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St Anthony's Catholic Primary School
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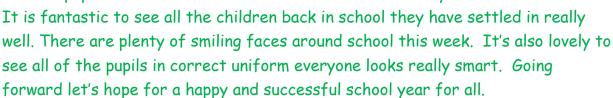
ATTEND AND ACHIEVE!

Please remember to phone school when your child is off to let us know or it will be recorded as an unauthorised absence. Our school target is 96%



Croeso n Ôl! - Welcome back!

I would like to take this opportunity to wish a warm welcome to all our new pupils and their families and to welcome back everyone else.



<u>CLWB HAPUS</u> after school club is back and have a lovely new room. Please book in online via school gateway. The club is open for pupils from Reception up to Year 6 from 3.15 to 5.30pm.

<u>LABELLING</u> - Can parents make sure <u>all their child's belongings are clearly labelled</u>. When children are removing jumpers/cardigans and changing for PE etc, it can become difficult to match them to the owner if they are not labelled. We also ask that all pupils have their own water bottle in school - especially during this warm weather. Thank you.



<u>P.E -</u> Please could all children now bring in their PE kits into school in a bag which can stay in school. We are reverting back to the previous system - children can get changed from uniform into PE Kit on the day of their PE session.

<u>SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT</u> - We have had new windows fitted in the hall over the Summer. We are hopeful that the scaffolding will come down soon.



MEDICAL RECORDS - Please can parents/quardians keep school fully informed of any changes to medical conditions and any allergies. Please contact the school office with any information.

Please can we also ask if you child is diagnosed asthmatic that parents/guardians send a spare inhaler to keep in school at all times.



<u>UNIVERSAL FREE SCHOOL MEALS</u> - From September the universal free school meals was extended to included Years 3 and 4. Therefore, all children from reception up to and including Year 4, regardless of circumstance can have free school meals. Any payments made this week will be refunded in due course.

CHESTER FOOTBALL CLUB. We have been given four free season tickets for Chester football club again this year, which can be borrowed from school, for use by our school families. Each child has to be accompanied by an adult to each game. Please contact the school office if you wish to borrow the tickets.



HEALTHY SNACKS

All snacks in our school should be healthy. We have a legal duty as a school to promote healthy eating. Almost all primary schools in Wales specify a healthy snack for break times. On our website under parents tab/ Health and Wellbeing we have detailed information about healthy snacks, healthy drinks and healthy lunch boxes. This week I have seen a child walking into school eating a packet of sweets. From Monday morning we will be checking for healthy snacks at breaktimes and following Welsh Government guidance. Please could all snacks brought into school be a healthy choice. **Please remember we are a nut free school.

https://www.nhs.uk/healthier-families/food-facts/healthier-snacks/#packagedsnacks

We have a fruit club for our Junior pupils which is run daily by pupils in Year 6 before break time 20p per day for fresh fruit snacks of their choice.

Foundation phase pupils are provided with a healthy snack each day, (20p per day/£1 per week). Payments can be made via school gateway. You can pay daily, weekly, termly or for the whole school year whichever is best for you.













HARVEST MASS - October 25th at 9.30am for years 5 and 6 parents in the school hall.

Term dates - Please find herewith the term dates for this school year.

	Autum Town 2022	
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Training days	Friday 1st September +	
Training days	Monday 4 th September	
School opens	Tuesday 5 th September	
School closes	Friday 27 th October	
		Autumn Half term
School opens	Monday 6 th November	
Term End	Thursday 21 st December	
Training day	Friday 22 nd December	
		Christmas Holiday
	Spring Term 2024	
School opens	Monday 8 th January	
School closes	Thursday 8 th February	
Training day	Friday 9 th February	
		Spring Half term
School opens	Monday 19 th February	<u> </u>
Term End	Friday 22 nd March	
		Easter Holiday
	Summer Term 2024	
Training day	Monday 8 th April	
School opens	Tuesday 9 th April	
Bank holiday	6 th May	
School closes	Friday 24 th May	
		Summer Half term
School opens	Monday 3rd June	
Term end	Friday 19 th July	Summer Holidays

Week 3 Menu						
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday		
Meatballs and	Ham and cheese		Big Breakfast-	Chicken		
pasta or veggie	calzone pocket or	Roast	Bacon, Omelette	burger in a		
meatball and	cheese and tomato	Dinner or	and beans	bun or baked		
pasta both in	calzone pocket	veggie	or veggie big	cod goujons		
tomato sauce	both with wedges	roast	breakfast- veggie	both served		
with garlic	and peas.	dinner.	sausage omelette	with chips and		
bread and			and beans.	veg sticks.		
peas.						
Yoghurt and	Baked biscuit and	Fruit flap	Yoghurt and fresh	Cocoa Krispie		
fresh fruit.	fresh fruit.	jack and	fruit.	cake and		
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A choice of sandwiches, pasta pots and Jacket potatoes with a choice of fillings are also available daily.