

Newsletter



~St. Anne Line Catholic Junior School~

Reporting Absence

Please report your child's absence on Study Bugs or phone the school office before 9:15am 01268 470444

School Emergency / Snow Closure - Please check the school website

Head Teacher's Notice

Friday 8th November 2024

I hope you all had a restful half-term break. At school this week, the children have come back eager to learn, and have especially enjoyed completing their 'Poppy Art' ready for exhibition and sale during Remembrance BIG Breakfast which took place Our Big Breakfasts are Friday morning. always such incredible events and this week's one was another success. Thank you to all the families who attended and enjoyed coming together as a SAL Junior family; we LOVE having you all in school. Please remember to check our school Instagram page to see the Poppy Art Exhibition and check out if you have been caught eating one our famous bacon rolls!

Massive thanks also given to the parents of Year 6 children who were able to attend the parent-teacher Zoom consultations this week. The feedback was so positive.

Have a wonderful and restful weekend.

God bless. Miss N. Watson

Prayer

Ever-living God

We remember those whom You have gathered from the storm of war into the peace of Your presence; may that same peace, calm our fears, bring justice to all peoples, and establish harmony among the nations, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

"Greater love has no one than this: to lay down one's life for one's friends." John 15:13

SCHOOL DIARY DATES

CHILDREN'S REMEMBRANCE ASSEMBLY

The children will pay remembrance in an assembly, led by our Faith Disciples and observe a minutes silence at 11am.

Monday 11/11/24

MARTIN LUTHER KING HOUSE POINT **REWARD BREAKFAST**

ONLY THE CHILDREN in Martin Luther House to attend (no parents). 8am

Thursday 14/11/24

JOURNEY IN LOVE AND INCLUSION DAY

Children can come to school dressed in bright colours on this day. See letter at the end of this newsletter.

Friday 15/11/24

YEAR 3,4 and 5 ASSESSMENT WEEK

Please ensure your child(ren) are in school, on time and everyday this week to ensure that they can achieve their best.

w/b Monday 18/11/24

CLASS 1 (Virtual) PARENT - TEACHER **CONSULTATIONS**

Thursday 28/11/24

Letters come out for appointment times. (Held on Zoom)

CLASS 2 (Virtual) PARENT - TEACHER **CONSULTATIONS**

Letters come out for appointment times. (Held on Zoom)

Friday 29/11/24

CLASS 3 (Virtual) PARENT - TEACHER **CONSULTATIONS**

Monday 02/12/24

Letters come out for appointment times.

(Held on Zoom)

Tuesday

CLASS 4 (Virtual) PARENT - TEACHER **CONSULTATIONS**

Letters come out for appointment times. (Held on Zoom)

03/12/24







Use the church car park to drop off and collect your child, or walk to school.

House Points

House Points V	Week 9 08/11/24	
Anne Frank	Florence Nightingale	
247	250	
Martin Luther King	Nelson Mandela	
294	308	

School Dinners - Week 2

Please see our school website for the menu. Please ensure that all accounts are up to date on the Parent's ARBOR Account - Thank you.



Gospel Values Award

This week the focus has been on **Courage** - Standing up for the truth.

Well done to **Bianca N** for demonstrating courage in school this week. To demonstrate courage is through standing up for what is right, and each time we do this we gain strength and confidence guidance and protection from God.

"Be strong and courageous. Do not fear or be dread of them, for it is the Lord our God who goes with you. He will not leave you or forsake you." Deuteronomy 31:6

Weekly Awards

Stars of the Week



- * Class 1 Fiyin E
- * Class 2 Jakub M
- * Class 3 Keziah A
- * Class 4 Marnie R
- * Class 5 Jacob W
- * Class 6 Bradey S
- * Class 7 Ethan T
- * Class 8 Joshua AJ



Other Awards

- * Top Attendance Class 8
- Tidiest Classroom Class 2
- Music Award - Arthur K

Instagram/Website



Please take a look at:

St Anne Line Juniors

https://www.st-anneline-jun.uk/

Whole School Attendance 96.6%

Attendance League

	<u>Class</u>	% Attendance	% Unauthorised Absence
TOP 8 5 3 6 1 2 7	8	97.7% WELL DONE!	0
	5	97.3	0
	3	97.3	1.30 MUST IMPROVE
	6	97.1	1.20 MUST IMPROVE
	1	96.9	0
	2	95.8	0.42 MUST IMPROVE
	7	95.7 MUST IMPROVE	0.39 MUST IMPROVE
BOTTOM	4	95.2 MUST IMPROVE	1.30 MUST IMPROVE

-----National Average 95.0-----

Total Late Marks - Please be in school and on time GATES CLOSE AT 8:45AM - WELL DONE FOR BEING IN SCHOOL ON TIME No Late Marks - Class 1,5,8 LATE MARKS - Class 2,3,4,6,7 - NEED TO BE AT SCHOOL ON TIME.













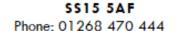




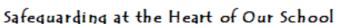








St. Anne Line Catholic Junior School Wickhay, Basildon, Essex.







SAL Jnr Football News



An exciting development Girls' Football squad was played on Monday against a strong opposition. It was wonderful to see some of our girls experiencing competitive football for the first time. Well done to everyone who represented our school; we are very proud of you all.

SAL Jnr Job Vacancy

There is currently a job vacancy at St. Anne Line Catholic Junior School for a morning cleaner, required ASAP* for a maximum of 2 hours per day (Monday to Friday Term-time only)

Hours can be negotiated.

|Salary Scale 1 Point 2.

For more information please contact the school office:

office@st-anneline-jun.essex.sch.uk 01268 470444

*subject to references and DBS checks

Year 2 to 3 Junior School Admission for September 2025

Parents of current Year 2 children at an Infant school need to make a formal application to the Council for a Year 3 place and can do so via the website www.essex.gov.uk/admissions.

The Junior School admission round opened on **4 November 2024**, for parents of children in Year 2 at an Infant school to apply for a Junior school (Year 3) place for September 2025.

The statutory national closing date for applications is 15 January 2025.

Applications can be made online via www.essex.gov.uk/admissions.

All of the application information is available on the website above.

















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Dear Families,

Relationships, Sex and Health Education (RSHE): Journey in Love

As you know, each year in school we follow the Journey in Love programme to teach Relationships, Sex and Health Education. Journey in love is a catholic programme approved by the Archdiocese of Liverpool. We teach and follow this programme throughout the school year, however the main day will take place next Friday 15th November 2024.

Journey in Love teaches us that we are all made in the image and likeness of God and, consequently, gender and sexuality are God's gift, reflecting His beauty and sharing in divine creativity. In order that children may grow and flourish healthily and holistically towards an understanding of their gender and its implications for successful relationships, they must be at ease with themselves and deepen their self-knowledge.

Through Journey in Love, the children are encouraged to marvel at the wonder and beauty of God's creative love. This is reflected in each stage of a person's growth in the primary years through a series of progressive and developmental tasks and reflections that focus on social, emotional, physical and spiritual development. The topic and themes taught are listed below;

Year Three - How we live in love

Year Four - God loves us in our differences

Year Five - God loves us in our changing and developing

Year Six - The wonder of God's love in creating new life

In the past, parents have had the right to withdraw their children from these sessions; however, this is no longer the case. RHSE now falls into the statutory PSHE curriculum therefore <u>must</u> be taught in school. However, if you are currently the parent of a Y6 child, you will have the right to withdraw your child from part of the session relating to sex education as this does not become statutory until KS3.

Please inform the school office or Year 6 class teacher if this is the case as soon as possible. If you have any further questions or need any information clarifying, then please take a look on our school website https://www.st-anneline-jun.uk/religious-life/ under the RSE Tab. We are more than happy to share information in more detail if needed.

Kind Regards,

N. Watson

Miss N. Watson Head Teacher St. Anne Line Catholic Junior School