### **Mission Stars**

### Congratulations to our award winners!

Nursery	Tigers	Leopards	Dolphins
	Daniela	Ella	Мо
	Sharks	Caterpillars	Butterflies
	Isla	Bobby	Kyan
Reception	RKP	RVR	RJG
	Aurelia	La-Mayah	Richy
Year 1	1RB	1WT	1LM
	Elvina	Kiera	Eliza
Year 2	2AH	2VH	2SB
	Oliver	Frankie	Johan
Year 3	3AL	3PS	3TL
	Jessica	Onna	Evangeline
Year 4	4MS	4EO	4AD
	Nathanial	Phoebe	Alfie
Year 5	5HC	5TL	5DB
		Skyla	Benjamin
Year 6	6TW	6FC	6MF
	Bella		Poppy



# Attendance and Punctuality W.E. 20<sup>th</sup> October 2023

Overall	94%	
Attendance		
Best in KS1	RJG	
Best in KS2	5TL	
<b>Best Punctuality</b>	NAM & 4AD	



# St Anthony's Bulletin

"Let your words teach and your actions speak."

Date: 20<sup>th</sup> October 2023

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# Dates for your diary

**30**<sup>th</sup> **October** – Back to school

**30**th October – 3rd November – Book Fair

**31**st October – Year 1 Reading Breakfast @ 8.45am

3<sup>rd</sup> November – 2AH class assembly @ 9.00am

10<sup>th</sup> November – 6FC class assembly @ 2.15am

**13**<sup>th</sup> **November** – Height and weight checks for Reception and Year 6

17th November – 2VH assembly @ 9.00am

# Pope Francis says:



"Like the Good Samaritan, we are called to be neighbours to all the wayfarers of our time, to save their lives, to heal their wounds and to soothe their pain."

# Messages from Mr Johnson

It has been a fantastic first half-term of the year. We feel, after the disruption of the last few years, that our school's community spirit has returned to its fullest and the children have had some wonderful experiences they will hopefully remember forever. With the huge success of the Macmillan Coffee Afternoon and Great St Anthony's Bake-off, a special visit from Bishop Mark, Year 5's incredible performance of Romeo and Juliet, and many of our classes exploring all our local area has to offer through school trips, school has had a special buzz this half-term. We hope all of our families have a lovely half-term break and we look forward to welcoming the children back on Monday 30th October.

### Year 4 trip to Castleton

On Wednesday, Year 4 visited the rural village of Castleton as part of their Geography topic. During the trip, they visited the famous Blue John Cavern, exploring the history of the site where Romans discovered Britain's rarest mineral, Blue John, almost 2000 years ago! They also carried out fieldwork in the village, recording types of land use to compare with land use in the city of Manchester.

#### **Year 5 Performance**

On Thursday, our very talented group of Year 5 children put on another impressive drama performance. Each class portrayed a different scene from William Shakespeare's Romeo and Juliet, and I'm sure the audience will agree, they did us proud once again. The courage and maturity the children have shown during this project has amazed us and the children have grown so much in confidence. What a wonderful experience for them all!

#### Mini Vinnies Commission Service

On Tuesday, our new Mini Vinnies from Year 5 were invited to a service of commission at St Aidan's Church. The children then went next door to the church hall where the fantastic team at the Hope Project Foodbank collected our harvest donations and explained to the children the impact the generous donations have on the community. A very fitting job for our new Mini Vinnies!

### 3PS Assembly

3PS delivered a thoughtful assembly this afternoon around the theme of Harvest and Cafod Family Fast Day. They spoke beautifully and showed how well they have settled into the juniors. Well done 3PS!

### **Sports News**

This week, our girls' football teams played in the second fixtures of the year. As always, they did us proud and played brilliantly, showing respect and determination. We are so pleased to have so many girls interested in Football this year!



#### **Attendance Prizes**

Last weeks Attendance prize winners, RJG and 5HC, have enjoyed a special treat this week, and this afternoon we announced our attendance winners for this half-term. Well done to Lilly in 3TL who won a £20 Cineworld voucher and Zac in 4AD, who won a £15 Amazon voucher!



#### **Year 1 Reading Breakfast**

The Year 1 Team would like to invite all parents and carers to a Reading Breakfast on Tuesday 31st October at 9.00am in the Junior Hall. During the morning you will have the chance to enjoy a good book and a hot chocolate with your child, and the kitchen have also very kindly offered to make some of their delicious biscuits. The Year 1 teachers will also be there to offer support and guidance on how you can support your child's reading journey.



#### Scholastic Book Fair

The popular book fair will be back at St Anthony's the week beginning 30<sup>th</sup> October. The book fair will be open each day after school in the Dining Hall from 3.00pm – 3.30pm.



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