# St Francis Primary School Newsletter June 2024



Welcome to our June newsletter! As we near the end of Term 4 our focus is on celebrating achievements and preparing children for the next steps in learning.

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Please click on the links below to view more information.



## Primary Information and Achievements

## Class Newsletters



Starting this term, we're excited to introduce a new way of keeping you informed about our curriculum. We'll be piloting a curriculum newsletter, which will replace the classroom blogs. While the blogs have been great for showcasing our learning at the end of term, we've heard from many families that they're eager to know what's coming up at the beginning of term.

Our teachers will be sharing this information through the curriculum newsletter, which will be accessible on our school website. We hope you find this new format helpful and look forward to your feedback.





To celebrate the opening of our new school library, we invited our PI families for a afternoon of reading under the sunshine. Each child had the special opportunity to select a book of their choice from our collection. With this wonderful new resource at our fingertips, we eagerly anticipate seeing our children embrace the joy of reading on a regular basis in the months to come.



We are very excited about our end of year school show 'Through the Decades' which will go live on the 19th June at 9.30pm and 1.30pm.

Tickets can be purchased from 28th May for £2 per adult (2 tickets per family) before and after school, a table will be set up outside to accommodate

## End of Term Reports

Our end of year reports for school and nursery will be sent home week beginning 17th June, please check school bags for these!



### Transition

#### Transition from stage to stage

As part of our preparation for the following year, we will prepare children by having an afternoon where they will move to their new class and meet their new class teacher. This will take place on the 18th June.

Any children requiring an enhanced transition will receive this week beginning 10th June.







Transition (Secondary)

Our primary seven children who are moving on to Holyrood will be going for a three-day Transition experience on 11th, 12th and 13th June. Mrs Johnston will share details about this closer to the time.

Primary 7 and parent induction information evening at Holyrood will take place on 13th June at 6.30pm



## Digital update

It's been an exciting year of digital exploration at our school! Our pupils have been immersed in a series of engaging experiences where they've explored new apps or devices. From interactive learning with innovative tools to fun QR code hunts that challenge problem-solving skills, our pupils have embraced technology with enthusiasm and curiosity. We also want to extend our heartfelt thanks to all the parents who have supported us by reviewing our newsletter layout, website, and digital plans for the upcoming year. Your feedback has been invaluable in shaping our digital vision. We're looking forward to more collaborative adventures ahead, where technology continues to inspire creativity and empower learning. Stay tuned for further updates and upcoming digital initiatives!







Rights Respecting Schools





We are a Silver accreditation School



Article 23



If I have a disability I have the right to special care and education
In St Francis we support all children to be active and participate in all areas of the curriculum so they can enjoy a full and decent life. We encourage and prepare all children to become confident individuals.



## Nursery Information and Achievements



## PI Induction days

Our final Induction day for all children starting PI in August will take place on the 6th June from 1.30pm - 2.30pm. This will give the children another opportunity to meet their teacher, new classmates, and take part in some activities. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact us.

# Nursery Graduation graduation end of year party



We have planned an end of year trip to Glasgow Green for all children on the 11th June., all parents should attend this trip. A letter with more information will follow.

Our end of year parties have been organised for the 18th June. all pre school children will attend in the morning and all anti pre school children in the afternoon.

Our nursery graduation will take place on the 21st June at 10am. All pre school children should attend in the morning only. All anti pre school children should attend in the afternoon from 1pm.



## Returning Children for August 24

We look forward to welcoming back some of our nursery children in August 24. We will be in touch soon to discuss any changes to morning and afternoon sessions and key workers.





The monthly tuck shop has been a great success, so far is we have made the following profit:

#### March profit £105.88 April profit £97.26

We are delighted to announce that our tuck shop will be back next year in May and June due to its incredible success. We will also change some of the tuck shop options including ice poles. A huge thank you to everyone who contributed to this success and for the ongoing support we receive

Thanks to the funds raised, the Parent Council has been able to support the P7 trip, ensuring that all children can participate. This generous contribution truly embodies our community spirit and commitment to every pupil's experience.

Thank you again for your continued support and enthusiasm.

## Primary 7 ties

As we prepare for the next academic year, we kindly ask Primary 7 pupils to donate their old ties if they are in good condition. This initiative supports our commitment to recycling and sustainability while helping us prepare for incoming Primary 7 pupils next year. Your contribution will make a meaningful impact on our efforts to reduce waste and promote eco-friendly practices within our school community.

## Annual General Meeting

We are excited to announce our last meeting of the school year, which will be held on May 30th at 6:00pm in the school hall. We extend a warm invitation to all new members who would like to join us!







#### School Website and Contact Details





Please find below the link to our school website where you can explore details about our school, including our school and nursery handbook, curriculum information, and nursery details. We are currently refreshing the website to make it even more informative and user-friendly.



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# Dates for your Diary

DIARY

Date & Time	Event
30th May	Primary Sports Day
31st May @ 1.30pm	Football tournament
31st May	House Day (children can wear house team colours
6th June ©1.30pm-2.30pm	P1 Induction day 2
7th June	Nursery Sports day
11th June	Nursery outing to Glasgow Green
13th June © 2pm - 4pm	Ladies afternoon in the main hall
17th June @ 9.30am	P7 Graduation Mass
17th June @ 6.30pm	P7 Prom

18th June	AM - pre school -party PM - anti pre party
19th June	School Show 9.30am 1.30pm
20th June	Primary end of term parties
21st June© 9.30am	Nursery graduation
26th June© 1.30pm	School & Nursery close

