



# School newsletter



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Dear Parents/ Carers,

A very quick 4 day week, full of learning and fun!

The children are so focused and making every second count! I'm very proud of the progress they're making. Let's keep it up!

Don't forget that 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](mailto:francesmoore@st-augustines.nottingham.sch.uk)

Thank you for your continued support.  
We hope you enjoy this week's highlights.

Mrs Moore

## Attendance w/c 1st May 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 |
|-------|-------|--------|----------|--------|--------|----------|--------|--------|----------|--------|
| 98%   | 92%   | 98%    | 98%      | 99%    | 95%    | 98%      | 93%    | 99%    | 98%      | 95%    |

**Our Attendance target is 95%. This week we are 95.98%!**

**Well done to Year 2 Mr Edge's Class and Year 5 Miss Healy's class who both had the highest attendance of 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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## Toasty Thursdays

We know that our children love Toasty Thursday but it's not now possible to do this weekly.

So instead of Toasty Thursday it will now be Tuckshop Thursday, we will be keeping the popular items such as waffles but adding new items such as home made cookies (which will be freshly made every Thursday) and a fresh fruit option.

We hope that the Key Stage 2 children will embrace these changes as much as they embraced the toast.



## Miss Kratus Cancer Research Fundraiser

This month Miss Kratus has decided to walk 100 miles to raise awareness and money for Cancer research. Ellie (her furry companion) and Miss Kratus kick started the challenge with a 10 miles walk. If you would like to find out more about her fund raising please follow the link:

<https://fundraise.cancerresearchuk.org/page/dorotas-giving-page-20>



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## King's Coronation Art Competition 2023

All children in years F2-Y6 are invited to enter our art competition to celebrate the coronation of King Charles III. King Charles is a known supporter and enthusiast of climate action and the environment, therefore we have decided to base our competition around environmental art.

**Can you create a piece of artwork about the environment? You may wish to use items found in the environment (flowers, leaves, stones, recycling etc..) to use within your piece or may prefer to draw or paint objects you see in your local environment.**

Here are a few ideas of pieces others have created:



Please give your entries (printed photographs of work are also ok if your work cannot be brought in) with your name and year group on to your class teacher by **Friday 19th May**.

A winner from each key stage will be chosen and the winners will be notified and prizes given during Celebration Assembly on **Friday 26th May**.

**Miss Doherty**  
**Art Co-ordinator**



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**FREE**

## PLAY & CONNECTION WORKSHOP



Open to all parents and carers of children at St Augustine's!

What?

Explore play-based skills and ideas to support your parent-child relationship



When?

Wednesday 17th May  
2.30pm

Where?

St Augustine's Catholic Primary, in the school hall

Book your place!

Call the school office to confirm your place  
0115 915 6995





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## DIARY DATES ADVENT

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



| Date                                  | Event   |
|---------------------------------------|---|
| 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                                     |
| Friday 26th May 2023                  | St Augustine's Feast Day Celebration                          |
| 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 (sign up on Arbor now open) |
| Monday 3rd July 2023                  | School Closed—Inset Day                                       |
| Thursday 13th July 2023               | Phonics Workshop 3.30pm                                       |

### Polite Reminder

To confirm no parents or family members should be coming into school and entering classrooms under any circumstances unless they have an appointment.

**If anything needs to be passed to a child, this should be done via the office.**

**This is to ensure the safety of the children at all times.**

Please contact the office if you have any questions regarding this.



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.**





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## School Term Dates and Holidays for 22/23

| Date                     | Event   |
|--------------------------|---|
| Monday 8th May 2023      | Bank Holiday for King's Coronation<br>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**

**The governors and staff at St Augustine's take seriously our responsibility to promote the welfare and safeguarding of all the children entrusted to our care.**

**Mrs Moore and Mrs Bates are the designated teachers for Child Protection issues and will refer any serious concerns to Social Care.**

**We will always do our best to work in partnership with parents. We will liaise with Social Care and our Attendance Service in the best interests of the child.**

**Who do you talk to in school about safeguarding concerns?**



**Frances Moore**



**Laura Bates**