

St Francis of Assisi Catholic Primary School



Learning and growing together in God's love

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WEEKLY WHAT'S ON

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ALL

Wednesday 14th February Ash Wednesday

Wednesday 28th February – Early World Book Day and Author Visit – Children dress up as a book character

Wednesday 13th March Choir singing at St Peter Mancroft 4pm to 8pm Families 7pm to 8pm. CASMA

Friday 15th March Class Photos

Tuesday 18th June Diversity Day

Wednesday 26th June Sports Day

Saturday 15th June – Heigham Park Centenary

Thursday 11th July – School Discos during day for Years EYFS to Year 4 6-8pm Year 5 and 6

Friday 15th November 2024 Choirs for Change Norwich Citadel 6pm to 8.30 pm

Reception

Vision and hearing screening on Monday 29th and Tuesday 30th January at 9.15am.

Wk beg 4th March Mystery Reader Week
13th June Heigham Park Trip
Wednesday 4th July Year 1 Teacher Talk 3.30 – 4pm HALL

Year 3

Viking Day Tuesday 6th Feb
Year 3 Circus Skills Showcase in the hall: Tuesday 19th March 3MD 11:30am - 3M's 2:45pm

Tuesday 16th April- Reading Workshop in classrooms 2.15 pm
Wednesday 10th July Year 4 Parent Talk Hall 3.45 – 4.15 pm

Year 4

Tuesday 30th January Choir to the 02
Tuesday 13th February Moroccan Dance WorkShop
Friday 8th March Parents in for learning 2.30 pm
Thursday 25th April Theatre trip to see Boy at the Back of the Class 10.30 am
Tuesday 26th March Trip to Walsingham
Wednesday 19th June Trip to the Forum
Thursday 4th July Year 5 Parent Talk 3.45 to 4.15 pm HALL
Friday 12th July 2.30pm Year Group Assembly

Year 1

Thursday 29th February Gressenhall Trip

Tuesday 19th March Parental Engagement Sewing Workshop

Tuesday 26th March Multiskills Festival Easton College - Coach 9.45- 12

Thursday 23rd May Year Group Assembly
Monday 8th July Year 2 Parent Talk 3.30 – 4.00 HALL

Year 5

Tuesday 30th January 60 members of the Choir to the 02

Friday 9th February Cross Country Horsford

Tuesday 13th February 9 am Parent Drop Reading

Friday 8th March Cross Country Old Catton

Wednesday 17th April 5J Dance Show The Space

Friday 24th May 2:30 Year Group Assembly

Tuesday 9th July Year 6 Parent Talk 3.45 to 4.15 pm HALL

Thursday 11th July School Disco 6-8pm

Year 2

7th February Reading Café for Parents 2.30 pm
Thursday 7th March Time and Tide Museum Trip

Thursday 13th June Year Group Assembly 2.30 pm

Friday 5th July Year 3 Parent Talk 3.45 to 4.15 HALL

Year 6

Tuesday 30th January 60 members of the Choir to the 02

Thursday 1st February 2.15 - 3.15 Parent Workshop .

Friday 9th February Trip to Houses of Parliament

Tuesday 27th February SATs meeting at 3.45pm

Friday 8th March Cross Country Old Catton

Thursday 11th July School Disco 6-

Friday 12th July Transition Day Notre Dame

Year 6 Production 6.30 pm Tuesday 16th and Wednesday 17th July



CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY NAMES



1PL Anika - for trying so writing instructions on “How to wash a woolly mammoth”

.1L Noah brilliant ideas about “How to wash a woolly mammoth”.

2B: We would love to celebrate **Matylda**, who has been brilliant at explaining her reasoning in Maths this week as well as completing some fantastic extra work at home.

3M: Flo for always being a kind, caring and considerate member of our class.

3M: Rishan for working exceptionally hard in all lessons this week, answering some rather tricky questions and adding brilliant contributions to class discussions.

3MD: Leah for her continued hard work in maths. Well done and thank you for your excellent answers!

4HD: William is a star this week for his consistent high standards of participation in class, presentation of his work and always trying to go the extra mile.

Nuvee is a star this week for her wonderful deeper thinking in RE and how she is a good disciple.

4D Sophia - for making valuable contributions to class discussions and always giving it a go!

Deimantas - for working hard both at home and in school to improve his handwriting and presentation.

5J Darcey - for working so hard with her maths and writing showing resilience to persevere when facing new challenges.

5J Adam - for his involvement in his learning and thinking deeply when new concepts and knowledge are introduced.

5W Kayla - Beginning to take more time over her work, ensuring it is always of a high standard.

Georgie-May - Always being such a good, positive role model to the rest of the class - thank you Georgie-May!

6SW - Matteo for excellent teamwork and super sentences in RE with his ‘Exploring the Mass’ booklet – well done!

6M – Olivia A for working hard on her setting description in English.

Learning in school this week

Year 1 This week we have enjoyed writing instructions on “How to wash a woolly mammoth!” and designing patterns for our very own Stone Age clay pot. We can’t wait to actually make them!

Year 2 have continued our exploration of Celtic life by studying the brilliant 'A Street Through Time' and imagining what life might have been like for a Celtic villager. We have also started to explore Celtic patterns and are excited to take this learning into next week!

Year 3 have had fun in computing this week, creating their own flip books and using the app iMotion to create a stop-start motion animation. They will be working towards creating a Viking animation over the next couple of weeks. In DT, the children became engineers exploring castle parts and constructing nets in preparation for their castle building next week.

Year 4 In Year 4 we have been scientists by developing keys to help us classify recently discovered species. In our topic lessons, continuing with animals, we studied indigenous animals of Morocco and used our scientific knowledge to help us understand how they have adapted to the Moroccan desert or mountain environment.

Year 5 In Year 5, we are investigating the best conditions for seeds to germinate and continue to grow. We are continuing to enjoy our class reader, The Silver Sword - and side stepping into learning about WW2! In maths, we are exploring and comparing different ways to multiply.

Year 6 This week Year 6 have been working in groups in RE, to create a booklet about Exploring the Mass. They have worked thoughtfully and collaboratively to share their ideas - well done Year 6!

Parents Evening

We are so glad so many parents met their child/children's teachers this week. It was so lovely to have you all in our school. We also hope you enjoyed the food and the social element this hopefully brought to your evening. Could you please complete this form linked [HERE](#) to offer us feedback please.

Thank you.

THIS WEEK

The Rock Steady Band are in school on Monday to demonstrate their organisation. Children will be involved in a whole school assembly and workshops to see if they are interested in taking up this music lesson. Further information will be sent to children who are interested next week.

Keep the dates free:

Heigham Park Centenary SATURDAY 15TH JUNE. The choir will be singing at this event and SFA will have a stall.

Choirs for Change – members of the choir will be attending this.

Date: Friday 15th November 2024

Venue: Norwich Citadel Concert Hall on St Giles Street, Norwich

Performance Time: 6.30 pm to 8.00 pm.