



# 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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I hope you all have a very happy and restful half term. We look forward to seeing you in Term 2.

### Class of the Week Year 5

Our History topic has been the "Groundbreaking Greeks". We decided to try and show our learning by designing a double spread. We included information about the Minoan Age, the Greek gods and the difference between male and female roles.

I really enjoyed learning about all of the Greek gods, it was fun.

I enjoyed looking at the different roles men and women had and how much this has changed.

Joshua and Lillian

### Online Safety



The online world is posing an ever-increasing risk to children, and it is important that schools, parents and carers work together to take an active role in teaching children about online dangers. Learning how to act safely when using the internet is an incredibly important part of safeguarding our children.

We wrote to you in Term 6 to share our commitment to protecting our pupils online by working with National Online Safety to provide support to our children and parents and carers.

We want to work in partnership with parents and carers to safeguard our children online and therefore ask you to access the parent course which is very helpful in this ever-changing world of technology. Completion of parental courses also forms part of the criteria to achieve our accreditation.

The resources include Parents & Carers courses (presented by Mylene Klass), online video resources and weekly guides covering a huge range of topics, including:

To create your account, please click the link below:

<https://nationalonlinesafety.com/enrol/st-augustine-of-canterbury-catholic-primary-school>

Complete your details. When you're set up, you'll be able to set 'Parent/Carer' as your user type.

You can access National Online Safety online via any device- including via our brand-new smartphone app. To download the app, please go to:

<https://apps.apple.com/gb/app/national-online-safety/id1530342372>

<https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=uk.co.nationaleducationgroup.nos>

Alternatively, search for 'National Online Safety' in the App Store/Google Play Store.

Answers to frequently asked questions and customer service can be accessed at <https://helpdesk.thenationalcollege.co.uk/helpcentre>.

Thank you for continued support to keep our children safe online.

### The Relics of St Bernadette of Lourdes

The Friars Aylesford Kent will be hosting the Relics of St Bernadette of Lourdes from Monday 24th - Friday 28th October 2022.



Monday 24th October: 7pm Welcome and Mass

Friday 28th October: Departure

For full programme of events taking place this week see [here](#)

## Class Attendance 2022/23

Year R	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
93%	99%	100%	94%	93%	93%	96%



## Birthdays

Thomas	age 9
Sienna	age 9
Alfie	age 10
Sophia	age 7
Chantelle	age 10
Mia	age 5
Isaac	age 5
William	age 11



## Dates for your diary

**31 October** first day of Term 2  
**7 November** individual children and school sibling photographs  
**Week beginning 14 November** Anti-Bullying week  
**14 November** Odd Socks Day in support of Anti-Bullying Week  
**15 November** Cinema Trip  
 More dates to follow

## Book of Excellence

The following children received their sticker

<b>Year R</b>	Mia and Aaron
<b>Year 1</b>	Amelia and Joey
<b>Year 2</b>	Ivy and Hayley
<b>Year 3</b>	Isabella and Tsitsi
<b>Year 4</b>	Lara and Zac
<b>Year 5</b>	Eilis and Pelumi
<b>Year 6</b>	Daisy and Lily



## Family Space Night

Through our links with the STEM Ambassador Hub, we have been asked to share with you details of a Family Space night that is being held by the Mid Kent Astronomical Society on Friday 28th October at 7.30pm at Bredhurst Village Hall, Bredhurst, ME7 3JZ.

To find out more information please visit their website:  
<https://www.midkentastro.org.uk/?p=events>



## Lunchtime Supervisors Award

The following children will receive their sticker during a celebration assembly next week.

<b>Year R</b>	Henry
<b>Year 1</b>	Margot
<b>Year 2</b>	Adam
<b>Year 3</b>	Ella
<b>Year 4</b>	Nicole
<b>Year 5</b>	Harris
<b>Year 6</b>	Jonah



## Winter Uniform

The wearing of school uniform at St Augustine of Canterbury helps to unite us as a school community and allows the children to be dressed appropriately for many activities they take part in throughout the day; setting a high standard of personal tidiness and appearance.

When we return after the Half Term break, the children will not be wearing their yellow polo tops. They will wear their winter uniform.

**Please ensure that all items are labelled.**

Grey School cardigan or jumper with/without school logo

Grey Skirt / Pinafore dress (not black)

Grey trousers (not black)

White shirt (long or short sleeves not white polo tops)

School tie (elastic or traditional)

Grey tights or socks (not other colours)

Black sensible shoes (no boots, trainers or shoes with high heels).

Hair should be smart and suitable for school, hair should not cover the eyes and hinder learning. If hair is long, it should be tied back in plain hair elastics.

Thank you for your co-operation and support.

## Mathlete of the Week

<b>Year 1</b>	Davina
<b>Year 2</b>	Hayley
<b>Year 3</b>	Gabriel
<b>Year 4</b>	Darragh
<b>Year 5</b>	Joshua
<b>Year 6</b>	Madison



## WOW

Year 3



## Buster's Book Club

Year 6



## House Points

St. Patrick

1166

St. George

955

St. Andrew

1444

St. David

991

