

Learning Together In God's Love.

We Celebrate Our
Diversity in
Equality!

MANY CULTURES ...ONE SCHOOL!

PARENTS' INFORMATION

EVENING: YEARS 3,4 & 5



Thursday September 17th 2024

Welcome and Good Evening!

OPENING PRAYER



In the name of the Father...

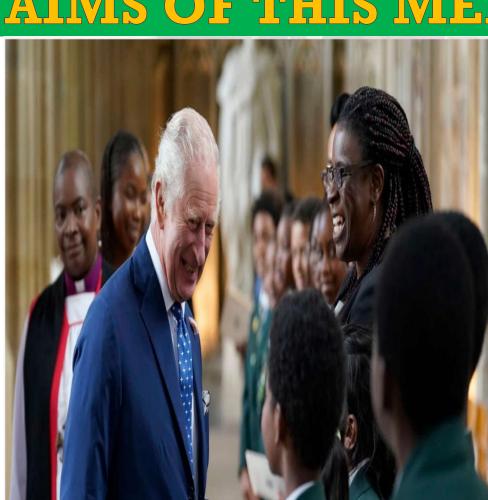
Lord let your Spirit of **mercy and compassion** fill this school and community. Help us all to **strive** to become more like you in all that we say and do.

Inspire us as we look to you for guidance with raising and teaching our children. Help all of our children to enjoy their learning and take delight in their faith. Help them to persevere in their studies and give them the desire to learn all things well with the support of The Head, Governors, their Parents and Teachers.

Bless us all: Parents, Carers and Staff at every level. Let us always endeavour to share our knowledge with gentle patience and help us to try to always bring the truth of your word to their eager minds. Grant that we: staff, parents and carers alike, may follow Jesus Christ- the way, the truth, and the light as we all: Work & Learn Together In God's Love. Amen.

- THE YEAR 3, 4, 5-KS2 DREAM TEAM Mrs Moore - Head Teacher
- Miss Wade- Deputy Head Teacher, RE & Whole School Curriculum Lead and Phase Leader KS2
- Miss Baptiste -AAHT/SEND & Inclusion, DSL & KS2 Co-Phase Leader and CP & Attendance Officer
- Mr Tristram, Mr Curran & Mr HO-Yr. 5 Teachers
- Mrs Effe- Year 5 TA
- Miss Hussein & Miss Rubin-Year 4 Class Teachers
- Mrs Shirley, Miss Mobio, Years 4 HLTAs
- Mr Ahmed & Mrs Koti- Year 3 Class Teachers
- Mrs Carver, Mrs Panesar- Years 3 TAs
- Mr Hodges-PE Lead/OOHL & SEND Programs

AIMS OF THIS MEETING



- To share our Vision &
- Mission -Catholic Life and Mission with all
- Discuss year 3,4,5 workethics and approach
- Talk about our Parent/ School Relationship
- Share expectations on E-Safety & Safeguarding parents' & pupils' Roles
- Share Behaviour Expectations (Policy)
- Share Core Procedures (supporting Policy &

WHAT IS THE SCHOOL'S VISION?



Our VISION at St Antony's Sees Our School With CHRIST AT ITS CENTRE AND OUR CHILDREN AT ITS HEART



As we work as an agent of positive, sustainable change through engaging all stakeholders inclusive of: Governors, Teachers, Parents, Children, Church and Community. We inspire and support all our children and staff from Nursery to Year 6 to work purposefully and collaboratively in school and with all relevant stakeholders and agencies to aspire to achieve to their individual, fullest potential and beyond.

Our school will function as a centre of excellence and an axis of holistic transformation and development within our community by enabling all under our care to aspire to ultimately achieve self-actualisation through sound Spiritual, Moral, Social and Cultural formation while embedding effective behaviour for life and learning. Through sound personal and shared values, we will take a positive, progressive and faith-filled approach to life and living -upholding core Christian and British Values; leading all to the achievement of the highest academic, socio-economic and sustainable life goals individually and collectively possible-ultimately creating a better world.

ACTIONS SPEAK LOUDER THAN WORDS, THERFORE: "LET YOUR WORDS TEACH AND YOUR ACTIONS SPEAK" St Antony of Padua



THE YEAR 3-5 WORK ETHICS





FAITH

- Be Present at school each day in full and correct school uniform
- Be Enthusiastic and ready to work hard and support your peers who may need your help
- Be Prepared by completing your home work fully and to the highest standard and quality. Read & do your own research independently
- Be Confident and approach every task with an "I CAN DO IT!" attitude
- Be Diligent and Focused-put in the extra effort-study your times tables and spelling words daily
- Be A Role Model -become the example that the younger children should emulate-Follow Christ's example and be kind and good
- Be An Ambassador of St Antony's Catholic Primary School prepared to lead, represent and serve

CRUCIAL KS2 PROTOCOLS

- School starts at 8.30 am promptly for Yr. 5 each morning!
 Many Yr. 5 pupils get in by this time daily to get ahead. Some don't!
- School starts at 8.45 am promptly for Yrs. 3 & 4 each morning! Many Yr3 & 4 pupils get in by this time daily -Some are still habitually late! Is your child always on time? Ensure he/she is.
- Absences & Lateness are strictly monitored as these are indicators of a range of concerns. 97% get in early daily -well done!
- Home Work is given weekly to all BUT...we have a few children routinely NOT completing Home Work. Check!
- Knowledge of Times Tables is still not as it should be as only 60% (108 pupils of 180) know their times tables by heart currently across years 3, 4 and 5. BUT...They know video games rules really well & many are expert gamers!
- Spelling is still weak for many children- please practise!
- Handwriting and presentation for many still needs great improvement-practise, practise, practise!

WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS OF HOME WORK?



"Parents who actively support their children's learning will improve their attainment by 25 to 50% "-Professor Charles Deforges



Benefits Of Homework:

Pupils develop metacognition and self-regulation skills

- Develop resilience & Self-Control
- Learns to think critically
- Learns problem solving skills
- Learns research skills
- Develops study skills
- Learn to adapt to changes
- Learn time management
- Learn responsibility and accountability-takes responsibility for outcomes
- Learns to accept consequences and outcomes: work not done well will be done again at break & play.



SCHOOL PROCEDURES

- Holidays in term time are not allowed as
- the Government and Newham Borough have clearly stipulated ~ Families are expected to
- take breaks during the normal school holidays.
- Correct School Uniform: clothes, shoes, ties, tights, haircuts, PE kit/swimming kit must be worn to school daily/as needed. A letter went home last year clearly stating what is allowedmorecopies available today.
- All uniforms should be labelled. Lost uniforms are returned if labelled. Mrs Samuels and staff can be contacted regarding lost property. Lost Water Bottles are numerous in school.
- Any Concerns ~ Discuss matters relating to your child FIRST with the class teacher. If you are still unsure then speak with a member of SLT- your child's Phase Lead..... LAST is speaking to the Head.

CORRECT SCHOOL UNIFORM





Year 1 to 6 PE Kit Worn on PE Days Instead of Uniform



Year 1 to 6 Girls' Uniform





- Black sensible girls and boys school shoes-no boots above the ankle & black /white socks. Girls may wear bottle green, black or white tights.
- Sober and simple haircuts for boys (no Mohawks or designs) boys may also have simple braids
- Simple age appropriate girls' hair styles -natural or braided (no coloured braids or hair extensions)













- Ribbons/hair clips, small beads must be bottle green, yellow, black, brown or white
- No jewellery is allowed excepting small stud earrings in gold or silver for girls only- as these are safe for health & safety purposes
- Boys are not allowed earrings in school
- PE Kit is bottle green jogging bottoms, school jumper, yellow polo, black, white, navy trainers and white socks (no ankle socks!)

OUR BEHAVIOUR MANAGEMENT POLICY

Positive behaviour management is used right across the school at St Antony's.

All pupils begin each day 'ON TRACK'

- Praise, points, rewards, certificates are given for staying on track through the days/Termly
 - If a pupil does not behave or follow instructions
- lst they are given a verbal caution
 - ^{2nd} If the inappropriate behaviour continues their name is moved to **CAUTION**
- 3rd If the wrong behaviour persists the pupil is put on RED ALERT! Resulting in time out or the pupil sent to an SLT member (or the Head)
- For serious infringements or for habitual repeated rule breaking parents are called in & a programme to remediate the behaviour pattern is agreed/put in place.

TRANSITION TO & WITHIN KS2

TRANSITION FROM KS1 TO KS2 IS DIFFICULT-WHY?

- THE WORK IS HARDER & THERE'S MORE TO COVER
- EXPECTATIONS ARE HIGHER...SO YOUR CHILD MUST WORK HARDER TO MEET THE HIGHER EXPECTATIONS
- CHILDREN MUST SPEND MORE TIME PRACTICING
 AREAS THAT NEED TO BE DEVELOPED-SPELLINGS &X TABLES
- YOUR CHILD MUST READ DAILY AND MORE WIDELY
- GREATER RESPONSIBILITY IS PLACED ON ALL
- PRESENTATION OF WORK MUST BE OF THE HIGHEST STANDARD-EXCELLENCE IS THE GOAL!





E-SAFETY & SAFEGUARDING

THE SAFETY AND SAFEGUARDING OF OUR CHILDREN IS A SHARED RESPONSIBILITY.

- OUR CHILDREN ARE NOT ALLOWED PHONES AT SCHOOL
- PARENTS MUST **STRICTLY MONITOR** USE OF ELECTRONIC DEVICES: PHONES, IPADS, LAPTOPS, COMPUTERS ETC.-IS YOUR CHILD IN A GROUP CHAT?
- CHILDREN SHOULD NOT BE GIVEN ACCESS TO CERTAIN WEBSITES OR PLATFORMS AS THEY ARE TOO YOUNG- PARENTAL SUPERVISION MUST BE STRICTER
- IF YOUR CHILD IS ALLOWED TO TRAVEL ON THEIR OWN PLEASE SIGN THE CONSENT FORM & HAND IT IN
- ENSURE YOUR CHILD PROTECTED & IS NOT EXPOSED
- REPORT ANY CONCERNS TO CLASS TEACHERS OR TO OUR DESIGNATED SAFEGUARDING LEAD

OUR NEW RE CURRICULUM



To know You more clearly

The Religious Education Directory

for Catholic Schools, Academies and Colleges in England and Wales



- The New RE Curriculum has started to be embedded across EYFS and KS1-we are starting in the lower school and moving gradually upwards
- The Curriculum is the Religious Education Directory or RED. It is a directory because it is guiding our children and us to get to KNOW GOD MORE CLEARLY. The picture to the left is how the actual book looks
- RE puts our children's faith central to their lives and brings them to deeper understanding of GOD, our Virtues, Values, Catholic Life and Mission
- Our children will be discussing what we believe as Catholics and how we should live our Faith In Action daily linked to our real life.
- Our children will learn to love themselves and know they are all Wonderfully Made by God
- The learning includes Prayer and Liturgy so all our children from EYFS to Year 6 need to learn their prayers: Our Father, Glory Be, Hail Mary, The Angelus, The Nicene Creed, The Confiteor

KS2 CONTINUES WITH COME & SEE



THEMES & TOPICS EARLY YEARS 1 & 2 YEAR 1 YEAR 2 YEAR 3 YEAR 4 YEAR 5 YEAR 6

COME & SEE 'BIG QUESTIONS'

Domestic church family	Myself	Families Why do we have a	Beginnings	Homes	People	Ourselves	Loving
	Why am I precious?	family and who is my family?	Who made the world and everything in it?	What makes a house a home?	Where do I come from?	Who am I?	Do you have to earn love?
Baptism/ confirmation belonging	Welcome	Belonging	Signs & symbols	Promises	Called	Life choices	Vocation & commitment
	Why Is welcome important?	What does it mean to belong?	Are signs & symbols important?	Why make promises?	What does it mean to be called and chosen?	Is commitment important?	What is commitment in life?
Advent/ Christmas loving	Birthday	Waiting	Preparations	Visitors	Gift	Hope	Expectations
	Why do we celebrate Birthdays?	Is waiting always difficult?	Do we need to prepare?	Are visitors always welcome?	What's so special about gifts?	What does it mean to live in hope?	Should we have expectations in life?
Local church community	Celebrating	Special people	Books	Journeys	Community	Mission	Sources
	What and why do people celebrate?	What makes a person special?	Why do we need books?	Is life a journey?	What makes 'community'?	Do we all have a mission in life?	Are books enriching?
Eucharist relating	Gathering	Meals	Thanksgiving	Listening & sharing What's so important	Giving & receiving	Memorial sacrifice	Unity
	Why do people gather together?	What makes some meals special?	Why should we be grateful people?	about listening and sharing?	What's more important - giving or receiving?	Why do we need memories?	Why are we happiest when we are united?
Lent/Easter giving	Growing	Change	Opportunities How does each day	Giving all What makes some	Self discipline	Sacrifice	Death & new life
	How and why do things grow?	How and why do things change?	offer opportunities for good?	people give everything for other people?	Is self-discipline important in life?	Why do we need to make sacrifices?	Can any good come out of loss and death?
Pentecost serving	Good News	Holidays & holydays	Spread the word	Energy	New life	Transformation	Witnesses
	What is good news?	Do we need holidays and holydays?	Why should we spread Good News?	What's the use of energy?!	What's so important about new life?	How can energy transform?	What do I want to witness to in my life?
Reconciliation Inter-relating	Friends	Being sorry	Rules	Choices	Building bridges	Freedom & responsibility	Healing
	Is it good to have friends?	Why should we be sorry?	Do we need rules?	What helps me to choose well?	Why are bridge- builders important in life?	How do rules bring freedom?	Who needs healing?
Universal Church world	Our world	Neighbours	Treasures	Special places	God's people	Stewardship	Common good
	What makes our world so wonderful?	Who is my neighbour?	Is the world a treasure?	What makes a place special?	Why do some people do extraordinary things?	Can I be a steward of creation?	How can we work together to build a just and fair world?

NOW ITS YOUR
TIME TO TALK WITH
THE TEACHERS OF
YOUR CHILDREN.

