



NEWSLETTER

XII Apostles RCPS, Nel Pan Lane, Leigh, Wigan WN7 5JS School Web Site: www.twelveapostlesleigh.co.uk

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12th April 2024

Welcome Back!

I hope you have had a lovely Easter break.

We have a busy summer term, so please keep an eye on the newsletter for upcoming events.

Twelve Apostles Baby and Toddler Group

A huge thank you to all those who attended our first baby and toddler group on Tuesday and of course thank you to Mrs Parry and Mrs Stones for running the group. The children and parents enjoyed a range of messy play, role play and craft activities. If you are interested in attending, please come along next Tuesday, 16th April at 9:00 am in the school hall. There is a small charge of £1.50 per adult.

FINAL REMINDER - Toast and Milk Money - Change to Parent Pay

If your child requires toast and milk for this term, please note it is the **FINAL** day today for you to make a payment on **Parent Pay**. No more payments will be accepted after today due to restrictions on the Parent Pay system.

£3 for toast

£6 for milk

£9 for toast and milk for the half term.

Reception children receive milk free of charge. Please note: Milk and toast payments have now moved to **Parent Pay**.

Trips and Visitors in School

- Year 5 Tattenhall Art Residential: Monday 22nd April and Tuesday 23rd April
- Year 1 Blackpool Zoo: Thursday 9th May
- Year 2 Blackpool Beach: Thursday 16th May
- Reception Smithills Farm: Tuesday 7th May

Friends Event Summer Festival and Colour Run

The Summer Festival, which will include the Colour Run, will be held after school on **Friday 7th June at 3:15 pm.**

To help advertise this event we are holding a poster competition. We are asking the children to design a background for the Summer Festival and Colour Run poster. Closing date for entries is Thursday 18th April.

The friends are making an appeal for items for the Tombola for this event. If you have any of the following that you are able to donate, please send into school any new, unwanted gifts, toiletries, toys and gift sets.

We are also continuing to collect filled jars again for the jar tombola, so please can you save your glass jars and fill them with sweets or small items like pencils, crayons, hair bobbles and send them into school.



Year 3 Stay and Pray

Tuesday 16th April at 3:00 pm in the School Hall

Mrs Yates and the children in Year 3 would like to invite you to join them in prayer on this date.

Class Topics for the Summer Term

Please visit our website to find out what your child will be learning in the Summer Term. You will then be able to talk to your child about the topics covered and support them in their learning. The topic webs can be found under each year groups class page.

[Welcome to XII Apostles RC Primary School Leigh, Lancashire \(twelveapostlesleigh.co.uk\)](http://twelveapostlesleigh.co.uk)

Year 4 First Holy Communion

Please keep our Year 4 children in your prayers as they continue on their faith journey. They will receive the sacrament of First Holy Communion tomorrow: **Saturday 13th April at 10:30 am at St Joseph Church, Mather Lane, Leigh.**



Health Checks and Screening

Reception Vision Screening

The school nurse will be visiting school on **Thursday 18th April** to measure the children's vision.

School Uniform Reminder

As we start a new term, I just wanted to remind parents and carers of our uniform policy. Children should come to school in their uniform everyday unless they have PE or a sports club. On these days they should come to school in their PE kit.

School Uniform

- **Grey or black** uniform trousers, shorts, skirt or pinafore dress
- White shirt, blouse or polo shirt
- **Red** school sweatshirt or cardigan (school logo optional)
- Red and white gingham dresses in summer months
- Flat, **black** sensible outdoor shoes.
- Hair longer than collar length should be tied back.
- **No make-up or nail varnish**
- **No Jewellery** except 1 pair of small plain studded earrings and or a small watch (not novelty)

PE Kit

- **Plain red** T-shirt (logo optional)
- Plain **black** shorts
- **Black** plimsolls
- **Black** trainers NO LOGOS
- Plain **black** jogging bottoms or leggings
- **Red** Hooded top: (school logo optional)

Thank you for your continued support. If you have any questions, please get in touch.

A Big Thank You to Amokabel

XII Apostles would like to thank Amokabel very much for their extremely generous gift to school. They have chosen to sponsor XII Apostles football team and purchase a whole new football kit. This is greatly appreciated by our school and our local community.



We are
not SUCCESSFUL
because We are SMART.
We are
SUCCESSFUL
when we
work hard.

Congratulations and well-done to all our stars!

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Star of the Term ★ ★ ★ ★ ★

Friday 27th March 2024

Reception – Evie B and Oliver M

Year 1 – Grace A and Damien B

Year 2 – Abby T and Khush J

Year 3 – Flynn B and Jensen B

Year 4 – Nada L and James L

Year 5 – Ruby B and Isaac F

Year 6 – Micah S and Ruby R



Star of the Week

Friday 12th April 2024

Reception – Lewis A and Ben W

Year 1 – Annabel S

Year 2 – Isla P

Year 3 – Ricky L

Year 4 – Mason G

Year 5 – Summer H

Year 6 – Kyrie -Rae B

ATTENDANCE MATTERS



In school



On time

Week Commencing: 18th March 2024

Reception	84.33%	Year 1	98.00%
Year 2	94.67%	Year 3	96.77%
Year 4	96.00%	Year 5	93.00%
Year 6	98.67%		

Congratulations
Year 6 & Year 1

Week Commencing: 8th April 2024

Reception	96.67%	Year 1	98.75%
Year 2	94.17%	Year 3	96.77%
Year 4	92.50%	Year 5	95.00%
Year 6	96.67%		



Have a lovely Weekend 😊

Mrs Whitton



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