



St. Francis Church of England Primary School

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School Newsletter

School Vision: Our aim at St. Francis Church of England Primary School is to guide our children to live fulfilling lives, rooted in the values taught by Jesus based on the gospel value of love for one another.

School Mission Statement: Love Faith. Love People. Love Learning.

School Values: love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control.

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Collective Worship - This week...

This week, we have focused on the Easter story. For millions of Christians across the world, the Easter story is such a powerful message. In this story, we explored how Christians believe that Jesus died on the cross for our sins and then rose from the dead - conquering death. We discussed how Christians believe that the Easter story gives them enduring hope and a relationship with God. We talked about the various feelings that the disciples must have felt.

Talk to your child(ren) about...

What happens on Good Friday?

What is Holy Saturday about?

What happens on Easter Sunday?

Why is the story of Easter so important to Christians?

What do you think it means to have a faith?

What does 'enduring hope' mean to Christians?

What question would you ask a Christian about Easter?

It's Time To Talk.

Picture News: (<https://www.stfranciscep.co.uk/page/19-20/84388>)



Mutual Respect

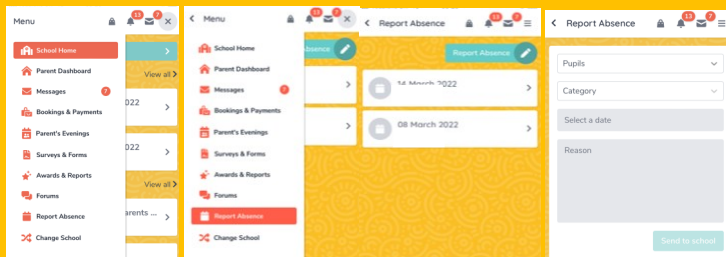
We are all different. Our names can help to identify us. We can use people's names to show friendship and respect.



Reporting School Absence - CHANGE - Action Required

We would like to move to parents/carers reporting a child's absence via the School Spider app. Please see the images below that show you how to do this. This will help the office staff to organise their day.

Login to your school spider app (please note recently, with a new system, you have already been sent an email about requesting a new password) and then click on 'school home'. This will load a menu to select from. Select 'Report Absence'. Once you have clicked this, you will be able to click 'Report Absences' with the pencil symbol. Previous reported absences will also be shown here.



A form will load. Please complete all sections. Select your child from the 'pupils' drop down and then select the relevant category, select the date and provide a reason for absence.

Attendance

Our current whole school attendance percentage is a cause for concern. We need to ensure this improves. Please prioritise your child's attendance at school. A formal review of attendance will be taking place shortly.

Quick News:

Information: During this half-term, Year 2 and 3 will be visiting the library. Please see your separate email with further information.

Information: Due to a system update over the Easter break, your School Spider app requires your attention. Input your username (your first name followed by your surname, following this format JoeBloggs) and then click 'reset password'. Some parents have found they have needed to delete the app and then reinstall to make it work. Apologies for the inconvenience of this!

Information: Sorry for the delay, however, end of Spring Term data reports will be sent out on Monday 25th April.

Thanks: Thank you and well done to everyone who has been creative and made some Easter art. We have used these to decorate school.

Year 4 Easter Production: WOW! A huge well done to Year 4 for your performance this week. You did an amazing job - great speaking, acting and singing! You did #TeamStFrancis proud!

