

# St Augustine's Catholic Primary School

Week ending Friday 11 December 2015

## Attendance Matters!

This week's attendance (last week's in brackets)	Number of days missed	Number of lates
Rec: 96.33% (93.33%)	4½	1
Y1: 92.67% (98.00%)	11	1
Y2: 98.93% (99.29%)	1½	4
Y3: 94.00% (96.67%)	9	3
Y4: 98.00% (96.67%)	3	3
Y5: 94.29% (96.67%)	8	0
Y6: 98.57% (97.14%)	2	1



**ATTENDANCE – 96.08%**  
We have a slight drop in attendance this week. We hope everyone will be 100% fit for all the parties and trips next week!



**PUNCTUALITY –12 lates**  
Our punctuality is starting to deteriorate. Let's see if we can all be on time next week ready to enjoy all the fun.



**ATTENDANCE CHAMPIONS – Year 6**  
Well done to Year 6 class – only 2 days' absence and one late. That's what we like to see!  
Keep up the good work!

## ☆ Stars of the Week ☆

Rec: Sandra Dobrzanski	Oliwia Domowicz
Y1: Ridas Nenius	Daniel Faraj
Y2: Nadia Kozakiewicz	Oliwier Misieczko
Y3: Nico Mucha	Eryk Krawczyk
Y4: Olivier Szlauer	Rajan Shoker
Y5: India Thakore	Olivia Larenta
Y6: Annaliese Davis	Cameron Williams

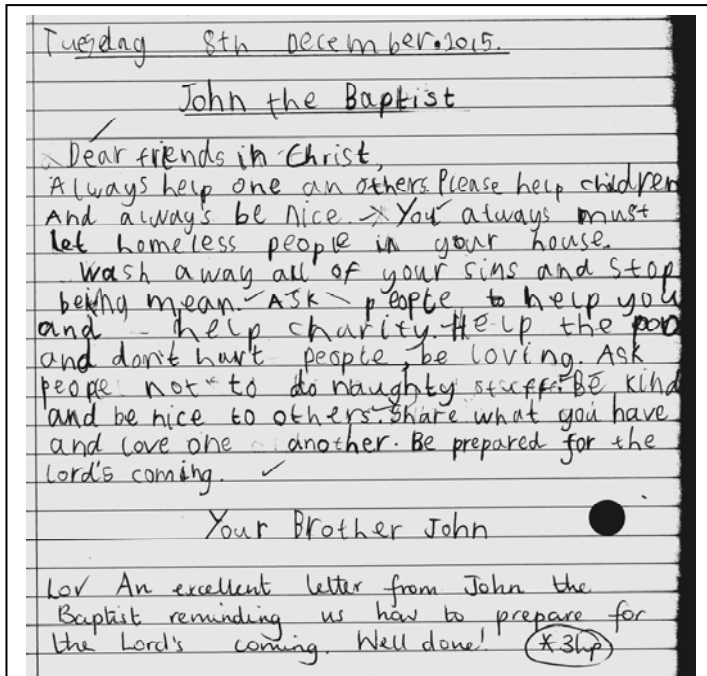
## THE SEASON OF ADVENT

During the third week of Advent, we think about JOY. We light two purple candles and a pink one to help us think about HOPE, PEACE and JOY as we draw closer to the time when we welcome Jesus.



Jesus, you are joy even in the saddest times. Help us to praise you when we are upset or grieving. Shine joy into our hearts, we pray.  
Amen.

## Work of the Week, Year 2



Children in Y2 have been learning about John the Baptist and the important part he played in preparing the people for the coming of Jesus. Nathan has done an excellent piece of work and thoroughly deserved his 3 house points. Well done, Nathan.

## Fact of the Week

Rec'n	A hexagon has six sides.
Year 1	7 x 2 is the same as seven sets of two.
Year 2	We can present data in many ways eg block graphs, tables, lists and pictograms.
Year 3	We can use our mathematics knowledge to help develop our mental maths skills.
Year 4	We tell the time with 12 hour or 24 hour clocks.
Year 5	The scale used for a graph can make the same data visually look different.
Year 6	Factors are numbers that fit into another number equally eg 4 is a factor of 16.

## PARKING

Jesteśmy bardzo zaniepokojeni faktem, że pomimo wielokrotnych próśb, niektórzy rodzice w dalszym ciągu zatrzymują się lub parkują na zygzakowanej linii przed szkołą, na chodniku lub nawet na środku drogi! Policja poprosiła nas o zanonowanie numerów rejestracyjnych samochodów, które naruszają regulamin kodeksu drogowego. Szczegóły dotyczące wszelkich incydentów zgłaszanych w sekretariacie zostaną przekazane naszemu oficerowi, który będzie monitorował sytuację i zapewnił nas, że osoby popełniające wykroczenia będą ścigane.

We remain VERY concerned that, despite repeated requests, a small number of parents still continue to stop or park on the zig-zag lines outside school, on the pavement or even in the middle of the road!

The police have asked us to note the registration numbers of cars which are contravening the bye-laws and the Highway Code. Details of any incidents reported to the school office will be passed on to our beat officer who will monitor the situation and has assured us that offenders will be prosecuted.

## IMPORTANT SCHOOL NEWS



- † Christmas Nativities and Carol Services in Foundation Stage and Key Stage Two were amazing this week. Key Stage One Nativity will start at 14:00 on Monday.
- † Members of our choir sang and read beautifully in St Chad's Cathedral today. Well done!
- † Clubs, including football activities, are now finished for the term. Football and Imaginering Clubs will re-start on 05 January.
- † Other clubs will be offered out after the holiday.
- † Party Day is next Thursday - non-uniform for everyone. Friday will also be a non-uniform day.
- † We shall all be attending Mass on Friday 18 December at 09:30.
- † School closes for the holidays at 13:30 PROMPT on Friday 18 December.
- † We re-open at 08:50 on Tuesday 05 January 2016.

### THE WEDNESDAY WORD

Special word of the week is "JOY" -

Experience the joy of God's love by sharing it with all those you meet.



There is only just over one week until our Christmas raffle is drawn. Results will be announced on Wednesday 16 December. You must be "in it to win it" so make sure you buy your tickets as soon as possible. Sold tickets must each be clearly named.

### SAFEGUARDING

**Electrical Safety First**  
electricalsafetyfirst.org.uk

At this busy time, remember to check that electrical sockets are working correctly and cables are stored safely.

### E-SAFETY!

Check out the e-safety section on our website by looking in the "Web Zone" area.



### FRED'S CHRISTMAS SOUNDS!



Thank you for all the Christmas words using Fred's sounds. Prizes will be awarded in assembly on Monday.

Keep up with your daily reading and speed sound practice and remember to bring in your homework to share with your group leader.



### Shared Lunch



Congratulations to Anna P, Max, Karolina, Marcel M, Bartosz K, Christian, David, Oskar, Aishwarya, Avijeet, Thu and Vuong who all shared lunch with Miss McGrath and Mrs Porter. Children are selected for showing acts of kindness, hard work, enthusiasm and sensible behaviour this week.

### Class Information

**Rec:** What super performances from everyone in Reception for our Christmas Nativity! We are so proud of you.

**Year 1:** Year 1 has a lovely duo of singers - well done Anna Pham and Alexandra DaCosta.

**Year 2:** Don't forget our Christmas production at 2pm on Monday - we would love to see you all there!

**Year 3:** Congratulations to Nikola's family on the birth of Vanessa. Please bring in £3 party money on Monday.

**Year 4:** Congratulations on your marvellous speaking and singing in our Carol Service this week.

**Year 5:** Well done for all your hard work learning lines and lyrics for our Christmas service.

**Year 6:** Well done everyone for your fabulous effort in the school Christmas Carol Service.