St Saviour's Weekly Update

Friday 13th December 2024

Dear St Saviour's Families,

Booking for next term's clubs is now open on Arbor. The list of clubs is also on the school website. If you have any issues with booking, please contact Miss Rogers.

There are bugs galore doing the rounds at the moment... Please have a look at the NHS guidance about when to keep your child off school: https://www.nhs.uk/livewell/is-my-child-too-ill-for-school/

If your child has something contagious, please let us know so that we can notify other families.

Buster

Barcon is entertaining Buster this week! He continues to impress us with his positive attitude, kind heart and great determination in school. He arrives every day ready to take on any challenge and always tries his best. He is always the first person to lend a hand or to ask the adults how they are. He truly cares about his friends and the adults in school and we love having a brilliant young mind like his in Year 1. The extra effort he puts into supporting his friends or completing his learning to the best of his ability does not go unnoticed. Well done Barcon!

> **Dates for this term** Dates are also on the school website.

13.12.24 Groove and Grotto 5:30pm - 8pm
19.12.24 Christmas Service at St Saviour's at 2pm - all welcome
20.12.24 Last day of term - 1:30pm finish

Dates for NEXT term

6.1.25 INSET Day - school closed to children
7.1.25 First day of term
7.1.25 Swimming starts for YEAR 5
W/b 27.1.25 Maths Week
W/b 3.2.25 Parent Teacher meetings

Stars of the Week Nursery - Zayn; Reception - Xandy; Year 2 - Irida;

Year 3 - Noah G; Year 4 - Sané; Year 5 - Paul;

Year 6 - Sofia

Well done for being such great learners!

Attendance

The national target for attendance is **96%**. Our overall school attendance for this week was **96.3%**.

Year 4 and Year 6 tied for the Attendance Cup this week - they both had 97.5%!

Reception 96%; Year 1 95%; Year 2 96%; Year 3 95%; Year 5 95%

Please call in to the Office on each day that your child is sick.

Children need to be in school by 8:55a.m. If they arrive after this time, you will need to sign them in and they will be marked as late.

Please have a look at our Attendance Policy, which reflects the new DfE guidance and is on our school website.

Teacher Angel

This week's Teacher Angel is Miss Hodgson. She is always kind, caring and supportive, and makes all of our lessons fun. We like the jokes that she tells! She organises a lot of performances, like the Nativity, the Christmas Carol service and the Samba band. She really believes in us and is truly talented. Thank you!



Groove and Grotto

The Groove and Grotto is this evening, starting at 5:30pm! If you haven't bought a ticket yet, it's not too late! Tickets will be available on the door. The entrance will be via the playground gate, so please head there!

Have a super weekend, and hopefully see you at the Groove and Grotto later!

Miss Granite



What Three Questions?

Nursery

We learnt about Hanukkah this week. How many candles does a Menorah have?

What is a dreidel? What is it used for?

Mrs Hodgson has been teaching us a new song called 'Turn, turn, turn' so we can sing it in Church next week. Can you sing it to your family with the actions?

Year 3

Geography: What do weather forecasts tell us?

Maths: How can multiplying help us divide?

PSHE: Why should you never share a password with someone online?

Year 4

Geography: Why is the rainforest important?

Computing: What features do we need to include to create an engaging podcast?

Spanish: Can you sing the Christmas song you learnt this week in Spanish?

Year 5

English: What are the prefixes -in and -un used for and can you give some examples?

Maths: What are the different methods for subtraction and how might you choose which one to use?

Science: What happened during your Science experiment? (Use key words)

Year 6

Maths: How do you calculate the percentage of a number?

English: What is a relative clause?

Science: What is the effect of climate change on animals and habitats?

Reception

Literacy: Who is Halibut Jackson? And what does it mean to be shy?

Maths: What different 'parts' can make up the number 4?

Topic: What is the wonderful story behind the festival of Hanukkah?

Year 1

English: What is a time adverbial?

Maths: Can you order the coins from smallest value to largest value?

RE: Why was King Herod jealous?

Year 2

English: What is a conjunction and what it its function in a sentence?

DT: why is silk a tricky material to use when sewing?

Science: what is a food chain and why are producers important?