



St John Vianney Newsletter

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★ Star of the Week ★



<u>Year</u>	<u>Pupil</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>Pupil</u>
First Steps	Austin & Theo	Year 3	George & Alyssa
Reception	Rosanna & Dominic	Year 4	Charlie & Kara
Year 1	Harrison & Georgia	Year 5	Macie & Nathaniel
Year 2	Layton & Sophia	Year 6	Peyton & Tye



Writer of the Week!

- Reception – Tommy
- Year 1 – Aria
- Year 2 – Ada
- Year 3 –
- Year 4 – Heidi
- Year 5 – Aria
- Year 6 – Harry T





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Reception	94.05%	Year 4	95.04%
Year 1	95.07%	Year 5	94.99%
Year 2	94.63%	Year 6	95.07%
Year 3	95.59%	Overall school attendance	94.05%

Parents evening

05.03.2024 – 3.30 to 6pm

06.03.2024 – 3.30 to 5.30pm

Bookings can also be made to see our SENCO Mrs Mills should you have any concerns you wish to raise.

If you still require a booking, please contact the class teacher as online bookings have now closed.

- Breakfast club are looking for donations of dolls i.e. Barbie and action figures. If you have any spare, please drop them at breakfast club or the office.





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All communication is now made via Arbor and email. Please do not report your child's absence via the old app as this will no longer be monitored. Any absence should be reported via the in-app messages on Arbor or the school office.

Please download the Teachers to Parents app to pay money to school.

School money app



Teachers2Parents
Education

Arbor app



Arbor Parent App
Parent & Guardian Portal

Both apps can be downloaded from any app store.

School money will require your mobile number and Arbor will use your email address.





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To celebrate Easter each class will be retelling the Easter story. They will perform a short 10-minute play to the school.

(This will not be open to parents)

Dates For Your Diary

- 04.03.2024 – EYFS will be coming to school in the PJS.
- 06.03.2024 - Y5 and Y4 trip to the Philharmonic Hall.
- 07.03.2024 – Acorn farm to visit EYFS
- 07.03.2024 – World Book Day
- 08.03.2024 – Dress Up as a Book Character
- 11.03.2024 – Science Week
- 14.03.2024 – Science Boffins
- 25.03.2024 – Easter Mass, all are welcome
- 27.03.2024 – PTFA Easter Bingo
- 28.03.2024- Easter Bonnet parade
- 28.03.2024 – School Closes at 3.15pm for Easter Holidays
- 15.04.2024 – Back to School





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Book Week 2024

Book Fair

The Scholastic book fair will be in school all week, with the books on display after school each day for families to come and browse if they wish. Parents' Evening falls within the same week, so a new book is a fantastic treat for a positive report.

'Reading Rocks' Café

Each afternoon (Tuesday to Friday), we will be inviting parents (or other family members) to come into the hall for a drink and a biscuit and to listen to their child read. This will also give you the chance to have a look at the books on sale at the book fair and purchase one if you wish. This will be on the following days:

- Nursery & Reception: Tuesday (2:15pm)
- Y1 & Y2: Wednesday (2:15pm)
- Y3 and Y4 Thursday (2:15pm)
- Y5 & Y6 Friday (2:15pm)

£1 book tokens

Every child will receive a £1.00 book token in the week of the book fair. These can be used as a discount voucher towards the cost of a book from the book fair or can be redeemed at various retailers for one of the special £1.00 world book day books.

Assembly

On Thursday 7th March, we have a whole school assembly from St Helens library service. They will be promoting the library with the children, encouraging them all to become members and sharing a love of books!

Dress Up as a Book Character

On Friday 8th March, we are going to be dressing up as a book character. During our weekly celebration assembly, we will have a parade to show the rest of the school our costumes.





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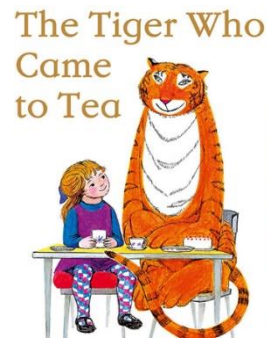
Please do not go to any huge expense for this. Below are some links with suggestions of simple, effective home-made costumes:

<https://www.madeformums.com/toddler-and-preschool/last-minute-easy-world-book-day-costumes/>

<https://www.netmums.com/world-book-day/top-world-book-day-costume-ideas>

Whole School Competition

We would like you to create a 'freeze-frame' or short video clip of a scene from your favourite story book. How you do this is up to you – be as creative as you like, but here are a few examples to get you going.



Please upload any competition entries to ClassDojo by Friday 8th March and there will be prizes awarded that day in assembly.

We look forward to a fantastic week of celebrating books in school and thank you in advance for your support with the different activities.

