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# NEWSLETTER

Dear Families,

What a beautiful afternoon it is. It's so lovely to have the sun shining, and it looks as though the good weather will continue into next week while we are on our break.

Please don't forget to check out Instagram for an even bigger update on all the exciting things that have happened this week — including this afternoon's Colour Dash!

We have had another wonderful week and a very successful half term, during which so much progress and character building has taken place. We have welcomed visitors from different schools who came to see the excellent work happening at St Augustine's, our website has been updated, and we are already planning for our new cohorts. It is all very exciting.

This week, the Musical Theatre group performed their Seasons of Love show to a packed audience. The performance was excellent and made me feel incredibly proud of everything our children achieve at St Augustine's.

We also had a very special day yesterday as we celebrated the Feast Day of St Augustine of Canterbury (officially during next week). It was a lovely opportunity to focus on our mission and to talk about service and love in a child-friendly and meaningful way.

And don't forget you can catch me at the school gate at the beginning or end of the school day or email me at [frances.moore@st-augustines.nottingham.sch.uk](mailto:frances.moore@st-augustines.nottingham.sch.uk)

Wishing you all a lovely break, and thank you, as always, for your continued support.

Kind regards,  
F. Moore  
Headteacher

## OPAL Donations

As you may be having a sort out over half term we would love any toys or lego/building blocks for OPAL play that you may be clearing out. If you have any you can donate we would be really grateful.  
Miss Rice



## Word of the Week: Trinity

*"The Trinity teaches us that God is love"*  
Pope Francis

## Gospel Value of the Week: Love

*"Spread love everywhere you go. Let no one ever come to you without leaving happier."*  
Mother Teresa



## School Activities And Clubs

Did you know that there are many clubs and activities that run through out the school year? Please see below for our current clubs and keep an eye out as there are new clubs starting all the time.

**Monday:** Musical Theatre Club

**Tuesday:** KS1 Morning Phonics (invite only)  
Year 1/2 Athletics

**Wednesday:** KS1 Morning Phonics (invite only)  
Year 5/6 Athletics

**Thursday:** KS1 Morning Phonics (invite only)

**Friday:** KS1 Morning Phonics (invite only)

### Pupil Voice Groups at lunch-times:

Gospel Values Team, School Council, House Captains, Eco-warriors , Well Being Ambassadors

## OPAL Play

It's been a den-making kind of day at OPAL Play!

Loose parts, big ideas, and reusable materials transformed into imaginative shelters built entirely by the children. Innovation starts with play.



## Musical Theatre Club

This week we had the wonderful Musical Theatre Club perform their Seasons of Love program. It was simply stunning, and we were all so impressed — definitely West End standard! We can no say how proud we were of everyone that took part. T





## Dairy Dates

Wednesday 10th June 2026	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Year 2 Camping meeting for Parents 2.30pm</li><li>• OPAL Stay and play for parents 9.15-10.15am</li></ul>
Thursday 11th June 2026	Year 6 Briars Meeting for Parents 2.30pm
Wednesday 17th June 2026	Afterschool OPAL Stay and Play 3.45-4.30pm
Thursday 25th June 2026	Musical Theatre Club Reward Trip to London to see Hercules the Musical 7.15am -7.30pm on Arbor now
Thursday 2nd-3rd July 2026	Year 2 Camping Trip to Camp Redwood - on arbor now
Wednesday 8th- 10th July 2026	Year 6 Briars Residential Trip - on arbor now
Monday 13th -Friday 17th July 2026	Sports and Wellbeing Week - more information to follow
Wednesday 15th July 2026	Open Afternoon 3.30pm to 4.30pm - more information to follow
Thursday 16th July 2026	Year 6 Musical Performance of ALADDIN - more information to follow
Friday 17th July 2026	Year 6 Musical Performance of ALADDIN - more information to follow
Thursday 23rd July 2026	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Year 6 Leavers Mass in School Hall 10am</li><li>• Year 6 Leavers Disco 5pm-7pm</li></ul>
Friday 24th July 2026	Year 6 Leavers Assembly 9.10am school hall Last day of the academic year.
Monday 27th July 2026	School Closed - Summer Holidays

## Every Second Counts

Our Attendance target is 96%. This week we are 93.34%  
Well done to Year 1/2 Class who had the highest attendance of 99%



Keep upto date with all the amazing things happening on our new Instagram page below:



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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 – Mrs F Moore**



**Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead**

**Ms E Burrows**



**Designated Safeguarding Person**

**Mrs C Soulsby**

**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** [jmcgeachie@okatholicmat.co.uk](mailto:jmcgeachie@okatholicmat.co.uk)



St Augustine's



2025/2026

# Make a Difference Become a School Governor

## Parent or Foundation Governor?

We are excited to share that we are seeking candidates for a Parent Governor role and that the Diocese are recruiting Foundation Governors.

### Who is eligible to apply?

#### Foundation Governor

- ✓ Practising Catholic
- ✓ Over 18 years old
- ✓ Be committed to attending the relevant meetings.
- ✓ Be prepared to play an active part in a Local Governing Body's work

#### Parent Governor

- ✓ Be a parent or an individual exercising parental responsibility, of a registered pupil at the school.
- ✓ Be committed to attending the relevant meetings.
- ✓ Be prepared to play an active part in the Local Governing Body's work

Full eligibility criteria for both roles available upon request.

Want to know more? Contact us



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Join us - your skills matter!  
No experience needed - just commitment and passion.

