

St. Augustine's Catholic Voluntary Academy



Let all that you do be done in love.

1 Corinthians 16:14



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A MESSAGE FROM MRS COX

As we reach the end of another exciting school year at St. Augustine's, I want to take a moment to reflect on the many achievements and memorable moments we have shared not only as a school but as a school community. This term has been filled with incredible learning experiences, from our engaging class projects and exciting school trips to the vibrant school events that brought us all together. Our St. Augustine's children have shown tremendous growth not only academically but also socially and emotionally, and it has been a joy to witness their enthusiasm and hard work. I am incredibly proud of the progress they have made and the resilience they have demonstrated throughout the term.

To our Year 6 leavers; as you prepare to embark on the next exciting chapter of your school journey, I want to take this opportunity to say how proud we are of each and every one of you. Your hard work, kindness, and resilience have truly made a lasting impact on our school community. While we will miss your smiles and energy in the classroom and corridors, we know you are ready to take on new challenges and achieve great things in secondary school. Remember to always believe in yourselves and stay true to the values you have learned here at St. Augustine's. We wish you all the very best for the future and hope you take away wonderful memories of your time with us.

I would also like to extend my heartfelt gratitude to our dedicated staff and supportive parents who make our school such a wonderful place to learn and grow. Your commitment and involvement in school activities have been invaluable, and it is through our strong partnership that we can create a nurturing and stimulating environment for our children. As we look forward to a well-deserved break, I encourage everyone to take this time to relax, recharge, and enjoy quality time with family and friends. I wish you all a safe and joyful summer break and look forward to welcoming everyone back refreshed and ready for another fantastic term on Wednesday 4th September.

Have a wonderful summer ahead!

Mrs Cox

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LET US PRAY

Dear God,

Thank you for this wonderful time of summer. As we begin our holidays, we ask for your blessings. Help us to enjoy the sunshine, play safely, and rest well. Keep us and our families safe and happy.

May we remember to be kind and helpful to everyone we meet. Fill our hearts with joy and our days with fun.

And when we return to school, let us come back refreshed and ready to learn.

Amen.



CAFOD

CATHOLIC AGENCY FOR OVERSEAS DEVELOPMENT

CAFOD's mission is to work alongside the world's poorest people. CAFOD work without prejudice, they don't preach, and they pride themselves on their diversity. They believe that our Catholic values are best shown through love for others, and by working for justice and an end to poverty.

CAFOD's vision, mission and values draw directly from Catholic Social Teaching (CST), Scripture, Liturgy, the Gospel and the tradition of the Church. Catholic Social Teaching is at the heart of what they do and who they are.

Over the last five years, CAFOD have been particularly inspired by Pope Francis' encyclical letter *Laudato Si'* and the message for us all to respond to both the cry of the earth and the cry of the poor.

CAFOD have looked again at what progress really means, in dialogue with partners from around the world. They know that everything is interconnected. They believe that we are called by our faith to stand alongside poor communities and care for God's creation. And their response is rooted in this belief.

"Love, overflowing with small gestures of mutual care, is also civic and political, and it makes itself felt in every action that seeks to build a better world" (*Laudato Si'* 231).

As well as asking their supporters to donate and campaign, CAFOD place equal importance on prayer, and prayer informs and underpins their work. CAFOD provide prayers and reflections for their supporters and use prayer for guidance and inspiration.

There is a special 'Kidz Zone' on the CAFOD website with colouring pages, word searches and videos; you can access the page by [clicking here](#).

"Works of love directed to one's neighbour are the most perfect external manifestation of the interior grace of the Spirit..."

Pope Francis (EVANGELII GAUDIUM P32)

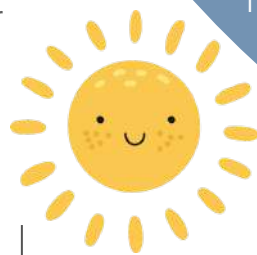
HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Happy birthday to all of our St. Augustine's children who celebrate their birthday during the summer holiday:

Eli - 5 on 21st July
Logan - 7 on 21st July
Storm - 8 on 25th July
Lilly-Mae - 10 on 30th July
Benjamin B - 7 on 3rd August
Austin - 5 on 3rd August
Rocco - 10 on 8th August
Zachary - 8 on 10th August
Stanley - 9 on 13th August
Aurora - 10 on 13th August
Nolan - 9 on 15th August
Hattie - 5 on 19th August
Emma - 5 on 23rd August
Tyler D - 8 on 29th August
Wilbur - 5 on 31st August



We all wish you a wonderful time celebrating!



How would you like to see your work featured in our school newsletter?! Each week we will pick a special prayer and publish it in the newsletter! Simply write your prayer and pop it in the box in Miss Griffin's office - we will choose one at random each week! Don't forget to add your name and class.

We are also having a school greetings card competition; the winning entry will have their design printed and used by Mrs Cox! Think of something that sums up how special our lovely school is and bring your design to Miss Griffin's office when we come back to school in September! Good luck, everyone!

SUMMER E-SAFETY

As we all prepare for the summer holidays, here are some useful resources with information on how to keep your children safe online.

[Summer Holidays – Online Safety Resources for Parents | SWGfL](#)

[Staying safe online in the summer holidays - UK Safer Internet Centre](#)

[Staying safe online - BBC Children in Need](#)

[Keep Children Safe Online: Information, Advice, Support - Internet Matters](#)

ATTENDANCE

Our whole school attendance this week was 90.25%

Our attendance by class is as follows:

Cedar - 89.57%

Sycamore - 91.71%

Olive - 96.45%

Acacia - 92.94%

Willow - 80.68%

Juniper - 94.44%

Being around teachers and friends in a school environment is the best way for pupils to learn and reach their potential. Time in school also keeps children safe and provides access to extra-curricular opportunities and pastoral care.

For more information, please visit the gov.uk website [here](#),



SUMMER ACTIVITIES - CLICK ON THE IMAGES FOR MORE INFO!



A MESSAGE FROM STAMFORD ALLSAINTS HOLIDAY CLUB



We are excited to announce a unique opportunity for your children aged 5 and over this summer: the Lego Bible Holiday Club!

This engaging and educational program is designed to bring Bible stories to life through the creativity and fun of Lego building. The club will provide a fantastic way for children to explore their faith, make new friends, and express their creativity.

We are pleased to inform you that the club will be free of charge and will include a hot meal for all participants. The club will run every Thursday (9am – 4pm) starting 25th July and finishing 29th August, at the Unity Centre in Stamford.

To ensure the success of this program, it is crucial for us to know how many children would like to participate, as this will help us plan effectively and make necessary arrangements.

Please note that spaces are limited! Therefore, we kindly ask you to register your interest by emailing niamh.holman@stamfordallsaints.org.uk. Please include the number of children you will be bringing and their ages. Your prompt response will be greatly appreciated and will help us in our planning.

Little Stars Wraparound Care

We had a super special end of term party in Little Stars this week! We had delicious food and games, and lots of fun together! We can't wait to see you all again in September!





PLACES WHERE KIDS EAT FREE (OR FOR £1) DURING THE SUMMER HOLIDAYS 2024



moneysavingcentral.co.uk/kids-eat-free

LAS IGUANAS

Join 'My Las Iguanas' via the App & Niños eat free with every adult main

ASDA

Kids eat for £1 All Day, Every Day at Asda cafes, with no adult spend required.

SAINSBURYS CAFES

Kids eat for £1 with the purchase of an adult hot main. From 11:30am every day.

PAUSA CAFE @ DUNELM

Kids get 1 mini main, 2 snacks & a drink FREE with every £4 spend after 3pm

THE REAL GREEK

Kids under 12 eat FREE every Sunday for every £10 spent by an adult

TGI FRIDAYS

Kids Eat Free When 'Stripes Rewards Members' purchase an adult's main meal (App needed)

PUREZZA

Children under the age of 10 get free pizza at Purezza with every adult meal purchased

TRAVELODGE & PREMIER INN

Buy 1 Adult Breakfast from just £8.99 & up to two kids eat breakfast for free

IKEA

Kids get a meal from 95p daily from 11am

SIZZLING PUBS

Every Monday to Friday, 3 - 7pm, kids' mains are £1 with every adult meal.

BEEFEATER & BREWERS FAYRE

Two children under 16 can get a free breakfast every day with one paying adult!

PRETO

Kids up to age 10 eat free all day, every day with paying adults at Preto in Half Terms

MORRISONS

Spend £4.49 and get one free kids meal all day, every day.

TESCO CAFES

1 Free Kids meal with every 60p Spend. Available from July 1st Scotland and NI - from July 22nd England & Wales

GORDON RAMSEY RESTAURANTS

Kids under 8 eat FREE all day, every day at selected Gordon Ramsay restaurants

YO! SUSHI

From Monday 1st July - Friday 30th August 2024, kids eat free all day Mondays to Fridays at YO! Sushi (min adult spend £10).

WHITBREAD INNS

Two kids under 16 eat for FREE with every adult breakfast purchased

BELLA ITALIA

Children eat for £1 with any adult main. The offer is valid 4-6pm Mon to Thurs.

COCONUT TREE

One child (aged 10 and under) eats free per paying adult. Valid Daily, 12pm - 6pm from Monday 22nd July to Friday 6th Sept 2024.

DOBBIES GARDEN CENTRES

At Dobbies, for every adult breakfast or lunch purchase, kids eat for FREE. Every Day!

TABLE TABLE

Two children under 16 can get a free breakfast every day with one paying adult!

HUNGRY HORSE

Kids eat for £1 on Mondays

FUTURE INNS

Under 5s eat for free with any adult meal.

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