



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 Honest



Well done to all of the children for remembering their warm coats, hats, gloves and scarves during this cold weather. Please remember to label all of your child's clothing (including PE kit) as we have a great deal of 'lost property' which is not named. The lost property is in the Reception area if you would like to look for lost items.

Class of the Week Year R

We're Going on a Bear Hunt
Michael Bunn Helen Oxenbury



Year R have had fun looking at the book: *We're Going on a Bear Hunt* as part of their "Exciting Explorers" learning. The children explored different media and materials to create grass, river, mud, forest and snow.



The children also used musical instruments (and a "jangly belt") to create a soundscape of the story. The children matched the sounds for swishy-swashy, splash-splash, squelch-squerch, stumble-trip and hoo-woo!



Curriculum Information Letters

Terms 3 and 4

Today, via Parentmail, each teacher has sent home their Information Letter to Parents and Carers to share important information regarding curriculum coverage, learning focus, routines, homework and general essential information which we hope you find useful to support your child in gaining the most from school life. Please email your child's class teacher on their class email addresses if you have any queries.



Year 6 Library Visit

Year 6 thoroughly enjoyed their trip to Wigmore Library today. They enjoyed listening to the story 'The True Story of the 3 Little Pigs!' by Jon Scieszka and Lane Smith. Afterwards, they had the opportunity to choose a book to bring home. Tom Gates was a very popular author!



Class Attendance

Year R	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
99%	99%	96%	92%	95%	94%	93%

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



Birthdays

Children who have celebrated their birthday this week

Faye	age 6
Harris	age 11
Sophie	age 9
Kome	age 7
Ovo	age 7
Joseph	age 10
Finlay	age 11



Dates for your diary

- 26 January Year 6 Library 2nd visit
- 26 January 2.45pm Year 2 Class Assembly
- 2 February NSPCC Number Day
- 2 February 2.45pm Year 5 Class Assembly
- 9 February Last day of Term 3
- 12–16 February Half term break
- 19 February Inset Day—Children not in school
- 20 February Children back in school Term 4
- 1 March 2.45pm Year 4 Class Assembly
- 6 March—12 March Book Fair
- 8 March 2.45pm Year R Assembly
- 21 March Easter Enterprise—Years R, 1 and 3
- 26 March Years 3 and 4 Easter Reflection
- 27 March Years 3 and 4 Easter Reflection
- 28 March Last day of Term 4
- 29 March—12 April Easter break
- 15 April Children back in school Term 5

Book of Excellence

The children have received their certificate in assembly

Year R	Harrie and Kasie
Year 1	Phoenix and Ensi
Year 2	Eliana and Levison
Year 3	Eugene and Nathaniel D
Year 4	Ava and Callum
Year 5	Nishka and Mahdi
Year 6	Francesca and Finlay



Lunchtime Award

Year R	Alexis
Year 1	Mia
Year 2	Joey
Year 3	Charlie-Ray
Year 4	Polly
Year 5	Charlotte
Year 6	Finlay



Car Parking

I would like to remind you to park safely when bringing your children into school and collecting them. Please use the Church car park or park where it is safe to do so on the road. Please walk your children into school via the alleyway and enter through the playground gate.

The school staff car park must not be used to drop off, turn or wait. Thank you for your support in ensuring our children arrive and leave school safely.

Mathlete of the Week

Year 1	Lara
Year 2	Cody
Year 3	Tara
Year 4	Gabriel
Year 5	William
Year 6	Joshua



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Year 6



House Points

St. Patrick
6211

St. George
6905

St. Andrew
5446

St. David
7872

