

# St Augustine's Catholic Primary School

Week ending Friday 11 March 2016

Attendance Matters		
This week's attendance (last week's in brackets)	Number of days missed	Number of lates
Rec: 89.03% (95.33%)	17	0
Y1: 85.33% (91.67%)	21½	1
Y2: 87.33% (96.33%)	19	2
Y3: 90.67% (94.33%)	14	3
Y4: 98.67% (99.33%)	2	2
Y5: 93.57% (96.07%)	9	1
Y6: 94.81% (93.33%)	7	4



**ATTENDANCE – 91.66%**  
This is much too low – PLEASE send your child to school every day. If they have coughs or sniffles, they should be in school!



**PUNCTUALITY – 13 lates**  
Not as good as last week – please try harder next week.



**ATTENDANCE CHAMPIONS – Year 4**  
Another great week, Year 4! Just one day's absence and two lates. Keep up the good work!

## Fact of the Week

Rec'n	We have planted 4 rockets and 3 jesters!!!
Year 1	There are 1000ml in a litre.
Year 2	You can count on to find the difference between 2 numbers.
Year 3	We use RUCSAC when solving Maths problems.
Year 4	Add 12 to the hour to change pm to 24 hour time.
Year 5	The Elgin Marbles debate still continues today.
Year 6	The internal angles of a pentagon add up to 540°.

## ☆ Stars of the Week ☆

Rec: Lily Slowik                      Nicole Spolnik  
Y1: Ishmael Clarke                Anna Rozewska  
Y2: Lovejeet Malliya              Jan Przywara  
Y3: Joseph Feenan                Elyssa Macarulay  
Y4: Patryk Szkiler                Kamilla Lawrence  
Y5: Brian Kruczkowski          Rihanna Brazier  
Y6: The Netball Team - Silver in High 5 Competition!

## Work of the Week: Reception Class



## PTA EASTER DISPLAY

Have you made a start on your art work for our display Wednesday 23 March? There will be a prize for every entrant.



Jubilee Year of Mercy



2016

**Lord Jesus Christ.**

**You have taught us to be merciful like the heavenly Father.**

**You have told us that whoever sees you sees Him.**

**Show us your face and we shall be saved.**



The children in Reception have had another busy week. They planted their Rockets and Jesters (types of potato, in case you hadn't guessed!) They also practised drumming ready for the Performing Arts Assembly on Thursday morning- please come.

## IMPORTANT SCHOOL NEWS

- † We hope you all received this week's special letter about respect. If your child did not bring home a copy, please let us know and we shall print more copies. Respect in the way we speak to and treat others is vital if we are to live in a peaceful and tolerant society rooted in Gospel Values.
- † Thank you for supporting Y6 pupils at their Confirmation with Bishop Byrne on Monday.
- † Pupils in Y3 and Y1 will be having tennis lessons during their PE time on Tuesday afternoons after Easter.
- † Thank you for your generous donations today to support Sr Margaret and her team at St Chad's Sanctuary. Additional donations of jeans, suitcases, fleeces, jumpers, new underwear and men's toiletries are always welcome, as well as dried foods eg pasta, rice, lentils etc.
- † Next Friday's fund-raising event is to support the work of Sport Relief across the world. Parents are welcome to join us in walking a mile around the playground from 13:45. Children need to bring a donation of 50p - parents' donations are also welcome on the day. Our generous acts help to deliver the Corporal Works of Mercy as Jesus himself did throughout his life.
- † All parents are welcome at our Performing Arts Assembly on Thursday 17 March.

All Children  
deserve to feel-



### EASTER RAFFLE

Raffle tickets are selling well. Remember, you can buy them any day from your teacher.

### THE WEDNESDAY WORD

Special word of the week is: "NEW START"



"This very moment, I may, if I desire,  
become the friend of God." St Augustine

"Yesterday is gone. Tomorrow has not yet come. We have only today. Let us begin." Blessed Mother Teresa

### Shared Lunch



Congratulations to Krista, Max, Wiktorina D, Kevin G, Paulina, Raul, Julia, Joshua H, Leoni, Avijeet, Eleonora and Natasha 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.

### RESPECT FOR OTHERS



Always think before you speak or act:  
what effect will my words or actions have on  
someone else?

### READ WRITE INC

Parents of Y2 pupils learned a lot about Read Write Inc at our special workshop last Friday. If you want to know more, please let us know!



### St Patrick's Day – 17 March

Our cook is preparing a special meal next Thursday. If any of the sandwich children would like to have one, please send in £2.10 on Monday in a named envelope.

### Class Information

**Rec:** Please come to Performing Arts Assembly on Thursday – Reception and Nursery Children are performing!!

**Year 1:** Make sure you all have PE kit for Tuesday and Friday

**Year 2:** Please learn your 2x, 3x, 5x and 10x tables by heart.

**Year 3:** Thank you to all Y3 children who supported Y6 with their Confirmation. The singing was beautiful!

**Year 4:** Please complete homework and learn spellings for Monday's test.

**Year 5:** ALL children MUST have PE kit in school on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday EVERY WEEK. Thank you to all those who helped with Y6 Confirmation.

**Year 6:** A super well done to the Year 6 Netball Team for winning silver on Thursday in the Consortium competition. They came 2<sup>nd</sup> out of 16 teams!