

Monday 13th September 2021

Teacher's Prayer

I want to teach my

students more than

lessons in a book;
I want to teach them

deeper things that

people overlook.

The value of a rose in

bloom, its use and

beauty, too; A sense of curiosity to discover what is true:

How to think and

how to choose.

the right above the wrong:

How to live and learn

each day, and grow

up to be strong;

To teach them always how

to gain in wisdom

and in grace:

So they will someday

make the world a

brighter, better place. Let me be a friend and

guide to give these minds a start; upon their way down life's long road then

I'll have done my part.

[Jill Wolf]

St Francis' News Brother, Sister Let Me Serve You.



Year of St. Joseph

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Autumn Term 2021



On behalf of the Governors and staff of St. Francis, I would like to welcome everyone back to school for the start of this new academic year 2021—2022.

The staff extend a very warm welcome to all our new children and their families and wish them every success in our school. We also wish to welcome Miss Peckham, our new Nursery Teacher & Mr Kallon who is teaching Class I2 to our school.

We hope they will be very happy here.

Meet The Teacher

We look forward to meeting you all next week for our 'Meet the Teacher' sessions. Please see the Diary Dates for days & times for each class. Emails were also sent to all families last week. Please check your spam/ junk box if it is not in your 'in' box.

Please note that these sessions will start on time and are not a drop in session.





Secondary schools

Please read through the secondary information sent home to year 6 families last week. Take time to visit prospective schools with your child in the coming weeks. Collect & return all catholic supplementary forms by their closing date to each school.

The online form must be submitted by 31st October.

Our Lady of Sorrows Church First Holy Communion Classes 2021 –2022

Parents/ Carers of children in Years 3—Year 6 can register their child for this years classes by using the QR code on the posters in the school office, by the year 3 classes and the school playground.

Classes will be led by Mr & Mrs Carter.



Party Bags

Party bags/ invitations cannot be distributed to children by any member of staff.

If a Parent/Carer would like to celebrate their child's birthday in class, it would be nice if a book was purchased that the birthday child could open in class and this would be their gift to the class for everyone to enjoy.



" God grants us his love, which saves us, heals us and gives us strength."

Pope Francis.



House Points

	KS1	KS2	Total
St. Francis	30	40	70
St. Claire	20	90	110
St. Mary	40	60	100
St. Joseph	30	50	80



Peckham Pantry

The Peckham Pantry is a membership scheme shop located 2 minutes from our school. Membership is £4.50 per visit and for that you will be able to choose approx. £15 worth of food. The scheme is open to all local residents.

Please refer to the Peckham Pantry flyer which has been emailed to all parents/ carers.

To apply for membership go to

> www.pecan.org.uk/ peckham-pantry



Half Term 2021

Monday 25th— Friday 29th October

School reopens on Monday 1st November

Merits

Nursery	Mary-Winnie	J'Xyla
F1	Nana	Noah
R1	Jake	Sophie
R2	Mabel	Jaden
A1	Joshua	Renesha
A2	Penda	Ayodele
N1	Bella	Leo
N2	Caitlyn	Quesnel
C1	Destiny	Emmanuel
C2	River-Lee	Riko
l1	Yusuf	Adamaris
12	Valerie	Maryam
S1	Joshua	Emmanuel
S2	Kaniel	Thierry







Star of the Week

Nursery	Danny		
F1	Kimya		
R1	Paddy		
R2	Dilam		
A1	Theo		
A2	Adekoya		
N1	Neriah		
N2	Annalisa		
C1	Mey		
C2	Daniel		
I1	Mahrlee-Katie		
I2	Noah		
S1	Ariane		
S2	Prince		

INSET DAYS

Wednesday 1st Sept 2021

Monday 6th June 2022

3 more days tbc

Diary Dates

Whole School Mass

Thursday 16th September 9.30am in church

Meet the Teacher Meeting Monday 20th September

Year 5: 9am—9.45am **Year 2**: 2.45pm—3.30pm

Tuesday 21st September

Nursery & Class F1 9am—9.45am

Year 3: 2.45—3.30pm

Wednesday 22nd September

Year 4: 2.45—3.30pm

Thursday 23rd September

Year 6: 2.45—3.30pm

Friday 24th September

Year 1: 9am—9 45am

'GSPR:

Whenever we process (staff, parents and pupil) data, we need to comply with GDPR. For more information on how we process data, check on our website

www.stfrancis.southwark.sch.uk'