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Dear Parents/ Carers,

I cannot believe we're breaking up for half term. Time is zooming by. This half term has been amazing. The children are thriving!

Thank you, as always, for your continuous support.

If you have you have any queries or concerns please do catch me at the school gate at the beginning or end of the school day or email me francesmoore@st-augustines.nottingham.sch.uk

CLASS	%
Reception NK	82
Reception SP	93
Year 1	96
Year 1/2	94
Year 2	91
Year 3	94
Year 3/4	97
Year 4	93
Year 5	92
Year 5/6	94
Year 6	95

ATTENDANCE AND BEING ON TIME COUNTS TARGET:

All classes 96%

A huge well done to **Year 3/4 Miss Smith's class 97%** attendance! 2 treat squares from me!

Overall School Attendance: 93%



Remember St Augustine's is now on Twitter! To keep up to date with everything the school is doing please follow us **@staugustinesNG3**.

There will be lots of photos and updates on Twitter when join today.

Punctuality

Please ensure that your child arrives at school no later than 8.55am.

This is the time school starts and every minute counts!

If your child arrives late it has a huge impact on their academic progress and disrupts the teacher's lesson (which has already started).

Thank you for your support in this.

Mrs Moore

Going Cashless

Please can we ask that all parents sign up to our new online payment system called Arbor. This is where you will be able to pay for school dinners and school trips,. We will no longer be excepting cash for school dinners or school trips.

You should have received a link via email to sign up, if you are having issues doing so please contact the office.

Arbor

Thank you





Keeping up to date

Have you changed your phone number recently? Do we have your most up to date email address? It is very important for the office to have the most up to date contact information for you just in case we need to get in contact. If any of these have changed please pop into the office and we will get them changed for you.

Calling All Year 6 Parents

If your child is in Year 6 don't forget to apply for your child's place for Year 7 on the following website:

www.nottinghamcity.gov.uk/ startingsecondary

If you require a supplementary form for the school you are applying for, these are available from the office. If you require help with apply then please don't hesitate to come to the office where we can assist you with this.

Save the date!

School Christmas Dinner will be on Thursday 15th December. We will be announcing the menu for that day shortly!



First Holy Communion Programme

If you would like for your child to take their First Holy Communion the forms are now available from St Augustine's, Our Lady & St Edward's and Sacred Heart churches from this weekend. Any child who is baptised Catholic and in Year 3 or above is welcome to join the preparation programme. Forms can be picked up from church and must be returned to the parish, not school. The final date for getting forms in is the 18th December. If you have any questions about the programme, please contact the parish office on 0115 9118266 or speak to one of the priests after Mass.

Sickness

If your child is unwell with a sickness bug, please remember that your child is to remain off school until 48 hours after the last time they were sick or have diarrhoea, this is to prevent them passing on any bugs to other children.

With the recent cases of scarlet fever we would also like to remind parents that if your child develops a rash you will need to seek medical advice before your child is allowed to attend school, this is to prevent contagious illnesses such as chicken pox, measles and scarlet fever from potentially spreading around the school.

We still ensure regular hand washing and deep cleaning of the school to minimise the spread of infections.



School newsletter





Year 3 and 4 Stone Age Showcase

LKS2 showcased their amazing learning of their History Stone Age to Iron Age topic. The parents were invited to watch their epic film (with all 90 children featuring!). The parents could visit a cave, sit around the fire and hear our stories!



FS2 Superhero Stay and Play

FS2 had a Superhero Stay and Play . They had a wonderful time, making capes, reading stories and pretending to be superheroes.







Movie Night Fundraiser!

Lights, camera, action! The school loved their film at cinema night! We have raised over £300 that will be spent on the children. The Well-being Working Party are deciding what is needed. Thank you for your generosity.



Diwali Art Winners

Well Done!







Bake Sale

The children all did such a wonderful job with the amazing cakes they brought in for the school bake sale. We're so impressed by their creativity and talent they have shown.

We raised just over £150 which will go towards things for the children.

Thank you for your generosity!







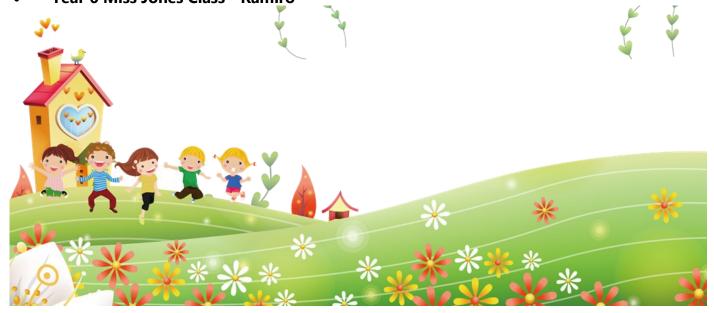
Wellbeing Ambassadors



We are proud to present our wellbeing ambassadors, who will be trained by Miss Thomas to lead positive change and increase wellbeing and resilience throughout our school.

We can't wait to see what they achieve!

- Reception Miss Knight's Class Arrabella
- Reception Miss Pankhania's Class Khadijah
- Year 1Miss Littlewood/ Miss Doherty Class Rio
- Year 1/2 Mrs Bates/ Miss Balcombe Class Lidya
- Year 2 Mr Edge Class Simba
- Year 3 Miss Svarvas-Jones Class Abigail
- Year 3/4 Miss Smith Class Sophia
- Year 4 Miss Rice-Allen/ Mrs Rice Class Ibrahim
- Year 5 Miss Healy Class Cae
- Year 5/6 Mr Napthine Class Seyi
- Year 6 Miss Jones Class Ramiro







DIARY DATES ADVENT

Please keep this safe-New Dates Added

Date	Event	
Monday 17th October 2022	School Closed - October Half Term	
Monday 31st October 2022	School Opens- 8.45am	
Wednesday 2nd November 2022	2.00-3.00pm F2 Miss Knight's Class Teddy Bear Hospital— School hall	
Thursday 3rd November 2022	2.00-3.00pm F2 Miss Pankhania's Class Teddy Bear Hospital— School hall	
Wednesday 9th November 2022	2.00-3.00pm F2 Miss Pankhania's Class Teddy Bear Hospital—School Hall	
	Y1/2 Wollaton Hall– Environmental Art Trip (more information to follow)	
Tuesday 15th November 2022	Parents' Evening 4.00pm– 6.00pm	
Thursday 17th November 2022	Parents' Evening 4.00pm– 6.00pm	
Friday 18th November 2022	Snow White Panto– School Hall (more information to follow)	
Monday 21st-23rd November 2022	Year 6 Briars Residential Trip	
Monday 21st November 2022	F2/ Reception to visit St Augustine's Church	
Wednesday 30th November 2022	Year 3/4 Curriculum Showcase (more information to follow)	
Tuesday 13th December 2022	KS1 Christmas Performance (more information to follow)	
Wednesday 14th December 2022	Reception/ F2 Nativity Performance (more information to follow)	
Thursday 15th December 2022	• F2 and Year 1 The Singing Mermaid (more information to follow)	
	Christmas School Dinner Day	
Wednesday 21St December 2022	Inset Day—School Closed	
Thursday 22nd December 2022	School Closed- Christmas Holidays	
Wednesday 4th January 2023	School Opens - New Term	









School Term Dates and Holidays for 22/23

Date	Event
Monday 17th October 2022	School Closed for Half Term (2 weeks)
Monday 31st October 2022	School Opens form new Term
Wednesday 21st December 2022	INSET DAY
Thursday 22nd December 2022	School Closed for Christmas Holidays
Wednesday 4th January 2023	School Opens for New Term
Friday 10th February 2023	INSET DAY
Monday 13th February 2023	School Closed for Half Term (1 Week)
Monday 20th February 2023	School Open for New Term
Monday 3rd April 2023	School Closed for Easter Holidays (2 weeks)
Monday 17th April 2023	School Open for New Term
Monday 1st May 2023	Bank Holiday School Closed
Monday 22nd May 2023	INSET DAY
Monday 29th May 2023	School Closed for Half Term (1 Week)
Monday 5th June 2023	School Open For New Term
Monday 3rd July 2023	INSET DAY
Tuesday 25th July 2023	Last Day of School
Wednesday 26th July 2023	School Closed for Summer Holidays







SAFEGUARDING

Keeping children safe is our priority. If you have any concerns please contact the following:



Mrs F Moore - Headteacher headteacher@st-augustines.nottingham.sch.uk



Mrs L Bates – Deputy Headteacher laura.bates@st-augustines.nottingham.sch.uk



Miss N Knight – Early Years Lead natasha.knight@st-augustines.nottingham.sch.uk



Mrs L Neve - SENDCO
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Nut Free School

Please can we ask that parents do not send their child to school with nut products.

This includes Nutella, Peanut butter, Pistachio nuts and Muesli Bars.

This is due to us having several children at school with severe nut allergies.

Thank you for your continued cooperation with this.

