



PARENTS' INFORMATION EVENING FOR YEAR 6

***Learning
Together In
God's Love.***



**Thursday September 19th 2024
Welcome and Good Evening!**

OPENING PRAYERS

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 each day.

Inspire us as we look to you for guidance with raising and teaching our children. Help each 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 staff, 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 Together In God's Love. Amen.



THE KS2 TEAM LEADING ON ACHIEVING THE DREAM



Mrs Moore - Head Teacher

Miss Wade- Deputy Head Teacher, RE & Whole School Curriculum Lead and Phase Leader KS2

Mrs Uthman- Class Teacher & History Lead

Miss Baptiste - AAHT/SEND & Inclusion, Literacy and Language Lead

Mrs Oforiwaa- Year 6 Teacher & Maths Intervention

Mrs Radia & Miss Stanley-Cover TAs &Year 6 Interventions

AIMS OF THIS MEETING



- ◉ **To share the Vision & Mission of the school**
- ◉ **Discuss year 6 required work ethics and approach**
- ◉ **Yr. 6 role in Catholic Life & Mission/ Prayer & Liturgy**
- ◉ **Jr Leadership Development-Formation-Servant Leaders**
- ◉ **Share expectations of year 6 parents and pupils**
- ◉ **To share end of year plans for year 6**

Share year six Transition Information

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, THEREFORE: "LET YOUR WORDS TEACH AND YOUR ACTIONS SPEAK" St Antony of Padua

THE YEAR 6 WORK ETHICS



- ◉ **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 Stay On Task** -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- you are the school's Leaders-Emulate Christ in Servant Leadership
- ◉ **Be An Ambassador** of St Antony's prepared to lead, represent and serve with humility and kindness.

CRUCIAL YR. 6 INFORMATION

- **School starts at 8.00 am promptly for Yr. 6 each morning! 85% (51) of our 60 pupils** get in at 8am daily to get ahead now!
- **Absences & Lateness** are strictly monitored as these are indicators of a range of issues. **90% (55) get in early daily. 100% need**
- **Year 6 Attendance** so far is on **average 95% (55) ... so on average 5% of pupils have been** absent and this is week 2.
- **Home Work** is marked first thing each day- we have a few children routinely **NOT** completing Home Work. **Check!**
- **Knowledge of Times Tables** is still not as it should be as only **80%** (48 pupils) know their times tables by heart now.
- **Spelling** is still weak for many children- please practise!
- **Handwriting and presentation** for many still needs great improvement-*practise, practise, practise!*
- **Some children still need to develop the drive, focus and diligence to begin achieving at their personal best. Help!**

OUR BEHAVIOUR MANAGEMENT



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**
- **1st 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 (Head Teacher)**
- **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.**

WHY HELP YOUR CHILD AT HOME?

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



HOMEWORK POLICY

Why do we need homework?

Homework is recognized as being important for a number of reasons.

- It reinforces learning that has taken place during the lesson.
- It can stimulate interest outside of school.
- It can improve academic performance.
- It is seen by most parents as *extremely important* and can strengthen the relationship between School, Pupil and Home.
- It a key issue in raising attainment.

STANDARD 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 (see policy), PE kit/ swimming kit must be worn to school on the days needed.** A letter went home clearly showing and stating what is allowed-copies 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. Lost one?**
- **Any Concerns?** ~ Discuss issues relating to your child **firstly with the class teacher**. If you are still unsure **then speak with a member of SLT** (your child's **Phase Lead**)-The Head is the last port of call.

HOLIDAY BOOSTER SESSIONS

- **During The February Half Term-Monday 17th to Wednesday 19th 2025** there will be **SATS Booster Classes** for all year 6 pupils- tuition is done free of cost -a £5 charge for SATS workbooks!
- These **BOOSTER TUITION CLASSES** are for all the year 6 pupils no matter what level they are
- Boosters Start at 9:00am and end at 1:30pm
- During the **Easter Holiday Break -BOOSTER TUITION CLASSES** are again held for all the year 6 pupils starting at 9am and ending at 1:30pm-these have proven to be very effective with final preparations for SATS. £5 for books
- Let's thank our generous year 6 lead and staff for giving their time so willingly & selflessly.

TRANSITION TO SECONDARY

TRANSITION TO SECONDARY SCHOOL ACTIONS: PARENTS PLEASE SIT WITH YOUR CHILD AND...

- ◉ READ THROUGH THE TRANSITION BOOKLET CAREFULLY WITH YOUR CHILD
- ◉ DECIDE ON YOUR 6 CHOICES IN ORDER OF PREFERENCE eg. 1st choice school first etc.
- ◉ **ENSURE THAT YOU SUBMIT YOUR ON-LINE APPLICATION BEFORE THE DEADLINE 31ST OCTOBER**
- ◉ PAPER APPLICATIONS HAVE THE SAME DEADLINE

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END OF YEAR PLANS FOR YEAR 6

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- Full board accommodation
- Full activity programme
- Full holiday insurance
- Evening entertainment programme



YEAR 6 TIME AWAY WILL BE FULL OF FUN & LEARNING!



Aerial Trek



Tunnelling Room



On Site Lake



Indoor Swimming Pool

THEY WILL BE VERY COMFORTABLE AND WELL LOOKED AFTER IN THEIR ROOMS

There are multi -bed rooms that sleep 6 students in each apartment, with en-suite facilities. Staff Rooms will be located next to each block of rooms on the same building blocks as the children. Senior Staff Members are on duty at all times each day with Staff overseeing and available to any child in need between the hours of 10:00pm and 8:00am. The facilities are secure. Pupils will have access to all the facilities on the grounds with staff always on hand to ensure they are safe and happy.



◎ All Will Sleep In Comfort !

OTHER TRIPS: YEAR 6 TRANSITION DAY & CHESSINGTON WORLD OF ADVENTURES



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



PARENTS AND TEACHERS