

St Nicholas Catholic Primary School

'Love one another as I have loved you'



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Dates

Dear Parents,

Last Friday, we had the most exciting day of learning, despite the heavy fall of snow. Our resilient children and families were so excited to come to school and continue their exceptional learning, including experiencing the snow with their friends. I can honestly say, it was such a special day, and all the children had a fun learning day!



Date	Event
6-8 March	Y6 Residential
12/3/23	St Patrick's Parade
13 & 14 March	Parents evening
17/3/23	St Patricks Assembly
21 & 22 March	Easter Production
24/3/23	First Confessions
27/3/23	Poetry slam final
31/3/23	School Closes for Easter @1:15pm
20/4/23	Group Photographs

Dates are subject to change. More details will be sent out for trips/events as they get closer.

School Direct: If you are interested in becoming a teacher, please contact a.bove@stanthonysleeds.org.uk. They are looking for quality graduates for their Primary and Early Years Route for September 2023. If you know of any potential candidates, please do pass on this information.

Mother's day – I hope all the mums had a lovely day on Sunday, there are some beautiful portraits of you all displayed in church. Well done to our Reception class who did a lovely 'celebration of mums' assembly on Monday.



Easter Production: Our Year 3 and 4 children have been working really hard on their singing, acting and narrating of the Easter story. The school enjoyed watching it yesterday and I am sure parents you will love it too.

Staffing Update:

We have some wonderful news - Miss Mc Bride and Mrs Naylor are both expecting babies in the Autumn. Yesterday we had a really successful morning interviewing for new staff, we are thrilled to have appointed three new teachers – Miss Dwyer, Mrs Roberts and Miss Hayden, we can not wait for them to join our team. Due to difficulties with travel Miss Bennett will be leaving us at Easter, we wish her every luck for the future. I am very happy to share that Mrs Harrison will be taking over Year 3 for the rest of the year- she is a fabulous teacher, recently retired Head Teacher and she used to be my Deputy Head in my previous school.

Virtue to Live by is: Charity

Catholic Care Vacancies: We have been asked by Catholic Care if we would share some job opportunities with you. Please see the extra page attached for more information.

PGL: Our Year 6 children had a fabulous time at the new residential venue and they have highly recommended it for us to book again for next years Year 6 children, which is great to hear. The rooms, the activities and especially the food was given the thumbs up!



St Patrick's Day Parade: Thank you to everyone who made the St Patrick's day parade so much fun, we put a huge amount of work into the float but it was well worth it. We are going bigger and better next year!



In our final week of term, we are planning to get ready for Easter. We will be hosting our annual Easter competitions.

Get your thinking caps on. There are three categories: Easter bonnet, Easter garden, Decorated egg.

All children can enter. You might want to get planning now! I cannot wait to see all our incredible entries once again.



Reminder: The First Holy Communion parents meeting is on 30/3/23 at 3:30. The first class for the children is after Easter on 20/4/23.

Have a lovely week,
God Bless
Mrs Burns
Head Teacher

Mental Health Support Worker

Job Title: Mental Health Support Worker
Salary: NJC Spinal Point 8-12 £22,777 – £24,496 pro rata
(dependent on qualifications and experience)
Post: Part Time (16 hours) position available with some on call responsibility.
Location: Seacroft, Leeds
Closing Date: 31 March 2023
Interview Date: TBC

Senior Housing Support Worker

Job Title: Senior Mental Health Housing Support Worker
Salary: Spinal Point 13- 18 £24,948- £27,344 pro rata
(dependent on qualifications and experience)
Post: Part Time Position – 25 hours available with some on call responsibility.
Location: Seacroft, Leeds
Closing Date: 31 March 2023
Interview Date: TBC

Support Worker and Outreach- Dewsbury

Salary: Spinal Point SP3 £21,029 to SP7 £22,369 (dependent on qualifications and experience)
Post: Full Time, Part time & Care Bank positions available. (Would consider, flexible and weekend working contracts). Shifts patterns to include weekends and bank holidays. Sleep in allowance payable.
Location: Dewsbury.
Closing Date: Open until the vacancy has been filled
Interview Date: To be arranged with applicant

School Social Worker

Job Title: School Social Worker
Salary: Spinal Point 18 -25 currently £26,182 – £30,998 pro rata dependent on qualifications and experience -Plus Car Allowance
Post: Permanent: Both Full / Part time hours available
Location: West Yorkshire
Closing Date: Open until the vacancy has been filled. Interviews: TBC

Care Bank Residential Care Worker – Leeds

Contract type: Permanent
Grade/Band/pay scale: £11.09 inclusive
Hours per week: Flexible
(Shift patterns include weekends, bank holidays and sleep-ins
£39.24 per sleep in
Closing date: Until appointed
Interview date: To arrange with candidate

Residential Childcare Worker – Leeds.

Hours per week: Full Time and Weekend Part-Time positions available
(Shift patterns include weekends, bank holidays and sleep-ins
(8 per month)
Grade/Band/pay scale: SP8 – SP11 £26,230 – £27,507 (depending on qualification and experience) and includes 8 sleep ins per month
Contract type: Permanent
Closing date: Until appointed
Interview date: To be arranged with candidate

Senior Residential Childcare Worker – Leeds

Salary: SP 12-19 £27,949 – £31,305 (Dependent on qualifications)
This post comes with a Golden Hello to the organisation of £1000. £500 being paid on commencement of role and £500 being paid on satisfactory completion of probation period.
Hours per week: Full Time
(Shift patterns include weekends, bank holidays and sleep-ins
(8 per month)
Contract type: Permanent
Closing date: Until appointed
Interview date: to arrange with candidate

What we offer our employees

- we pay in line with NJC pay scale
- group personal pension scheme
- comprehensive induction programme with ongoing paid training and development
- regular supervision and professional development reviews
- career progression opportunities
- UK Healthcare Scheme
- Bike loan scheme
- Calm app subscription

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