



# St Augustine's Junior



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## A Message from Mrs Pierce

We have had another great week at St Augustine's. After our transition topic of "Here We Are", we have enjoyed a week of more normal lessons - and the children have worked really hard, I have been very impressed.

It is nearly time for our autumn term parents' evenings and I will be sending a letter home tonight explaining how these will work this term. Obviously, due to our current COVID restrictions, these will have to happen a little differently this time. I do hope that as many of you as possible will be able to meet with your child's class teacher remotely, as explained in my letter. Of course, if that is not possible, we will do everything we can to arrange an alternative meeting.

Please return your reply slips as soon as possible, so that we can start to make arrangements.

Thank you.

## Eco Explorer Task

Well done to everyone that took part in Challenge 1. Mrs Grange was super impressed with all of your windmills!



This week's task is **How to Make a Boat** - all the information you need is on the **attached sheet**.

Once you have completed the task, take a picture and upload it to our new Explorer Google Classroom or email it to the school email address. All completed tasks will count towards your Eco Explorers Passport.

The Eco Explorer Google Classroom code is: **xdewlbt**

We look forward to seeing all of your creations!

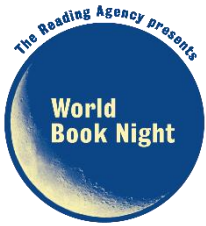
### **Bike to School Week**

Thank you to everybody who cycled to school this week - it was great to see more bikes around the school and hearing about the children's journeys into school on them! House Points have been awarded to all those who have helped towards achieving our final total.

Next week we are taking part in Bike It's Active Travel to Space Competition, running from Monday 5<sup>th</sup> - Friday 10<sup>th</sup> October to coincide with World Space Week (<https://www.worldspaceweek.org/>). The theme is 'Satellites Improve Life' and the competition has been organised by Gemma and Eric from Sustrans.

There will be House Points on offer to everybody who travels to school in a sustainable way plus prizes for various competitions that will be announced on Monday. We will also be competing with schools across Peterborough, gaining five 'Space Miles' for every journey into and home from school that's made on a bike, scooter or on foot.

### **World Book Night**



On April the 23rd, to celebrate Shakespeare's birthday, it is World Book Night and the public can apply to become a World Book Night giver. This means they pick one of that year's books for a specially chosen selection and give them away. Due to the lockdown, this was delayed until now.

I applied this year as I thought it was fantastic for our children in school to see their adults at home reading too.

I was lucky enough to be chosen and so I am pleased to be able to offer you a free copy of Milly Johnson's book THE LITTLE DREAMS OF LARA CLIFFE.

If you would like a copy, please email me [ywalker@staugustinesjunior.net](mailto:ywalker@staugustinesjunior.net) with details of your child's name and class and I will pop a book to them to bring home to you.

I have 140 copies and it will be 1 copy per household.

Happy Reading

**Mrs Walker**

### **Online Safety - National Online Safety Organisation**

Please see attached information on **Cyberbullying**, supplied by National Online Safety Organisation for you to read and share at home.

## Learning for Next Week

w/c 05 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Literacy	Maths
<b>Lower School</b>	In Lower School, the children will be continuing to use the WAGOLL to analyse the features of a set of instructions. They will continue to use Talk For Writing to learn the features. They will be learning about when the Stone Age began and the different events that occurred by using timelines.	In Maths, the children will be learning how to read, write, compare and order numbers.
<b>Upper School</b>	In Upper School, the children will continue to analyse the WAGOLL and identify different examples of direct and reported speech. The children will then write examples of these before planning and writing their own journalistic recount.	In maths, both Year 5 and 6 will learn how to round numbers to a degree of accuracy. They will then apply these skills to problem solving questions.

## Calendar Dates

07<sup>th</sup> Oct - NPA virtual open evening 6pm

13<sup>th</sup> Oct - Individual School Photographs


**26<sup>th</sup>-30<sup>th</sup> Oct - October Half Term**

31<sup>st</sup> Oct - Closing Date for Secondary School 2021 applications

13<sup>th</sup> Nov - Flu vaccination in school (all year groups)



## St Augustine's Weekly Awards

02 <sup>nd</sup> Oct 2020	SIMMONDS	MURRAY	ROSS	WELBY	ATTENBOROUGH	NEWTON	FARAH	GLENNIE
<b>Star of the Week</b>	Lola	Harry	Tommy	Leah	Sid	Daniel	Ella	Bilal
<b>Top 4</b>	Gracie Noami Jack Mitzee	Jalen Scarlett Naman Riley	Natan Summer Jessica Aida	Riley Brayden Logan Leah	Sid Aleks Amelie Claudia	Dylan Danny Daniel Kumba	Charlie Yusra Molly Auguste	Naomi Agatha Natalie David
<b>Golden Pencil</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Pen Licence</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Maths Award</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Learning Log of the Week</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Eco - Pringle Award</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-		-
<b>Attendance Cup</b>	99.7%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Top Readers Award</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Termly House Point Totals</b>	<b>St. John</b>		<b>St. Mark</b>		<b>St. Luke</b>		<b>St. Peter</b>	
	1490		1406		1329		1350	

\* **Stars of the Week** - Every week, each class teacher nominates a child who has been a wonderful example to others through their effort, attitude to learning, their behaviour or kindness.

\* **Learning Log of the Week** - Every week, each class teacher will nominate a child for their hard work and effort in their home learning.

\* **Top 4** - These are the children who earned the most House points in their class this week.

\* **Attendance Award** - This is awarded to the class with the highest attendance each week.

\* **Eco - Pringle Award** - This is awarded to the class that have achieved the most during their Outdoor Learning lesson.

\* **Top Readers Award** - This is awarded to the class with the highest percentage achieved on Accelerated Reader each week.