

ST ANNE'S FRIDAY UPDATE 25th October 2024

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Headteacher's Weekly Message

Dear parents and carers,

We have had a busy end to this half term, it has been wonderful to see the children go on so many educational visits. It was also nice to see such a high turnout for parents' evenings. The staff are in tomorrow for half a day training then we are off for a well-deserved week off. We will come back refreshed and ready to continue to work hard. Yesterday I talked to the children about choices and introduced one of our new character values Leo Love. You can read his story below.

We can't wait for the Christmas build up with lots of exciting activities and parent events. I hope you have a lovely half term and we will see you all in a weeks' time. Mr Hilton.

Leo Love

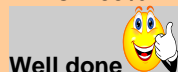
ATTENDANCE THIS WEEK

Whole school attendance

RA	86%	3SP	95%
1FA	92%	4W	93%
2CM	99%	5D	98%
		5J	98%
		6CP	96%
		6S	97%

It is expected that all children reach at least 98% attendance

Best Class Attendance goes to
2CM 99%



Well done

Please note that all attendance and awards are for the previous week



Leo Love

We thank God for the power of sight so that we might realise just how wonderful the trees, birds, flowers and people we see all around us, because we see them every day.



We might also have times when we try to ignore things that we see, or we pretend that we can't see them. For instance, we might pretend not to see the toys we have left scattered all over the floor when we are asked to tidy up. We might ignore the homeless person that we see asking for money.

This half term we would like to thank our families for their generous donations for the homeless, and sharing their time their time to support the school for outings, attending Church Masses and school services, assemblies, workshops completing the Parent Survey and other correspondence sent home.

Leo Love whizzes around our community on his super skates. As he travels, he spreads god's love. He listens gently to the people he meets and offers care to those who need it.

Polite Leo remembers to say 'Please' and 'Thank You' as he knows that 'Manners Matter'. His twinkling helmet reminds others to use these respectful words too.

If Leo makes a mistake, or a poor choice, he owns his actions. He asks for forgiveness and always forgives others. He would never hold a grudge against someone, but lets them float away like butterflies.

Leo is wobbly on his skates sometimes and this reminds him to always be balanced and equal in his words and actions. He doesn't judge others but remembers we are all god's children. His belief keeps him steady on his road through life.

Leo loves learning. He knows that by trying hard at school he can share his incredible knowledge and gifts with the world around him. He puts all the things he learns into his beautiful, bulging basket. He loves to see how full it is getting as he learns new things.

STARS OF THE WEEK – Active Listening

CLASS

ND/RA	Rafael & Sarah
1FA	Nayan
2CM	Lloyd
3SP	Pratima
4W	Eliana
5D	Thiago
5J	Sofiat
6CP	Nuria
6S	Ruben

Check out some of our fabulous Autumn Wreath Competition entrants on page 2.



Yr3 will be have their first swimming session after the half term holiday starting on Thursday 7th November in the afternoon. Parents/Carers of children in Yr3. As a reminder, your child will need to bring a **swimming costume (not bikini) or swimming trunks (no shorts), a towel and a swimming hat every Thursday**. Your child is expected to take part in swimming as it is part of the Government National Curriculum.

WINTER UNIFORM

After half term ALL children from Year 1 to Year 6 are expected to wear winter uniform.

Winter Uniform

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| Boys | Plain blue shirt and tie (no polo shirts)
School sweatshirt with school logo
Grey Long trousers no unnecessary pockets
Socks short or long grey/black plain
Shoes plain black
School woolly hat |
| Girls | Plain blue blouse and tie (no polo shirts)
School sweatshirt/cardigan with school logo
Plaid kilt
Socks short or long grey/plain grey tights
Shoes plain black
School woolly hat |

Maroon blazers are optional for both boys and girls.

Usual rules apply to earrings, jewellery, watches, hairstyles and head baubles. Uniform Policy on school website/notice board.

In our early Years all children should be wearing their winter uniform as well. Navy jogging/track bottoms, light blue polo shirt and school sweatshirt.

Please follow the school uniform policy as agreed when your child started school so that no offence is taken when asked by any member of staff to wear the correct uniform.



All the wreaths entered for our Autumn Wreath competition run by our FOSA were fabulous, a fantastic effort by all the children. Every entrant received a complementary sticker and the winners are

- 1st Prize Nelly Yr3**
- 2nd Prize Diego Yr2**
- 3rd Prize Arvin Yr3**

Reminder for Yr6 Parents

Last day for completing Secondary transfer forms for admissions with your local government website is **31st October 2024**

Flu Vaccine

If you forgot to book in time for your child to have the Flu Vaccine, the nursing team are offering another date to catch up with children who have not received their vaccine on 2nd December

If you would like to book for your child we will be sending out a link when we return.

NOTE FOR YOUR DIARY

**The school photographers will be coming into school to take individual children's photos
Friday 12th November.**

St Anne's School Open Morning show around

Our school will be holding our open mornings on:

Wednesday 6th November 10am

Tuesday 17th December 10am

For Reception & Nursery September 2025

If you would like to attend any of these open mornings, please contact the school office on 0207 735 4516

admin@st-annes.lambeth.sch.uk

For **Reception September 2025** you need to go onto your local authority website (admissions) for where you live and complete a

Common Application Form known as a **CAF**

You will also need to complete our **Schools Information Form** which you can download from our school website or collect a paper copy from the school office.

At the beginning of next half term, we say goodbye to Tina who has been our temporary school caretaker (Premises Officer) since we returned in September. She has done a fantastic job looking after all of us.

Tuesday 5th November will be Tina's last day.

Mr Anthony Enyoisi known as 'Mr Tony' is our new Premises Officer. We know you will all give a him warm welcome when you see him around the school.

EVENTS FOR NEXT HALF TERM

November

Mon 4th School re open
Tue 5th Yr5 Science Museum
Wed 6th 10am Open morning – Nur/Rec 2025 Parent Show around
Thur 7th Yr5 Oval
Yr3 Swimming
Tue 12th Whole school Pupil individual photos
Year 1 trip - Wintershall Travelling Crib at Lambeth Palace
Thu 14th Yr5 Oval
Yr3 Swimming
Wed 20th 9.30am 5J Class Mass St Anne's Church
Yr6 Science Museum
3.45pm FOSA Film Night
Thur 21st Yr5 Oval
Yr3 Swimming
Wed 27th 9.30am 3SP Class Mass St Anne's Church
FOSA Cake Sale
Thur 28th CAFOD Advent National Assembly
Yr5 Oval
Yr3 Swimming
Fri 29th FOSA Own clothes day (Bring a bottle for tombola)

December Advent

Mon 2nd Nursing Team for any Flu Vaccine catch ups
Tue 3rd Yr5 Durning Library
Chosen Yr6 pupils to Aim Higher Writing Event
Wed 4th 9.30am 2CM Prayer Service
Yr5 Durning Library
Thur 5th Yr5 Oval
Yr3 Swimming
Fri 6th Chosen pupils form Yr5 & 6 2pm St George's Advent Service
FOSA Winter Ball
Mon 9th Last week for all afterschool clubs
Tue 10th 9.30am Nursing team to measure height & weight Rec & Yr6
Thur 12th EY Nativity 10am and 2pm
Yr5 Oval
Yr3 Swimming
Fri 13th FOSA School Christmas Fair
All afterschool clubs finished for this term
Tue 17th 10am Open morning - Nur/Rec 2025 Parent Show around
EYFS - BIGFOOT PLAY (Greediest Elf) AM (TBC)
Wed 18th DIP & DAP (Pantomime) KS1 & KS2 Bigfoot production AM
CAROL SERVICES 2pm and 5.30pm
Thur 19th Class Parties in the afternoon
Yr3 Swimming
Fri 20th **School closes 2pm for Christmas Holidays**

THE WEEK WE RETURN MON 4th NOVEMBER

Mon Celebration of St Martin's Feast Day
Tue Yr5 Science Museum
Wed 10am Open Morning - show around for Parents of children for Reception & Nursery September 2025
Thur Yr3 first swimming sessions
Yr5 Oval