

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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Our school value this term is:

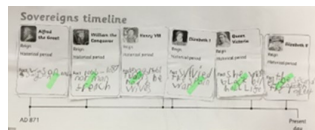
Be Brave

We are delighted to share our new Reading Vending machine with you. We are very grateful to Mr and Mrs Taylor, grandparents to Romee at IC Services and Maintenance who have generously provided the funds to enable us to purchase the Reading Vending Machine for the children to enjoy.

How it works-The children receive a token which they slot into the machine and then choose a book from the display which falls to the bottom of the machine as in other vending machines. The children were delighted to see the vending machine in the hall when they were walking into assembly on Monday and are very excited to earn a token to choose a book! The School Council met with me to discuss the variety of ways the children can earn a token including 100% attendance in Term 5, following our behaviour curriculum, celebrating a exceptional number of DOJOs, demonstrating our school values and many more. Again, I would like to thank Mr and Mrs Taylor for their kind donation, it is very much appreciated and has enabled us to provide a further motivation to encourage the children to enjoy reading and become life-long readers. [Please remember class photos on Monday morning.](#)

Year 2 Class of the Week

This week we started our new history topic. It is all about Kings and Queens from the past!



We had to order dates chronologically and then find some facts about them. Here are some of our timelines.

In literacy, we have been learning about instructions. We began the week by following instructions to play games. We then sorted out features using a zone of relevance and then drafted and wrote our own. We enjoyed composing our instructional writing!



Reception Intake September 2023

If you have a child starting Reception in September please return the [acceptance](#) form by Tuesday 14 May 2024.

Class Attendance 2023/24

| Year R | Year 1 | Year 2 | Year 3 | Year 4 | Year 5 | Year 6 |
|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| 94.8% | 99.3% | 98.7% | 98.8% | 96.8% | 96.3% | 92.7% |

Well done to Year 1 with 99.3% attendance!
They have received the Attendance trophy this week!



Birthdays

Children who have celebrated their birthday this week

George age 5
Racheal age 5
Emilia age 6
Omolara age 6
Alani age 9



Book of Excellence

The children have received their Headteacher sticker in assembly

Year R Evelyn and Jasper
Year 1 Faye and David
Year 2 Joshua and Effy
Year 3 Stephanie and Oscar
Year 4 Whole Class- For a fantastic assembly
Year 5 Nishka and Zac
Year 6 Joshua and Gabija



Lunchtime Supervisors Award

Year R Racheal
Year 1 Maisie
Year 2 Levison
Year 3 Nathaniel B
Year 4 Mylo
Year 5 Jude
Year 6 Harris



Mathletics

Year 1 Muna
Year 2 Summer
Year 3 Nathaniel D
Year 4 Shantel
Year 5 Nicole
Year 6 Olivia



WOW Year 6



Dates for your diary

19 April 2:45pm Year 4 Assembly
22 April — Class photo (Braiswick)
13 to 16 May—Year 6 SATs week
17 May — Pyjamarama Day
24 May — **St Augustine of Canterbury Day**—Last Day of Term
27 to 31 May —Half Term
3 June — INSET day—Children not in school
4 June — Term 6 begins—Children back to school
10 June — Year 6 class photo
21 June — Summer Enterprise Years 2 and 6
28 June — Sports Day (KS1 AM and KS2 PM)
10 to 12 July — Year 6 Residential
19 July — Last Day of Term 6

Out of School Achievements



Noah was awarded Player of the Day in Sheffield at the Best of British Ice Hockey Camp for his hard work and commitment. He was also awarded Spirit of the Game this weekend in all 3 games for his consistent team spirit and support of his team mates.

Theo has recently passed the last of the Swim England main levels, achieving level 6 and level 7 in a record time, gaining his 400m badge in the 4 main swimming strokes. Theo will now progress to the advanced and competitive levels where he can also train for his Young Lifeguard award.

We're really proud of him for working so hard and his coach has expressed how impressed she was with his commitment to pass level 7 so quickly.



Well done Noah and Theo.

House Points

St. Patrick
12289

St. George
9961

St. Andrew
8539

St. David
12250

