



St Augustine's Academy Newsletter

19th December 2017



Message from the Headteacher

Christmas at St. Augustine's

Dear Parents and Carers,

The Christmas holidays are here and we certainly have some very excited children!

Even though this school week has only been two days long we have packed so much in. Yesterday, we held two Celebration Assemblies where we awarded our pupils' efforts and achievements; thank you to everyone who came along to celebrate with us.



We also enjoyed a very delicious, Christmas dinner. After 'Grace' was said by Reverend Ricky, the children all ate together and were served by the school staff. It was definitely a noisy event with crackers popping, music playing and children chattering, but it was enormous fun and our kitchen staff did us proud.



We also announced the class winners from our Christmas bauble competition; Stephen, Finn, Jacob, Micah, Poppie-Flo and Claudiu. Well done all of you!

Today, the children enjoyed their afternoon Christmas parties and received a visit from Santa! We were very grateful to him for taking the time out of his busy schedule to visit us at St. Augustine's. Today we also say farewell to Mrs. Holland and Mr. Smith and wish them all the very, very best in their new ventures.

All that is left to say is, "Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!" to each and every one of you and we look forward to seeing you all again in 2018!

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End of Term Achievements and Awards



Christmas Art and Craft

† Christian Values †

- Reception – Tarebi Egbegi
- Year 1 – Rubi Jebutu
- Year 2 – Amelie Battams
- Year 3 – Peyton Egbegi
- Year 4 – Lewis Kudzibatira
- Year 5 – Charlie Newport
- Year 6 – Blessing Nakueti

📖 British Values 📖

- Reception – Poppy Roberts
- Year 1 – Jake Warman
- Year 2 – Jacob Turner
- Year 3 – Zak Wollington
- Year 4 – Charlie Langley
- Year 5 – Beatrice Cojocar
- Year 6 – Tiphonie Reynolds

★ Effort ★

- Reception – Carlos Aveiro
- Year 1 – Elise Goode
- Year 2 – Kyle Ireson
- Year 3 – Kianna Robertson
- Year 4 – Katie Hooper
- Year 5 – Cienna Daly
- Year 6 – Amy Sutton

✍ Handwriting ✍

- Reception – Stephen Amaritei
- Year 1 – Zuzanna Slicznuik
- Year 2 – Sally Zatorska
- Year 3 – Jessicka Antony
- Year 4 – Jordan Allard
- Year 5 – Courtney Impey
- Year 6 – Jessica Hopper

📖 100 Reads 📖

Amelia Sullivan, Ciaran McClements, Ellie Sullivan, Nicola Jakubas

x 2, 5 and 10 Times Tables x

Ciaran McClements, Mason Bryden, Daniel Connage, Kyle Ireson, Cameron Keane, Kayden King, Chancenes Nakueti, Xander Paddon, Jacob Turner, Sally Zatorska, Yasmin Travagli

x Times Tables to 12 x

Leonard Cojocar, Beatrice Cojocar, Mia Keen, Bianca Floarea, Angel Burnham, Charlie Creasey, Tomek Kobylecki, Karol Sokolski, Courtney Impey, Ben Allard, Jessica Hopper, Nathan Ince, Nicola Jakubas, Nakita Lawrence, Claudiu Olaru, Tiphonie Reynolds, Szymon Rysak, Kamil Sliczniuk, Logan Wheeler, Colin Zatorski, Natalie Zubrycki

Huge congratulations to all our certificate winners for this term; you have really done St. Augustine's proud with your efforts and determination to succeed.



Throughout the school, the children have been enjoying a range of Christmas Art and Craft activities. Pictured above, are the clay tiles made by the Year 3 children on their recent visit to St. Alban's Abbey. They have now been painted and look superb.

Christmas Raffle



Thank you to everyone who took part in our Christmas Raffle. In total, £119.00 was raised for the school.

Congratulations to our first prize winner pictured and to Kyo who won second prize.

Attendance

A huge congratulations to our 47 pupils who won 96+% Attendance Certificates and our 29 pupils who won 100% Attendance Certificates for the Autumn Term. This is a fantastic achievement. Well Done!



In total, our attendance for this term is 94.25% which beats the attendance figure for the same time last year which was 94.03%.

Diary Dates

Wed. 3 rd Jan.	Children return to school
Tue. 9 th Jan.	5:30pm Phonics Workshop for Parents
Tue. 6 th Feb.	3:30pm – 5:30pm Parents' Evening
Wed. 7 th Feb.	4:30pm – 6:30pm Parents' Evening
Fri. 9 th Feb.	Last day of term