

St George's R.C Primary School Newsletter

January 2023 ~ Spring Term

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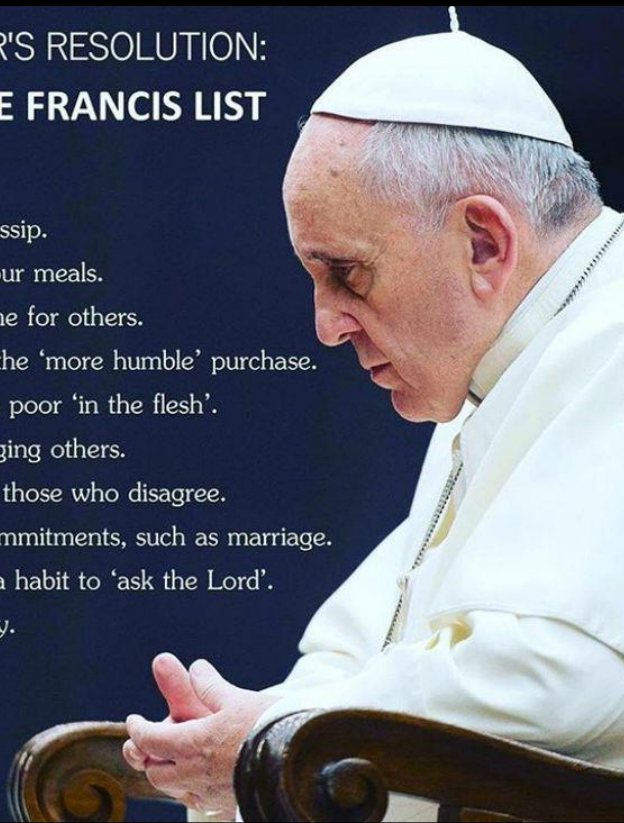
We would like to wish all of our children and families a very Happy New Year!

NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTION: THE POPE FRANCIS LIST

1. Don't gossip.
2. Finish your meals.
3. Make time for others.
4. Choose the 'more humble' purchase.
5. Meet the poor 'in the flesh'.
6. Stop judging others.
7. Befriend those who disagree.
8. Make commitments, such as marriage.
9. Make it a habit to 'ask the Lord'.
10. Be happy.

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MINI DRAGONS' NURSERY NEWS

We still have a few places left at our super nursery! If you haven't had a tour around or met our nursery staff, please DO call into school and we will be very happy to show you around!



PARKING OUTSIDE SCHOOL:

Please be mindful of the residents on Winterscale Street and Winterscale Court.

Some parents have been inadvertently blocking the gates of residents and blocking the turning circle making it impossible for residents to leave their houses.

Thank you.



SCHOOL WEBSITE

Please remember to check our website for information. ALL of the dates you need are on there for the whole term under the 'KEY DATES' photo on the home page.

Under RE newsletters, you will find all of the Masses and celebrations for each term. EVERYONE is welcome to attend all celebrations on Thursdays at 9:30.

Our school Facebook, Twitter and Instagram are also brilliant ways to keep up to date with what's happening. The live twitter feed is on the website so you don't have to have a twitter account to keep up to date.

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Stick me on your fridge dates for the year. We always send these out in the previous July and they're also on the website ~ but here's a handy reminder for all new parents x

Date	What's happening?
Monday 5th Sept	INSET day for teachers ~ children are NOT in
Tuesday 6th Sept	TUESDAY ~ SCHOOL OPENS TODAY ~ CHILDREN ARE BACK!
Wednesday 19 th October	Parents' Evening in the school hall ~ see how your child has settled in
Friday 21 st October	School closes at the end of today for half term
Monday 31 st October	MONDAY ~ SCHOOL OPENS TODAY ~ CHILDREN ARE BACK!
Thursday 10th November	Remembrance service in school ~ all parents invited
W/C Monday 14 th November	Anti-Bullying Week
Wednesday 30 th November	Crib Event and Advent lanterns in playground at 5pm ~ all welcome
Tuesday 6 th Dec	Christmas play / pantomime treat for the children am (EY,KS1 then KS2) EY Christmas play and KS1 NATIVITY @ 13:30 ~ all parents welcome
Wednesday 7 th Dec	EY Christmas play and KS1 NATIVITY @ 9:30 ~ all parents welcome
Thursday 8 th Dec	KS2 Christmas celebration in Church @ 10:15 ~ all parents welcome
Friday 9 th Dec am	EY visit to Auden House Care Home ~ volunteers needed to help please
Wednesday 14 th Dec	Christmas parties! (NO FOOD NEEDED) Christmas Jumper Day! Bring £1 for the SVP Christmas dinner (and crackers!)
Thursday 15 th December	Children's Carol Service in school 9:30am ~ all welcome
Friday 16 th Dec	Christmas holidays start today at the END of today!
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Tuesday 3rd Jan	TUESDAY INSET DAY ~ Children are NOT in today
Wednesday 4th Jan	WEDNESDAY ~ SCHOOL OPENS TODAY ~ CHILDREN ARE BACK!
Wednesday 11th Jan	SATS meeting year 6 @09:00 (half hour meeting for all year 6 parents) Family and individual school photos ~ from 08:30 (pre-schoolers welcome)
W/C Monday 6 th February	Children's Mental Health Week
Tuesday 7th Feb	e-safety day
Thursday 9th Feb	Last day before half term. School closes at the END of today for children
Friday 10 th February	INSET DAY ~ SCHOOL CLOSED ~
Monday 20 th February	MONDAY ~ SCHOOL OPENS TODAY ~ CHILDREN ARE BACK!
Wednesday 22 nd February	ASH WEDNESDAY ~ Ash Wednesday liturgy in School Year 6 parent's evening in school
Thursday 2 nd March	World Book Day! Dress as your favourite book character!
Wednesday 22 nd March	PARENTS' EVENING (not year 6) 15:00-19:00
Friday 31 st March	SCHOOL CLOSES at the end of today for EASTER
Monday 17 th April	MONDAY ~SCHOOL OPENS TODAY ~ CHILDREN ARE BACK!
Thursday 27 th April	St George's Day Celebration 9:30 ~ all welcome
Monday 1st May	BANK HOLIDAY
Monday 8 th May	SATS week for year 6 ~ breakfast in school every morning.
Friday 26 th May	School Closes at the END of TODAY for half term
Monday 5 th June	MONDAY ~ SCHOOL OPENS TODAY ~ CHILDREN ARE BACK!
Tuesday 6 th June	Year 6 off to Robin Wood Year 4 statutory times tables tests start this week (make sure your child knows them all!)
Thursday 8 th June	Pentecost — whole school celebration @9:30 ~ all welcome
W/C 12 th June	Year 1 statutory phonics check
Friday 16 th June	Class photos! Wear school uniform not PE kit
Thursday 29 th June	Reception new starters welcome meeting 6:30 pm
Wednesday 5 th July	Transition day! Meet your new teachers! Year 6 to their secondary schools
Thursday 6 th July	Year 6 Leavers' Mass ~ Bar Convent York @2:00
Tuesday 11 th July	Leavers' plays! 9:30 and 6:30 ~ all welcome
Wednesday 12 th July	Sports day!! Different classes at different times ~ will be sent nearer the time
Wednesday 19 th July	End of year reports out to parents
Thursday 20 th July	Year 6 leavers' Awards Ceremony ~ in school celebration just for children
Friday 21st July	LAST DAY OF SCHOOL TODAY!!! WHOLE SCHOOL picnic for children

Individual School Photos – Wednesday 11th January.

Nursery children who don't attend on a Wednesday are welcome to come into school for their photo.

Nursery children who don't attend on a Wednesday can arrive at the school office from 08:30.

Thank you



Clean jumper
Brushed hair
BIG smile!!

Please make sure you have credit in your parent pay account.

All school dinners, breakfast club and Dragons' Den need to be paid for in advance.

We are not permitted to allow parents to accrue any debts.

Thank you



Pre Loved School Uniform!
Please call to the school office if you need any school uniform!
Remember: ALL children in school must wear indoor shoes. A pair of plimsolls or soft indoor shoes are perfect.



Lastly....thank you very much for all the lovely emails and messages of support I received when we had to close school for children last week because of the boiler being broken!!

I was very conscious of the fact that parents were very inconvenienced!! One message just said, "It is all fine - stop stressing! We appreciate how much you've kept us informed".

So **THANK YOU** to all of you for your support for your lovely school.

Mrs Statham x

Reporting absences:

All absences due to illnesses need to be reported on **STUDY BUGS**.

Please download the app to your smart phone.

THANK YOU x

