



Our Lady of the Angels Catholic Primary School



Weekly Newsletter

30th January 2023

We are committed to safeguarding children.

Designated Child Protection Officer: Amelia Harding

Deputy Child Protection Officers: Kate Davenport, Lauren Stone

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Pupil Chaplains

The pupil chaplains are looking super smart in their new hoodies and we are very proud of them and the work they have been doing.

They carry out a number of roles around the school: leading whole school prayer and worship, running the lunchtime prayer space and fundraising.

All pupils are invited to apply to become a pupil chaplain when they are in Year 4.





Whole school attendance this week 93.4 %

Current overall attendance 93.4%

This week's trend $\uparrow 0.2\%$



Our target this year



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School Meals



Chartwells
So much more than Fantastic food

The cost of a school meal is £2.34.

Lunches **will not** be ordered by the school in class or by the office staff.

Parents must order and pay for lunches in advance via ParentPay. Please note that parents whose children are entitled to Free school meals or universal infant free school meals must also order their children's lunches in advance.

Lunches must be ordered by 8.15 a.m.



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Supporting Torbay through the cost-of-living crisis

TORBAY
COUNCIL

Torbay Council understand the rise in the cost of living is making things hard for households. They want to support residents to the best of their ability. Help could come directly from the council, other local partners or government schemes and programmes.

<https://www.torbay.gov.uk/benefits/cost-of-living/>

Further information can be found on the 'Help for Households' website

<https://helpforhouseholds.campaign.gov.uk/>

The Torbay Community Helpline is a one-stop-shop for access to advice, information and referral to a whole range of support in the community and beyond.

Call or use the online form to ask for help or signposting about anything, including:

- Benefits, debt, and finance
- Housing issues
- Activities and groups in your area
- Mental and physical wellbeing
- Caring for someone
- Accessing training and skills
- Domestic abuse
- Volunteering

If you need to speak to someone face to face, you can also visit the Community Cafe and Help Hub at Temperance Street, Torquay (down the slope next to McDonalds in Union Street). They are open Tuesday to Friday, from 10am to 3pm.

Torbay Community Helpline

One call - that's all



Contact us:

Phone: 01803 446022

Online form: bit.ly/torbayhelpline

Monday-Friday: 10am-6pm

Saturday: 11:30am-12:30pm





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Library Opening

The library is open every day at hometime. Please feel free to pop in after school to choose books with your child.

The library is located just to the left of the Reception area. We have books for sharing for younger children and the children's Accelerated Reader books.



Remember that research tells us that the more children read for pleasure the higher their academic attainment will be. [More information here!](#)



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Spring term - After School Clubs Yr R-6

Monday - Boys football 3,4,5,6

Tuesday- Uni-hoc 4,5,6

Wednesday - Netball 3,4,5,6

Thursday - Girls football 3,4,5,6

Friday - Multi Skills/Sports R,1,2

The clubs are free but please book online via your ParentPay account.





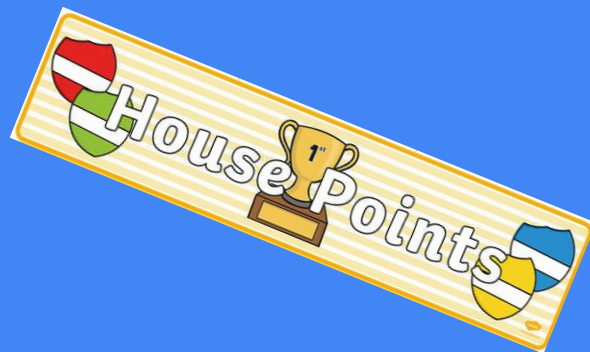
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House Points - Weekly



Bevan House
352
Stephenson House
337
Pankhurst House
400
Thompson House
253





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Love, Learn and Grow Awards



Class R
Freddie
Sean
Riley

Class 1
Keshav
Rory
Nevaeh

Class 2
Ammar
Christopher
Arlo



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Love, Learn and Grow Awards



Class 3

Adam

Ayla-Rose

Antoni

Class 4

Riley

Elisha

Olivija

Class 5

Sid

Arthur

Ashton

Class 6

Leonard

Barney

Emelia



Attendance Reminders

If your child is sick please ring on the first day of absence by 9.15 a.m. and every other day thereafter. If you don't do this we will ring you as we are required to check on the welfare of our pupils. You must inform us of your child's symptoms.

Evidence of all medical appointments must be provided.

At present children arriving after 8.50 a.m. will be recorded as Late, and after 9.15 a.m. will be recorded as late after registers have closed. This will be amended after the February half term.





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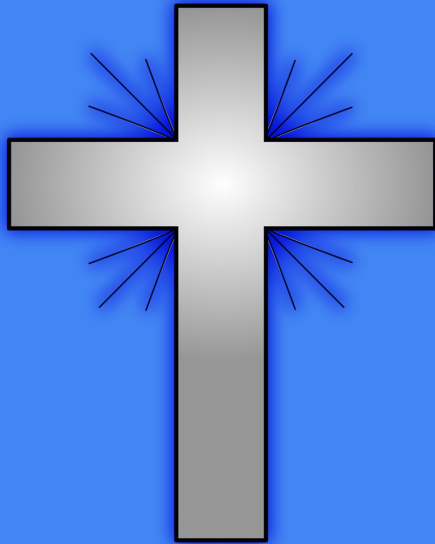
Upcoming Events

February

Tuesday 7th	Parents evening 3.30 - 6.00 - all classes
Thursday 9th	Parents evening 3.30 - 6.00 - all classes except Reception
Friday 10th	PTA Disco EYFS/KS1 4.30 - 5.30 KS2 6.00 - 7.00



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God of mercy,

Open our hearts to listen to what Jesus tells us.

Help us to reach out to others who are poor, sad, or frightened and try to make their lives blessed.

Amen.



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