

# St Augustine's Catholic Primary School

Week ending Friday 6 February 2015

## Attendance Matters!

This week's attendance (last week's in brackets)	Number of days missed	Number of lates
Rec: 91.38% (96.52%)	3	0
Y1: 97.00% (97.67%)	3	5
Y2: 99.32% (84.18%)	1	1
Y3: 94.67% (96.30%)	7½	3
Y4: 93.33% (97.04%)	8	2
Y5: 95.56% (98.89%)	6	1
Y6: 91.00% (96.89%)	10	1



**ATTENDANCE – 95.48%**  
Our attendance has fallen again. Please send your children to school if they have a headache or the sniffles – we will send them home if they are not fit to be in school.



**PUNCTUALITY – 13 lates**  
A great improvement in punctuality – unfortunately some of the children who are late are coming in VERY late, often missing the most important part of the day when the most intensive teaching is taking place.



**ATTENDANCE CHAMPIONS – Year 2**  
What a fabulous week after last week's disastrous attendance. Mrs Tran, Mrs Delahaye, Mrs Porter and Mrs Chudzik are all THRILLED with your almost 100% attendance this week, and Mrs Stanley is OVER THE MOON!!

## Work of the Week, Year 4

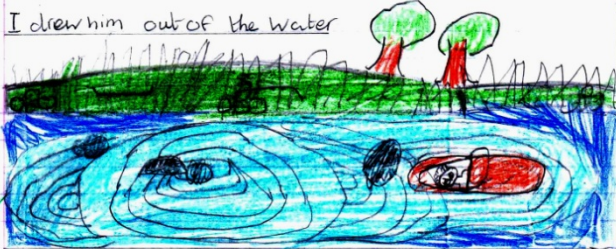
Tuesday 3rd February 2015

Moses and the Burning Bush

Lo 10 ✓

\* To understand the story of the birth of Moses - Ex 2:1-10  
\* To understand the story of the Burning Bush Ex 3:1-20

I drew him out of the water



Why was Moses living away from the Israelites?  
Moses was living away from the Israelites because people hated something he killed Egyptian. ✓

Describe the burning bush! Score Use senses

Why are you asking me to go back? ✓

Will you guide me? ✓


Why is the tree burning? ✓

What will happen to me? ✓

Why did you choose me? ✓

Will you help me when I go to Egypt? ✓

some super questions to ask God.



Year 4 pupils have been learning the stories of Moses this week and Randul has drawn a fabulous picture of Moses in the bulrushes. He has also written some very thoughtful questions that Moses may have asked God.  
Thank you, Randul.

## Fact of the Week

Reception	We have been making cubes this week
Year 1	You go up a ladder and down a snake when playing snakes and ladders
Year 2	1000ml is equivalent to 1 litre; 1000grams is equivalent to 1 kilogram
Year 3	We can use an addition number line to help us with subtraction.
Year 4	The bottom number of a fraction is the denominator
Year 5	When we use translation our shape slides to a new position
Year 6	A year has 365 days or 52 weeks or 12 months

## ☆ Stars of the Week ☆

Rec:	Anna Pham	Daniel Faraj
Y1:	Kevin Gierak	Zion Evbadoloyi
Y2:	Peter Makarewicz	Vanessa Molowicka
Y3:	Aundre Singh	Julia Zyla
Y4:	Emmanuel Baruti	Aishwariya Frank
Y5:	Cole Bailey	Natasha Kallay
Y6:	Nikola Zaorska	Emmanuel Idiaghe

## CANCELLED CLUBS

Please note that there will be no ICT or SATs Club on Thursday 13 February as the Valentine Disco is being held on that day.



Children may come to school in their 'disco outfit' if they are staying or just come in non-uniform if they are not going to the disco.

- All the children have done so much amazing work over the last few weeks. We are delighted with your progress - keep up the good work!
- Our School Council members are having detailed discussions about ideas that different children have put forward. We shall report back soon on their plans.
- Thank you for attending the Y6 Sacramental meeting and Inspire workshop this week. The date for Confirmation is Thursday 26 March - we look forward to welcoming Bishop Byrne again this year.
- **There will be NO SATs Club or ICT Club on Thursday 12 February because of the Disco**



**READ, READ, READ**

How are you getting on with our World Book Day Challenge? Thursday 5 March is the deadline for reading as many books as you can.

### THE WEDNESDAY WORD

Special word of the week is 'Prayer' and St Thomas Aquinas said, "The Lord's Prayer is the most perfect of prayers." God created us to pray, to be with him and to talk to him.

### PTA

Our DISCO is to be held next Thursday, 12 February. Raffle tickets are selling well and we have lots of lovely prizes. The raffle will be drawn on Friday 13 February. Any more donations of suitable prizes are still welcome. Thank you for your generous support.

### NON-UNIFORM DAYS

Wear your Disco outfits on Thursday. If you are not going to the Disco it is still a non-uniform day.

Wear **RED** on Friday for Chinese New Year.

### Shared Lunch



Congratulations to Grace, Avaani, Nicholas, Sandra, Joshua, Ketrin, Dzesika, Randul, Shanae, Credo, Wiktorina and Emmanuel who all shared lunch with Miss McGrath. Children are selected for showing acts of kindness, hard work, enthusiasm and sensible behaviour throughout the week.

### ATTENDANCE - REQUESTS FOR LEAVE IN TERM TIME

Please be aware that all requests for leave in term time will be forwarded to the Court Section of the Education Welfare Department.

As a school we shall then follow the advice given.

### FREKWENCJA -PROSBY O WOLNE W OKRESIE SZKOLNYM

Prosze miec na uwadze, ze wszystkie prosby o wolne w okresie szkolnym beda przekazywane do oddzialu sadowego Departamentu Edukacji Szkolnej. Jako szkola bedziemy wiec postepowac wedlug zalecen tego Departamentu.

### SAFEGUARDING



### ATTENDANCE MATTERS FOR EVERY CHILD

May we remind you that all children should be in school every day and on time? The doors open at 08:50 so that children can be in class ready for the day's activities by 09:00.

If your child has a cold or feels slightly unwell, please bring them to school. We monitor the children closely throughout each day so if your child is not well enough to stay at school, we shall contact you.

Children who are absent from school for odd days or longer periods of time often find it difficult to catch up on their learning and they are at risk of missing out on important "building blocks" in their education.

### PLEASE BE AWARE

Parking or stopping on zig-zag lines and/or on the school driveway is illegal and unsafe, putting children's lives in danger. Registration numbers of vehicles parked unsafely and illegally will be passed on to the police.

Thank you to all those parents who always park safely and considerately.

### Class Information

**Rec:** Please send in boxes of tissues for all our sniffly noses - thank you.

**Year 1:** Thank you for helping your child with number bonds. Keep up the good work.

**Year 2:** Look out for different containers around the house and check how much weight or liquid they can hold.

**Year 3:** *Your extended writing was fantastic, Year 1. I really enjoyed reading your Science fiction stories. I wonder where the robots will visit next!*

**Year 4:** Please check that all PE kit is clearly named, including pumps.

**Year 5:** Please ensure that homework is being done and that PE kit is in school.

**Year 6:** *Thank you for all your help and support this week at our Confirmation meeting and Inspire workshop. It was lovely to see so many of you here.*