

Tuesday 16th January 2024

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

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# Prayel

Dear God. Please help me to be always ready to make a new start with you and with others as start this new year. Amen.



"Let us allow God's constant help to make us new people." Pope Francis.



#### KS1 Book Bags

To prevent damage to the children's school books, please ensure the bag they use for school is big enough to hold an A4 book. Book bags can be purchased from the APT shop in Peckham (opposite Primark)



Welcome back and a very happy New Year to everyone.

Thank you for your good wishes and blessings for Christmas and the New Year they were all much appreciated.

### **Young Voices**

Our choir attended the Young Voices concert at The O2 Arena yesterday. All the weeks of rehearsing were put into action as the children sang and danced along, everyone had an amazing time. Thank you to Ms Lesley, Miss Ables & Miss Atkinson for arranging this trip.

# Sound Steps Music School

Free taster keyboard/ piano sessions for children aged 5-13.

Please refer to the flyer sent home last week to book your slot.





### **Christmas Fair**

With your generosity The Friends of St Francis raised £1290.00 Well done everyone.

If you would like to join the Friends of St Francis or volunteer for any future events please let the office know.



#### **Spare Uniform**

If your child has outgrown their uniform, please donate it to the school. We need clean, good condition items (no stains, holes or worn out collars etc). All donations to the school office. Thank you.

## **Admission Policy** Consultation

The Governors of St Francis R.C Primary School would like to give notice of proposed changes on our Admissions Policy which will apply from 2025/2026 academic year and thereafter, subject to any further consultation.

Please refer to the school website for more information.

	Me	rits	<b>Star of the Week</b>
Love: Nursery	Dakota	Jaden	Loren
Joy: Reception	Darlene	Sara	Gloria
Honesty: Year 1	Camila	Aiden	Amelia
Gratitude: Year 2	Noah	Obosa	Isaac
Hope: Year 3	Paddy	Michael	Isaac
Generosity: Year 3/4	Daibel	Bethany	Moses
Justice: Year 4	Thiago	Mariam	Elizabeth
Tolerance: Year 5	Gabriel	Milan	Saruja
Courage: Year 5/6	Elianah	Amara	Bella
Wisdom: Year 6	Daniel	Helena	Josef

# **House Points**

House	Points	
St. Francis	70	
St. Claire	60	
St. Mary	60	
St. Joseph	80	

# Winning House of the Week



# Half Ter<sup>M</sup> Holiday

Monday 12th— Friday 16th February 2024

School reopens on

Monday 19th February 2024

# $\frac{After\ School\ Clubs}{Resume}$

# **Monday 15th January**

Multi-Sports Years 2 & 3

Coding Club Years 3 & 4

## Tuesday 9th January

Choir Years 4-6

Basketball Club

# Thursday 18th January Boys Football

Years 3 & 4
Years 5 & 6
Please collect
your child promptly at
4.25pm.

# **Diary Dates**

### **Thursday 1st February**

Parents Evening

## **Tuesday 6th February**

Parents Evening

## Wednesday 7th February

Natural History Museum Wisdom Class



# INSET DAYS

# Monday 3rd June 2024 1 more day tbc

### **Snacks & Packed Lunches**

Health & Safety: Reminder to Parents & Carers, packed lunches & snacks

#### **MUST NOT**

contain any type of peanuts, tree nuts or sesame seeds such as cereal bars, peanut butter, Nutella etc due to some children having a severe nut allergy.

Thank you for your cooperation.

#### 'GDPR:

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'