



We live, love and learn as Children of God

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Teresa of Avila (1515-1582)

Christ Has No Body

Christ has no body but yours,
No hands, no feet on earth but yours,
Yours are the eyes with which he looks
Compassion on this world,
Yours are the feet with which he walks to do good,
Yours are the hands, with which he blesses all the world.
Yours are the hands, yours are the feet,
Yours are the eyes, you are his body.
Christ has no body now but yours,
No hands, no feet on earth but yours,
Yours are the eyes with which he looks
compassion on this world.
Christ has no body now on earth but yours.

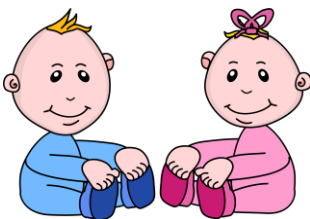


Year 2 - Splendid Skies



This term in year 2 our topic is splendid skies. Therefore in topic we wanted to explore how far a balloon would travel. This week we inflated balloons with helium and each child attached a postcard to a balloon which included their name, the school's address. All the children were very excited to release their balloons.

You will never guess what happened next! The school office received a phone call on Thursday morning from a man in Ireland. One of our balloons was found in a little woods bobbing up and down in a brush **ALL THE WAY IN CORK!**



We would like to wish Miss Talbot lots of luck as she leaves school today to start her Maternity leave. Thank you for all the hard work you have done, especially in the past few weeks to ensure a smooth hand over. You will be greatly missed by everyone! It's time to rest and enjoy your time before your little bundle of joy arrives.



Family Bingo

Don't forget Family Bingo returns Friday 27th April, this is a fun filled night for all the family to enjoy. Doors open at 6.45pm for a 7.00pm start, put the date in your dairy and come along and enjoy the fun.

Lots of line and house prizes to be won and a raffle on the night, BYO glasses and alcohol.

Pizza will be available to purchase on the night at £2.50 per slice and Hot Dogs are available at £3.00 each.



This term, Children are allowed to wear their summer uniform should they choose to. The summer uniform is as follows -

Girls -

KS1 & years 3, 4 & 5

Blue gingham dress with white/navy socks.

Please note "SKORT" suits are not acceptable uniform attire. PE shorts are acceptable under dresses should girls choose to wear them.

Year 6 Girls - Navy skirt, white shirt with long/short sleeves and gold tie.

Boys -

KS1 & Years 3, 4, 5

Grey shorts with white polo shirt. Grey or Navy socks

Year 6 boys - Normal summer uniform or Grey shorts with short/long sleeve shirt and gold tie.

There is a large amount of "Second hand uniform" available from the PSA. This will be in the playground next Friday 20th April after school, a donation will be kindly appreciated for any items you choose to take. Any items left will be given to charity.



"Let's Sing 2018 - The Mayor of Reading Choir Competition"

Congratulations to St. Anne's Choir for their fantastic performance, in The Mayor of Reading's Choir Competition. It was a very tough and close competition and our choir made it to final round. St. Martin's Glee Club were the group winners. Thank you to Mrs Asbury for all her time and efforts with the children.

Afterschool Clubs next term

The following clubs will run after school next term, registration forms can be picked up from the school office. Each club requires a separate registration form. Please post all registration forms in an envelope with the correct payment in the school letter box by the school office. Registration forms and envelopes are available from the school office.

Tuesday AM - Running

Tuesday PM - Gymnastics

Thursday AM - Tennis

Thursday PM - Football

Friday PM - Dodgeball & Girls Football

Jazz Dance club also runs on Wednesday afternoon. Please contact the school office for more details.

Coding Club - Wednesday afternoon for years 5&6, spaces are limited.



YEAR 6 SATS MEETING

There will be a Year 6 SATS information meeting next Wednesday at 6pm in the year 6 classroom. All Parents and Carer's are invited to attend. This is a good opportunity to find out more information in order to prepare your child for SATS. Please do try to attend.



SPORTS DAY

This year's sports day is planned for Thursday 28th June with a backup day of Tuesday 3rd July. More details will follow.



All children from Reception to Year 6 will have a username and password for Bug Club. Your child's Bug Club account allows them to access books online for their reading level, in addition to the paper books sent home each week. This term, class teachers from Years 2-6 will now be uploading maths and SPaG games, linked to the units being taught in class, to each child's Bug Club account every week. This is a great and fun way for all children to consolidate what they have been learning in school at home. If your child is having difficulty accessing their Bug Club account, please speak to the class teacher.

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YEAR 4 Swimming -

Please note there was an error on the letter sent home this week, swimming starts next WEDNESDAY 18th April for a 10 week programme. Please ensure to return all completed permission forms by Monday 16 April with full payment of indicate your payment option.

Parking outside school on Washington Road -

Please be reminded that parking is not permitted on the Yellow Lines outside of school on Washington Road. Parents are kindly reminded not to park outside the main school gate at drop off & collection times. The Yellow Lines are there to ensure the safety of the children.

St. Anne's PSA -

Join our Facebook page to keep up to date with future school and PSA events. It is a closed group strictly for Parents and Carer's of children in school. Please ensure to read the "Pinned Post" to be aware of the rules of the page.

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/StAnnesCavershamPSA/>

Vomiting & Diarrhoea

If a child vomits or has diarrhoea, please be reminded they **MUST** be 48 hours clear since the last occurrence before they can return to school. Children who return to school earlier than this time will be sent home.

Diary Dates for Spring Term and School Academic Dates for Year 2017/2018

March		
APRIL		
Wednesday 18th	YEAR 4 Swimming Starts – 10 week course Queen Anne’s School.	
Friday 27th	PSA Family Bingo Night – School Hall	6.45
MAY		
Monday 7th	BANK HOLIDAY	
Friday 18th	PSA DISCO RECEPTION & KS1 – 5.00 – 6.45 KS2 – 7.00 – 8.15	
Tuesday 22nd	First Holy Communion – Confessions in school	
Wednesday 23rd	First Holy Communion Meeting with Fr. Patrick – The Cenacle	5:00
Friday 25th	END OF TERM 5 – LAST DAY OF SCHOOL	
JUNE		
Sunday 3rd	First Holy Communion Mass – Our Lady & St. Anne’s Church	10:00
Monday 4th	INSET DAY	
Tuesday 5th	TERM 6 - RETURN TO SCHOOL	
Wednesday 6th	Confirmation Mass – Our Lady & St. Anne’s Church	7.00
Friday 15th	PSA – Family Breakfast – School hall	8.00 – 8.40
Friday 22nd	PSA - Non Uniform Day/Own Clothes Day	
Friday 22nd	PSA – Movie Club Afternoon – School Hall	3.30
Thursday 28th	SCHOOL SPORTS DAY – School Field	9.30
Saturday 30th	PSA – Summer Fair – Food ‘n’ Fun Discovery Day	TBC
JULY		
Tuesday 3rd	BACK UP SCHOOL SPORTS DAY School Field	9.30
Friday 6th	PSA – Family Camp Out Night – School Field	
Friday 20th	TERM 6 ENDS – SUMMER HOLIDAYS	
Monday 23rd	INSET DAY	
Tuesday 24th	INSET DAY	

The Federation of St Anne’s and St Martin’s - Term Dates - 2018/2019

Term	Start date	End date
1	Wednesday 5 September 2018 (INSET on 4 September)	Thursday 18 October 2018 (INSET on 19 October)
2	Monday 29 October 2018	Friday 21 December 2018
3	Tuesday 8 January 2019 (INSET on 7 January)	Friday 15 February 2019
4	Monday 25 February 2019	Friday 5 April 2019
5	Tuesday 23 April 2019	Friday 24 May 2019
6	Tuesday 4 June 2019 (INSET on 3 June)	Wednesday 24 July 2019 (INSET on 25 July)