

St Augustine of Canterbury Catholic Primary School

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

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Newsletter

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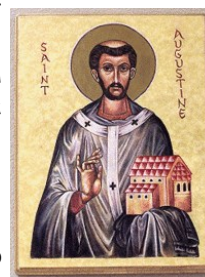


We are really excited as next Friday, 26th May is the feast day of Saint Augustine of Canterbury. This is always one of the most memorable days of our school year with lots of fun activities for the children to celebrate our special feast day.

As part of our celebrations, the children will be receiving an ice cream in a cone from the Ice Cream van, with the option of strawberry sauce, or an ice lolly. Children with dietary needs will be offered a vegan ice cream scoop in a tub.

If you do **NOT** wish your child to receive an ice cream/lolly, please email office@staugustine.medway.sch.uk to inform us.

There will be a year 6 parent/carer information meeting on **Tuesday 23rd May** after school to discuss the **Year 6 residential trip** to PGL Marchant Hill. This will be a valuable opportunity to receive information about the centre and the facilities they offer.



Class of the Week Year 1

In Year 1, we are learning all about instructions in Literacy. We talked about following and giving instructions. We practised using our imperative (bossy) verbs to give each other instructions. We also looked at examples of instructions and where the children might have seen instructions before. We looked at some instructions for games and used them to learn how to play the game correctly. The children had great fun following the instructions to play a game.



In science, we have been learning about seasonal changes. The children have been really interested in how the day length varies throughout the year. We had great fun using torches and our globe exploring day time and night time.

In PE, we created a liturgical dance to remember Our Lady (Mary) as May is the month of Mary. The children had great fun creating their dance movements.



Class Attendance 2022/23

Year R	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
100%	96%	96%	95%	90%	97%	95%

Well done to Year R with 100% attendance this week!



Birthdays

Lucas	age 8
Sawyer	age 8
Zach M	age 10
Sasha	age 8
Freya	age 9
Jaxson	age 5
Thomas	age 11



Dates for your diary

Throughout May Year 2 KS1 SATs administration window

23 May 3.30pm Year 6 Residential parent information meeting

23 May Year 6 Leavers photograph

26 May St Augustine of Canterbury day

Week beginning 29 May Half term break

5 June INSET day children not in school

8 June Year 6 Liturgy and Pilgrimage at Aylesford Priory

12–16 June Year 1 Phonics Screening Week

16 June Pyjamarama Day

30 June Sports Day (Infants in the morning and Juniors in the afternoon).
Parents are welcome to have picnic lunch on the field with your child.

7 July Year R, 1 & 2 trip to Wingham Wildlife Park

10 July and 11 July Year 6 Play

12–14 July Year 6 Residential trip

17 July No clubs this week

21 July Last day of Term 6

Book of Excellence

The following children received their sticker during our celebration assembly

Year R Ensi and Lara

Year 1 Isaac and Eliana

Year 2 Isabella and Samson

Year 3 Sophie and ella

Year 4 Nicole and Charlie

Year 5 Chantelle and Zach H

Year 6 Amelia E and Luke



Lunchtime Supervisors Award

The following children received their sticker during our celebration assembly

Year R Sienna H

Year 1 Summer-Rose

Year 2 Samson

Year 3 Mylo

Year 4 Darragh

Year 5 Mary-Ann

Year 6 Maximillian



Parish Donation

Holy Garden—Statue of Our Lady

I would like to extend a huge thank you to our very generous parishioners at St Augustine's Church who have been collecting money to help us purchase a new statue of Our Lady for our Holy Garden.

We are currently searching for a lovely statue and look forward to showing the parish how their generous donation has impacted our quiet garden of reflection.

Father Adams will kindly bless the statue when it arrives in a liturgy with the children.



Mathlete of the Week

Year R Maisie

Year 1 Emi

Year 2 Tara

Year 3 Gabriel

Year 4 Poppy

Year 5 TY

Year 6 Amelia E



Medway Can

2192 minutes, a total of 110 miles. Well done everyone!



WOW
Year 1



Buster's Book Club
Year 6



House Points

St. Patrick
12011

St. George
11914

St. Andrew
10953

St. David
11170

