

# St Saviour's Weekly Update

Friday 24th January 2025

Dear St Saviour's Families,

We have had another busy week at school including visits to Forest School and the Natural History Museum. We are very excited about Maths Week next week - Mr Harding has been planning lots of fun events to celebrate all things maths! All parents are invited in on Friday 31st at 2pm for our problem solving and investigation afternoon - come along and test your grey matter!

#### **First Communion**

First Communion preparation takes place after school, led by Miss Rogers. In addition to Year 3 pupils, pupils in Years 4, 5, and 6 who perhaps didn't take the opportunity to prepare for First Communion in Year 3, or who have arrived at the school after Year 3, are also invited to participate in the preparation. For further details, please contact Miss Rogers. Forms are available from school or at church.

#### Buster

Ethan is taking Buster home this weekend because he has consistently been putting so much effort into his school work. His effort and progress are paying off and it shows, particularly in his writing. He has developed his skills so much since September, and we can't wait to see how he continues to improve. Well done!

# Online Safety

Each week, I will send home a guide about an aspect of online safety. This week's guide is all about Health and Fitness apps.

# Dates for this term

Dates are also on the school website.

**W/b** 27.1.25 Maths Week

W/b 3.2.25 Parent Teacher meetings - appointments are now bookable via Arbor

**7.2.25** Movie Night for Y5 and Y6 - look out for more information from the PTA

W/b 10.2.25 Year 6 to Sayers Croft

11.2.25 Safer Internet Day

14.2.25 Last day of term - normal finish time

Stars of the Week

Nursery - Rory; Reception - Mikkel;

Year 1 - Constantinos; Year 2 - Joy; Year 3 - Charlie;

Year 4 - Arthur; Year 5 - Remi; Year 6 - Joanna Huge congratulations!

#### Attendance

The national target for attendance is 96%. Our overall school attendance for this week was 92.5%.

Year 3 won the Attendance Cup this week with 99% - fantastic!

Reception 89%; Year 1 90%; Year 2 98%; Year 4 92%; Year 5 90%; Year 6 90%

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.

This guidance from the NHS has more information about when children need to be kept home from school: https://www.nhs.uk/live-well/is-my-child-too-ill-for-school/

# Teacher Angel

Miss Bonaldo is this week's Teacher Angel. She is very nice, kind and loving, and she has a gentle personality. She is extremely helpful and is great at helping the children with their work in class. She looks out for them in the playground and helps them if they get hurt. Thank you for everything you do!

Wishing you all a fantastic weekend, especially if you are celebrating Burns Night!

Miss Granite



# What Three Questions?

# Nursery

Our book of the week was Goldilocks and the Three Bears. Can you tell your family the story?

Fr Chris visited on Thursday and he answered all Nursery's questions. What did he say was his favourite colour?

We have been learning about sizing this week. Can you find three things in your room that are big, medium and small and put them in size order.

# Reception

Literacy: What colour can be found a lot in 'The Magic Paintbrush' illustrations and what does it mean in Chinese culture?

Maths: What is another name for vertices on a shape?

Phonics: Can you spot the 'air' trigraph in your favourite picture books?

#### Year 1

RE: How are Muslim babies welcomed into the world?

Science: What are the properties of a roof?

Geography: What is the difference between physical and human features?

# Year 2

RE: How do Muslims show they are committed to their faith?

English: what is a paragraph?

Maths: what does the word 'difference' mean in maths?

# Year 3

English: What is the difference between a resolution and a conclusion?

Maths: Thinking of fractions, what is similar between thirds and sixths?

Science: Can you remember the meaning of motion, surface, resistance, texture and tilt?

#### Year 4

Maths: What is 1/7 of 42?

R.E: How did Moses feel about following God's call?

Science: What are our canines used for?

#### Year 5

Maths: How do we know if a number is divisible by 9, 4 and 10? Give examples.

History: What is democracy?

R.E: Why do Sikhs look to Guru Har Rai about care for the creation?

#### Year 6

Science: How can reflection be used to help us see?

History: Why was it necessary for children to evacuate?

Math: What are different quadrilaterals and their properties?