



School newsletter



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Dear Parents/ Carers,

I thought it would be pertinent to remind us all about our Gospel Values at St Augustine's. I hope as we continue our Lenten Journey we can demonstrate these values to each other.

Furthermore the effective relationship between school staff and families is fundamental to help all our children thrive and to provide support and guidance when needed. We often refer to this relationship as the 'golden triangle - parents/carers, child, school'. We really value the support from you and welcome contact regarding your child/ren and this often helps the school run smoothly. The vast majority of this communication is both helpful and constructive. Fortunately, it is rare at St Augustine's, but there are odd occasions when genuine concern spills over into communications that are unreasonable in tone. We understand there are times when you are worried about your child or a particular situation and we are always here to listen and help. However, I have a duty of care to my staff and will act to protect them from any communication that is inappropriate and could cause deep upset to individuals who dedicate themselves tirelessly to serve our children. Where this is the case, staff have been asked to pass this communication to a member of the senior team who will communicate with you.

If 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

Attendance w/c 20th March 2023

Above National Average

National Average

Below National Average

F2 NK	F2 SP	Year 1	Year 1/2	Year 2	Year 3	Year 3/4	Year 4	Year 5	Year 5/6	Year 6
96%	97%	96%	94%	94%	96%	97%	93%	99%	96%	97%

Our Attendance target is 95%. This we are 95.4%!

Well done to Year 5 Miss Healy's Class who had the highest attendance with 99%.

School Website

Remember to check the School website for all the latest information and updates

[Home - St Augustine's Catholic Primary Academy - Nottingham \(st-augustines.nottingham.sch.uk\)](http://st-augustines.nottingham.sch.uk)



Don't forget, your views are so important to us.

You can register on Ofsted's website and then there are just a few questions to answer about our school, it only takes a few minutes. You can find the website at:

<http://parentview.ofsted.gov.uk/>



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Fundraising for 4Louis

Here at St Augustine's we are proud to help support this charity and have supplied many books towards its fundraising.

If you would like to find out more about this please follow the link below.

[4Louis \(enthuse.com\)](http://4Louis.enthuse.com)

Thank you to Mrs Wilson for your support in this.



Punctuality

Please ensure that your child arrives at school no later than 8.55am. As the gates close at 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



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.

Easter Egg Raffle

In the last week of term, we will be holding an Easter Egg Raffle. Raffle tickets will be sold for £1 per strip. Tickets can be handed into the school office and extra tickets may be purchased there.

If you are able to donate an Easter Egg to the raffle, it would be greatly appreciated. All of the money raised will go towards funding additional activities in school.

Thank you for your support.



Autism Awareness Fundraiser

Due upcoming autism awareness in early April I would like to invite you to support me in my charity event, which will begin on 26th March till 2nd of April. Every year I am taking part walk for Autism. (Link to my page it is added to this email below). Main idea is not only to spread awareness understanding and acceptance, but also raising money for autistic children and their families. As a mum of autistic child, I have experienced many difficulties but never stopped fighting for better future my autistic son. I hope I can count on you and your wonderful school's staff. Even small donations make huge difference.

Katarzyna Pasztelan-Curny

<https://www.walkforautism.co.uk/fundraisers/katarzynapasztelan-curny>



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Part of
OUR LADY OF LOURDES
CATHOLIC MULTI-ACADEMY TRUST



Exploring RE Topics in school

We explored our RE Topic with the help of Luke and Issie. We thought about Lent being a time of change, and the big change that happened when Jesus died for us on the cross then rose again. We drew pictures for each of these three special days and wrote why they are important.

This Easter join us for some fun holiday activities



Spring Live Holiday Camp

Free* for ages 7 to 13

Monday 3 April and Tuesday 4 April

Tuesday 11 April and Wednesday 12 April

10am to 2pm (Lunch provided)

Brendon Lawrence Sports Centre

35 Hungerhill Road, NG3 4NB

Book your place with your vouchers from school



Activities also available at the National Ice Centre and The Greenway Centre

*Free sessions for families in receipt of free school meals

Follow us on social media - Facebook - Instagram - Twitter





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St Ann's Community Orchard *Community Open Day*

Saturday 25th March 2022
12noon to 3pm



The Orchard is
open for all
ages to
enjoy the
space



Outdoor
seasonal
activities for
local people & families

Book free tickets: www.staa.eventbrite.com
or text Richard on 07447 561887.
The Community Orchard is on
St Ann's Allotments, off Ransom Road,
look out for the yellow signs.



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DIARY DATES ADVENT

Please keep this safe- **New Dates Added**



Date	Event
Monday 27th March 2023	Miss Rice's Class Roman Author Visit at Nottingham High Infant and Junior School 1.45pm – 2.45pm
Tuesday 28th March 2023	Parents' Evening 3.40pm - 6.30pm
Thursday 30th March 2023	Parents' Evening 3.40pm - 6.30pm
Friday 31st March 2023	Heritage Day - Dress to impress. Wear your culture.
Monday 3rd April 2023	School Closed - Easter Holidays
Monday 17th April 2023	School Open - New Term
Wednesday 26th April 2023	Year 3 and Year 4 Victorians in History Trip
Thursday 27th April 2023	Phonics Workshop 3.30pm
Monday 1st May 2023	School Closed - Bank Holiday
Monday 8th May 2023	School Closed - King's Coronation
Tuesday 9th May– Friday 12th May 2023	KS2 SATS Week
Thursday 18th May 2023	Phonics Workshop 3.30pm
Monday 22nd May 2023	School Closed - Inset Day
Monday 29th May 2023	School Closed - Half Term
Monday 5th June 2023	School Open - New Term
Thursday 22nd June 2023	Phonics Workshop 3.30pm
Thursday 29th June 2023	Year 2 Wollaton Park Camping Trip (more information to follow shortly)
Thursday 13th July 2023	Phonics Workshop 3.30pm





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School Term Dates and Holidays for 22/23

Date	Event
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 8th May 2023	Bank Holiday for King's Coronation 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



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.





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Safeguarding at St Augustine's

Learning to Serve - Loving to Learn

Who do you talk to in school about safeguarding concerns?



Designated Safeguarding Lead – Frances Moore



Deputy DSL – Laura Bates

Who do you talk to if you have concerns about a colleague...What if it's the Head you are worried about?

If you have a concern about a colleague – always report to **Headteacher**

If you have a concern about the Headteacher – report to the CEO of the Trust

Mr James McGeachie j.mcgeachie@ololcatholicmat.co.uk

LADO - Caroline Hose caroline.hose@nottinghamcity.gov.uk