

St Augustine's Catholic Primary School

Week ending Friday 12 September

Attendance Matters!

This week's attendance (last week's in brackets)	Number of days missed	Number of lates
Rec: 95.15% (90.91%)	4	0
Y1: 94.63% (87.07%)	8	0
Y2: 95.33% (86.25%)	7	4
Y3: 96.33% (92.08%)	5½	0
Y4: 91.72% (93.10%)	12	0
Y5: 96.07% (90.83%)	5½	1
Y6: 97.69% (98.56%)	3	0



ATTENDANCE – 95.25%
It is important that we remind you that your child needs to be in school every day. Our school attendance has to exceed 96% EVERY week and this will only happen with your support. Thank you.

PUNCTUALITY – 5 lates
This is a very good start to the year. Keep it up, everyone!

ATTENDANCE CHAMPIONS - Year 6
Well done Year 6. You are carrying on the tradition and high standards set by last year's Y6. It's up to every other class to see if they can topple you next week!

Fact of the Week

Reception	Can you clap to 10?
Year 1	God created the world in seven days.
Year 2	> greater than; < less than.
Year 3	When we learn the 2X table we can double the number.
Year 4	The flute is a woodwind instrument.
Year 5	A subordinate clause adds extra information to a sentence. This makes them more interesting.
Year 6	Remember when you are rounding - 5 and above you round up, 4 and below you round down.

☆ Stars of the Week ☆

Rec: Emily Shovlin	Bo Han Li
Y1: Nadia Kozakiewicz	Jamie Le Ashford
Y2: Niko Mucha	Elyssa Macarulay
Y3: Theo Shelley	Nelly Kosinska
Y4: Avijeet Aytain	Jai Aulak
Y5: Simranpreet Mudhar	Erica Macarulay
Y6: Benedicta Adzebeye	Mateusz Piendak

'Work' of the Week, Year 6

Year 6 have been researching and learning about important figures in the Old Testament. Mateusz has researched Joseph and given us lots of information about him. His drawing is great too (look at in colour on the internet - www.staugust.bham.sch.uk in Newsletters in the News and Diary section)

Thursday 11th September, 2014.

People of God

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* to know the names of important figures in the Old Testament

Can we name some characters from the Old Testament?

Abraham, Isaac, Jacob, Joseph, Moses, and King David

Joseph forgave his brothers

Joseph did not want to speak to his brothers

He tried to share his dreams

He was sold as a slave

He looks bad

Joseph was a very kind boy and man

Joseph had lots of dreams

Joseph had 11 brothers

Joseph loved his father very much. He was Jacob's favourite son.

He was given a special coat by his father

His brothers tried to kill him

Super work, you found out lots of facts about Joseph from the bible.

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SCHOOL NOTICES

You will be receiving some very important information by post within the next couple of weeks. Please make sure that the office has up-to-date addresses for your child's legal guardians especially if you live separately.

SAFEGUARDING

- **ATTENDANCE:** Information will be circulated soon giving the latest update on expectations and requirements. Please check p16 of the Prospectus which can be found in the Parents' Information section on our website; www.staugust.bham.sch.uk
- Please let office staff/teachers know immediately of any changes to contact details in case we need to contact you urgently.
- Remember to contact school first thing in the morning if your child is absent for any reason.
- Children should be collected **ON TIME** and by the notified adult. Please let us know if there are any changes to the named person due to collect your child.

'Farm to Fork'



Visits to the new Tesco store in West Bromwich are coming to an end. Half of Year 5 visited today (Friday) and the last of the Y5 children are going next Friday – have you returned their permission slips? We are very grateful to Tesco and their staff for this wonderful initiative. The children (and staff) have all enjoyed seeing 'behind the scenes' and having tasters of food they might never have tried if they hadn't visited the store.

Shared Lunch



Congratulations to Virginia, Ethan, Nikola, Joseph, Jessica, Oskar, Melissa, Oliwier, Oliwia S, Piotr, Tamyne and Mateusz who all shared lunch with Miss McGrath and Mrs Porter. Children are selected for showing acts of kindness, hard work, enthusiasm and sensible behaviour throughout the week.

PTA News

The PTA AGM will be held during week beginning 29 September. Look out on the newsletter for the date. Any parent who would like to be on the PTA will be welcome at the meeting.

PASSPORT APPLICATION FORMS



If you need to have an application form checked and verified by Mrs Stanley, or any other member of staff, please note that we are asking for a donation of a minimum of £5 for School Fund. Other professional people (GPs, solicitors etc) will ask for much more than this!

Mrs Stanley cannot sign any forms for pupils who have been in the school for less than two years

Class Information

Rec: Please ensure that you have returned parent agreement forms and that all clothing is named.

Year 1: have you replied to the class meeting letter? All children should have a named water bottle.

Year 2: Thank you to all who attended the class meeting. PE is on Tuesday and Thursday – bring your kit and your water bottle.

Year 3: *It was a pleasure to meet parents at the meeting. Bring in a water bottle with your name on.*

Year 4: *Please complete all homework and remember to name PE kit.*

Year 5: *Please ensure that all homework is being completed and homework diaries are being signed.*

Year 6: Please ensure that your child has full PE kit in school. PE day is Wednesday for Yr6.. Please encourage children to complete all homework tasks that have been set.