



W.E Friday 22nd
December

Autumn Term 2



Merry Christmas!



Dates For The Diary:

Children return to school- Monday 8th
January

I would like to take this opportunity on behalf of the team to wish you all a very peaceful and holy Christmas. Thank you for your support and partnership this term, and we look forward to seeing you all again in 2018.

A reminder that we return to school on Monday 8th January 2018.



FAITH



ASPIRATION



EFFORT



RESPECT



Attendance & Ready to Learn

Class	W.B Monday 11th December		W.B Monday 18th December	
	Attendance	Ready to Learn	Attendance	Ready to Learn
Reception	99%	84%	97%	90%
Year 1	97%	63%	92%	80%
Year 2	97%	90%	90%	100%
Year 3	89%	84%	94%	84%
Year 4	98%	78%	98%	100%
Year 5	96%	90%	87%	97%
Year 6	95%	94%	91%	97%
School	96%	83%	93%	93%

The KS2 Line-o-meter
 W.B 11th Dec- Year 6
 W.B 18th Dec- Everyone
Golden points for lining up:
 W.B 11th Dec- Everyone
 W.B 18th Dec- Everyone



Golden Broom Award
 W.B 11th Dec- Year 3
 W.B 18th Dec- Year 3
Mini broom Award
 W.B 11th Dec- Year 1
 W.B 18th Dec- Reception



Twitter and Class Blogs

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All our class blogs can be found at:

<http://www.st-tc.co.uk/our-school/class-blogs>



News and Updates

Thought For The Day

“Keeping busy and making optimism a way of life can restore your faith in yourself.”

—Lucille Ball (1911-1989)

Actress, Producer



Phonics Video

<https://www.youtube.com/user/ruthmiskintraining>

Proposed changes to admissions for 2019-20 at Notre Dame high school and All Saints school

<http://www.notredame-high.co.uk/index.php/component/k2/item/658-admissions>

http://www.allsaints.sheffield.sch.uk/admissions_consultation.html

Proposed changes to admissions for 2019-20 for St Thomas of Canterbury School

<http://www.st-tc.co.uk/admissions/proposed-admissions-policy>

ParentPay reminder

Please remember to book your child’s school dinners and Milk on ParentPay ready for the new term. There are also the afterschool activities available- all beginning WC 8th January with the exception of Art Club which will begin WC 15th January.

On the 18th January it will be census day and we will be having the all-day breakfast, please order the meat or vegi option on ParentPay and the special menu will be served.

Mass

On the 29th December at 10am there will be a mass at church for the feast of St Thomas of Canterbury, patron of the school & parish. This will be followed by tea, coffee & refreshments.

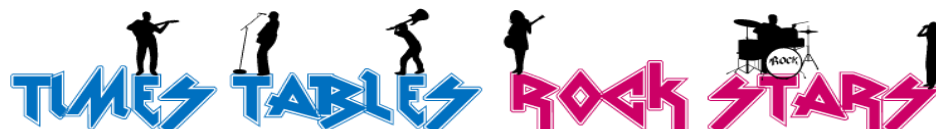
Pastoral Family Baking

All children have now baked with chef Donna in this first term- we will begin at the start of the list again on Friday 12th January with Mrs Moore and Miss Heeley’s group. All dates have now been added onto the parent calendar.

Friends Corner

This year’s winter warmer raised a total of £1323.90, thank you to everyone for your support. November’s 100 club winner was number 45, Margaret Proctor.

This week's winners are.....



Winners for W.E 18th December

Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
Finnian	George	Phoebe	Aisling
Samuel	Libby	Lydia	Rebecca
Hannah	Matilda	Edward	Drew
Thomas	Daniel	Annabel	Olivia
James	Freddie	Eoin	Emily



Celebration Assembly

Year Group	WOW	MEOW	SPOW	POW
Reception	Thomas	Rafael	Naimh	
Year 1	Hugo	Sophia	Madeleine	Ashton
Year 2	Anna	Edward	Olivia	Deborah



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Friday, 08 December 2017

Dear Parents/Carers

In response to statutory guidance received from the Catholic Education Service and the Diocese of Hallam, the Governors have determined that changes must be made to the admissions criteria for 2019-20. This means that the school must publicly consult on its proposed admissions arrangements for a period of six weeks ending on 31 January 2018. The proposed arrangements, together with the proposed new Supplementary Information form have now been placed on the school's website and your comments on the changes would be welcomed. The principal changes from the policy of 2018-19 include:

- there are no sub categories, but children with certified medical/social needs receive first priority in each category
- children with siblings already in the school receive second priority in each category
- there is a separate category for catechumens and members of Eastern Orthodox churches

The prioritisation of children with Education, Health and Care plans (or children with a Statement of special Educational Needs, the tie-break arrangements, the maintenance of the waiting list and the procedures for in-year applications remain unchanged, therefore comments are not requested on these aspects of the proposed policy.

Please address your comments, whether via email or in writing, to Sarah Hinchliffe in the School office, enquiries@st-tc.co.uk

Kind Regards,

Mr A Truby





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