



# St Francis of Assisi Catholic Primary School

Newsletter—No. 22

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At St Francis of Assisi Catholic Primary School, God is at the heart of our school. We try, everyday, to follow Jesus' commandment 'Love one another as I have loved you'. We do this through love for our families, our friends, and our school. We respect our environment and recognise our responsibility for it. We encourage in each other a love of learning. We rejoice in each others' uniqueness. We place prayer and worship at the centre of everything we do. We are a community of love dedicated to God. Our school is somewhere we can grow together.

Dear Parents and Carers,

Happy St David's Day! The children in St David's house had the opportunity to wear yellow today. It looked like spring had sprung! The House Captains led an informative assembly all about St David today.



Don't forget there are a few days left to purchase tickets for the PFA Mother's Day presents. These can also be purchased for a grandma, a big sister or even a dad. It's for whoever looks after you and really deserves a treat.

Thank you to everyone who came to parents' consultations this week. It was a great turn out and I thoroughly enjoyed chatting to so many of you. Zebra Class will have their consultations after Easter, date to be confirmed. Panda class's parents, who were supposed to have appointments yesterday, will also be rescheduled.



Can I please ask that when communicating with any members of staff, that they are treated with respect and kindness and as per our code of conduct – set a good example with speech and behaviour. As a Catholic school, we seek a peaceful solution to all issues and do not tolerate any aggressive behaviour (including verbally or in writing) towards any one in our school community.

Thank you for your support and consideration in this matter.

Next week promises to be a busy week with World Book Day on Thursday (dress up as a word) and character cap day on Friday (uniform with an optional character cap). It is also the deadline for mother's day purchases with the PFA (Sunday 3rd March 11pm). If you are able to volunteer at the sale on Wednesday please contact the PFA through the Facebook page.

I hope you all have a great weekend and that the weather is better next week!

With kind regards,  
Mrs Winton





## Photographs

The school photographer will be in school on Monday 18th March at 9.00am to take Class photographs.

All children should come to school in their school uniform. There will be no PE that day.

As you are aware, we have a NO nut policy in school. Please can I ask parents to ensure that snacks and packed lunches are free from food items that may contain nuts. This includes sandwich fillings such as Nutella/Peanut Butter.

We have now updated this to include SESAME. We have children with severe allergies who are at risk of anaphylactic shock.



## ED SHEERAN -THURSDAY MORNING CHOIR

Please can we remind you that Ed Sheeran Thursday Morning Choir has been cancelled until Thursday 25th April.



## Cancelling Easy Lunch Hot Dinners

**Sickness**  
If your child is sick you can cancel a meal by 9am on the day and receive a credit. Cancellations can be made by telephone (answerphone), text or email.



### **Trips**

If your child is going on a trip you need to cancel your meal 9 days in advance to receive a credit- the same deadline as online booking. To cancel the meal scroll through the meals on that day until the box is blank.



Please can we remind you to label everything your child brings to school with their name so that if lost, it can be returned to them.



St. Francis PFA

# Mothering Sunday Sale

Wednesday 6th March

£3.00 per gift

Children will have the opportunity to come and purchase from a selection of gifts during school time. Extra gifts available after school subject to availability

**Tickets available online from now until 11pm on Sunday 3rd March.**

**We will not be able to accept orders after this date**

<https://www.pta-events.co.uk/pfa-stfrancis>

 **Cramley - Parents & Friends of St Francis**



## ATTENDANCE AND PUNCTUALITY



Congratulations to Toucan Class for achieving 100 % attendance and Bumblebee Class for achieving 99% this week.

Perfect Punctuality Pizza slice awarded to :

Toucan, Panda, Zebra, Meerkat, Seal, Koala, Wallaby, Bumblebee & Ladybird classes.

## Diary Dates

### March

**Tues 5**— Wallaby Class Assembly 9.05m— parents/carers/grandparents welcome

**Wed 6**— PFA Mothering Sunday Sale

**Thurs 7**—**World Book Day**—children can come to school dressed as a word.

**Fri 8**—Children to come to school in uniform but can wear a **character cap**— a hat/head piece linked to a character in a book



Ladybird: Molly-Mae Casimir  
Bumblebee: Alexander Hatcher  
Koala: Ava Wilson  
Wallaby: Max Pearson  
Penguin: Sanath Nadakuditi  
Seal: Michaela Mathew  
Meerkat: Elizabeth Marrs  
Zebra: Bianca Olejnik  
Armadillo: Hanna Szyalik  
Raccoon: Akenya De Silva  
Leopard: Micah Simon  
Panda: Maria Jaskiewicz  
Toucan: Lydia Gunning  
Alpaca: Stephanie Cunha



Ladybird: Jayden Nayee  
Bumblebee: Emma Ciocan  
Koala: Logan Pereira  
Wallaby: Victoria Haxho  
Penguin: Aiden Leonce  
Seal: Lukas Janusas  
Meerkat: Neriah Ephraim  
Zebra: Emilia Kowalska  
Armadillo : Lilly Coomber  
Raccoon: Ethan Maskell  
Leopard: Saneesh Patel  
Panda: Luka Wozniak  
Toucan: Julia Zmuda  
Alpaca: Naomi Grant

## Child Protection and Safeguarding

At St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Primary School, we are committed to promoting the welfare of all our pupils, ensuring they feel safe and can place their trust and confidence in any adult that is working in, volunteering for or visiting the school.

The designated Safeguarding Leaders at St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Primary School are Mrs Winton, Mrs Jones and Miss Date