is a Staff INSET day** therefore, the children will not be in school. Term 2 is Winter uniform only (please remember ties with white shirts) thank you.

### Class of the Week Year 2

We have been learning about Rosa Parks for Black History Month. We created a class bus to role play Rosa Park's story. We have also made our own art of her in the style of Andy Warhol.

Written by Ava and Nogie



### Stranger Danger

The safety and well-being of our children is paramount. Please ensure that if your child is walking home that they are aware of 'stranger danger'. Please talk to your children about safety. Of course the vast majority of children in Primary schools will not be out alone as they are too young to be unsupervised. However, if your child is in Year 6 and you have given written permission for them to walk to or from school alone please ensure that you have discussed a safety plan with them.

#### NSPCC advice:

If you and your child do feel they're ready to come home alone, it helps to go over some rules about staying safe.

Make sure they know their address and your telephone number by heart, in case they get lost or have to navigate home from somewhere new.

If they have a mobile phone, remind them to fully charge it before leaving the house, and make sure they have all your contact numbers saved.

Talk to them about road safety. They should always look both ways before crossing the street, and never be on their phone whilst crossing a road.

Remind them never to accept a lift from someone they don't know, or let a stranger into the house. They should never give personal information away - in real life or online.

Remind them that if they feel unsafe or uncomfortable at any time, they can call you or a trusted adult.

If they ever feel like they're in immediate danger, they should call the police straight away on 999.



For Harvest this year, we are continuing to support Caring Hands in the Community. This is a registered charity and Day Centre based in Chatham which provides breakfast and lunch to people homeless or vulnerably housed. We are asking for tinned and dry good donations - **last chance Monday morning before 9am.**

Many thanks for your support.

Tinned Goods	Dry Items
Baked beans	Pasta
Soups - any flavours	Ketchup, ground salt & black pepper
Tuna	Rice
Vegetables - any variety	Smash
Tomatoes	Tea and Coffee
Spaghetti/ravioli	Sugar
Hot dogs	Powdered milk
Potatoes	Noodles
Fruit - any variety	Savoury rice
Rice pudding	Various cooking sauces (jar or packet)
Custard - tinned and powdered	Pasta sachets (e.g. mug shots)

### Class Attendance 2021/22

Year R	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
97%	95%	97%	98%	96%	98%	98%

## Birthdays this week

Ayden age 9  
Agnieszka age 8  
Thomas age 8  
Sienna age 8



## Book of Excellence

Year R Amelia and Rome  
Year 1 Ivy and Oscar  
Year 2 Callum and Ella  
Year 3 Jude and Sadie  
Year 4 Ayden and Phoebe  
Year 5 Elsie and Mason  
Year 6 Ashton and Eryn

## Lunchtime Supervisors Award

Year R Amber  
Year 1 Tara  
Year 2 Carlos  
Year 3 Luca  
Year 4 Xavier  
Year 5 Amelia.E  
Year 6 Rachel



## Mathlete of the Week

Year R Nini  
Year 1 Victoria  
Year 2 Johnathan  
Year 3 Luca  
Year 4 Amelie  
Year 5 Liam  
Year 6 Maada



## Dates for your diary

18 October Harvest Celebration  
20 October Year 6 Height and Weight  
21 October Last Day of Term 1  
22 October INSET day—children not in school

Week beginning 25 October Half Term week

1 November Back to school Term 2

Week beginning 1 November is Maths Week

8 November Individual school photos (Change of date)

12 November Children in Need Day (more info to follow)

Week beginning 15 November is Anti-Bullying Week

16 and 17 November Parent Consultations 4pm—7pm via TEAMS

19 November Parent Consultations via TEAMS 9.05am—11am

As we will be holding 'virtual' parent consultations we have arranged an opportunity to look at your child's books through a Celebration Circle these will be booked through Parentmail closer to the time.

22 November Year 2 Celebration Circle (book share with a parent) 3pm

23 November Year 1 Celebration Circle (book share with a parent) 3pm

26 November Year 5 Celebration Circle (book share with a parent) 3pm

29 November Year R Celebration Circle (book share with a parent) 3pm

30 November Year 3 Celebration Circle (book share with a parent) 3pm

2 December Year 4 Celebration Circle (book share with a parent) 3pm

3 December Year 6 Class Assembly 2.30pm followed by Celebration

Circle (book share with a parent) 3pm

7 and 9 December KS1 Nativity

10 December Flu Vaccinations Year R—6

13 December Year R Nativity

17 December Last day of Term 2

## Parent Governor Election



A letter regarding the Election of two parent Governors was sent home on Monday through Parentmail. We welcome and invite you to consider standing for election as a parent governor for our school.

I do hope you will consider standing as a governor or perhaps nominating another parent/carer (please ensure they are aware of your intentions; you should also obtain their signature on the nomination form).

If you would like more information about being a school governor, please contact a member of our governing body or myself for more information via the school office.

If you would like to stand for election, please complete the form on Parentmail and return it **by Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> November**. If you require a hard copy of the form please contact the school office.

WOW  
Year 2



Buster Book Club  
Year 6



## House Points



St. Patrick  
1493



St. George  
1637



St. Andrew  
1244



St. David  
1634

