



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 have all had a good week! On Thursday, we welcomed our new Year R children; this was very exciting! We are so excited for all of you as you begin your Primary School years at St Augustine of Canterbury Catholic Primary School. Mrs Burns and Mrs Carey are so proud of how well they have settled in. Our Year 6 children have embraced their role as Lunchtime Buddies with enthusiasm and kindness; truly living out our mission statement! Thank you to the parents and carers who attended the class information meetings. Year R, 1 and 4 meetings are being held next week, dates overleaf. Please note there is a change of date for the Year 3 meeting, which is now being held on 26th September. We hope you find these information sessions useful.

Jeans for Genes

Next Friday is Jeans for Genes Day. The Jeans for Genes campaign raises awareness of the daily challenges faced by those living with a genetic condition and raises money to fund projects that make a tangible difference to the lives of those affected. On Friday, the children and staff may wear denim in exchange for a donation to the charity. Any denim clothing is fine in exchange for a donation to the Jeans for Genes charity. Donations can be made through Parentmail. Thank you for your support.



Parent/Carer Information meetings

In addition to the parent information letters that will be sent home this term, we will be inviting parents and carers to come into the classroom after school to meet the teacher and receive important information regarding curriculum coverage, learning focus, routines, homework and general essential information.

The meetings will begin as soon as possible after the school day once the children have all been released to you.

Please see the dates for your child's class under the 'Dates for your Diary'.

Class Attendance 2022/23

Year R	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
99%	99%	99%	99%	96%	98%	97%

Well done to Years R, 1, 2 and 3 with 99% attendance this week!



Birthdays

Bobby age 11
Amber age 7



Book of Excellence

The children have received their Headteacher sticker in assembly

Year 1 Aaron and Muna
Year 2 Ovo and Kome
Year 3 Oscar
Year 4 Alani and Nogie
Year 5 Poppy and Timothy
Year 6 Zach and Matthew



Lunchtime Supervisors Award

Year R—All of the children
Year 1 Phoenix
Year 2 Joshua
Year 3 Vicotoria
Year 4 Niamh
Year 5 Radley
Year 6 Matthew



Dates for your diary

18 September - Year 4 Parent/carer Information meeting
20 September—Welcome back to school picnic 2.30pm (please complete ParentMail form)
21 September - Year 1 Parent/carer Information meeting
22 September Jeans for Genes day— wear an item of denim in exchange for a donation to Jeans for Genes via ParentMail
22 September - Year R Parent/carer Information meeting
25 September—PTA meeting 2.45pm (all parents/carers welcome)
26 September - Year 3 Parent/carer Information meeting
Week beginning 23 October half term break
30 October - Children back in school
6 November -individual children and school sibling photographs
7 December—Whole school Pantomime at the Hazlitt Theatre (Please complete ParentMail form)
19 December—Last day of Term 2
3 January—INSET day children not in school
4 January— Children back in school

Water bottles

Please remember to send your child into school with a full water bottle. These should be the school water bottle.

Metal or glass water bottles are not permitted for Health and Safety reasons.

School water bottles may be purchased through Parentmail.



House Points

St. Patrick

747

St. George

635

St. Andrew

471

St. David

436

