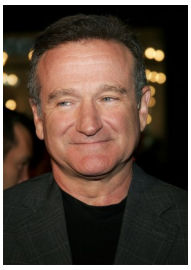
St Anne's Catholic Academy

Newsletter

Friday 7th July, 2023

'No matter what anybody tells you, words and ideas can change the world.' Robin Williams



Catholic Life

Happiness

Happiness is something that people seek to find, yet what defines happiness can vary from one person to the next. Typically, happiness is an emotional state characterised by feelings of joy, satisfaction, contentment, and fulfilment. While happiness has many different definitions, it is often described as involving positive emotions and life satisfaction.

When most people talk about the true meaning of happiness, they might be talking about how they feel in the present moment or referring to a more general sense of how they feel about life overall. Because happiness tends to be such a broadly defined term, psychologists and other social scientists typically use the term 'subjective well-being' when they talk about this emotional state. Just as it sounds, subjective well-being tends to focus on an individual's overall personal feelings about their life in the present.

Another definition of happiness comes from the ancient philosopher Aristotle, who suggested that happiness is the one human desire, and all other human desires exist as a way to obtain happiness. He believed that there were four levels of happiness: happiness from immediate gratification, from comparison and achievement, from making positive contributions, and from achieving fulfilment.

What makes you happy?

Attendance

Winners: Year Three

His Majesty's Inspectors are monitoring our attendance figures from the beginning of the school year. Our Target is 97% overall and our current figure is 93.6%.We all have to work together to keep improving attendance and punctuality in school. Last weeks percentages are listed below.

Nursery: 85.5% Reception: 91.5% Year One: 93.2% Year Two: 94.1% Year Three: 94.3%

Year Four: 92.4% Year Five: 94.2% Year Six: 93.4%

N.B: If your child is going to be absent from school or late to arrive you must contact the school office as soon as possible. Tel:- 02476 392877

Foodbank

We would just like to say a big thank you to all children, parents and staff for your amazing support with our foodbank. Your willingness to give your time and service is greatly appreciated. Your support allows us to continue to fulfil our mission and serve so many people in our community.

St Thomas More Induction Day

Transition Day at St Thomas More Catholic Academy

Monday 10th July

Pupils should arrive at St Thomas More on both days at 8.40am and should assemble on the field where staff will be there to meet them. Pupils should wear their primary school uniform and should bring a packed lunch.

We are really looking forward to welcoming students to St Thomas More for their transition days.

We are pleased to announce that lovely Mrs Palfreman will be staying in our Nursery next year. She is a wonderful asset to our Early Years team and does an amazing job looking after our allotment. Mrs Hubbard missed her off the list and is now grovelling.

Weekly Awards

Our Nursery Dojo Winners

Dojo Winners: Eevee & Henry

Celebration

Reception - Ola

Year 1 - Georgie

Year 2-Henley

Year 3-Khaleed

Year 4 - Stephen

Year 5 - Lacey

Year 6 - Joey

Presentation

Reception - Hanna

Year 1 - Larna

Year 2 - Riley

Year 3 - Tommie

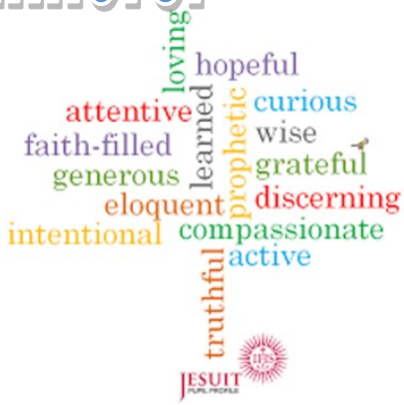
Year 4 - Harley

Year 5 - Alan

Year 6 - Alise

Well done to this weeks winners!

Virtues and Values - Intentional & Prophetic



Children and teachers each week, will nominate someone in their class that they feel has demonstrated the values of being **'Intentional & Prophetic'**

This may be reflected through the child's work or the way they have conducted themselves. They may have asked searching questions or showed a deeper understanding of the Catholic faith. Each half term we will focus on new Values & Virtues.

KS1

Year 1 - Summer

Year 2 - Madiva

Early Years

Nursery - Noah

Reception - Anna

KS2

Year 3 - Lily

Year 4 - Nhyira

Year 5 - Sebastian

Year 6 - Amelia

Diary Dates

St. Anne's School Calendar 2022 - 2023

Dates may change due to unforeseen circumstances but every effort will be made to keep them as stated. Please make a note on your calendars/diaries at home. Thank you.

Date	Activity
10th July	Induction Day
10th July	Mr Rygielski Football Club
12th July	Year Six - Leavers Mass -9.30am
12th July	Year Six - Performance - 1.30pm
13th July	Whole School Inflatables Day
13th July	Year Six - Leavers Disco - 5.00-7.30pm
14th July	Year Three Trip to Coventry Transport Museum
14th July	Year Four Trip to Cadbury's World
15th July	MAC Fest at St Thomas More School
18th July	Reception Trip to Ash End Farm
18th July	Year Six - Pub Lunch - 12.00pm
19th July	Nursery Graduation - 9.30am
20th July	Year Six - Leavers Assembly - 9.15am
21st July	Break up for Summer
24th-25th July	Teacher Training Days

PE Days

Year One - Monday & Wednesday

Year Two - Monday & Friday

Year Three - Thursday & Friday

Year Four - Monday & Thursday (swimming)

Year Five - Wednesday & Thursday

Year Six - Tuesday & Friday

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