# STM Weekly Round Up

w/e 22.09.23



#### Dear Parents and Carers,

This week we came together to celebrate our first Mass of the new school year. It was an opportunity for us as a whole school family to ask God to help us with our learning, our friendships and with everything that is part of our school and to give us hope as we look forward with enthusiasm to the year ahead. Our newly appointed Lighthouse team were blessed and thanked by Father Richard and had the opportunity to attend the beginning of the new year Mass at St George's Cathedral in London. We wish them all the best as they help support all pupils, promote the Catholic life of the school and lead in school assemblies.

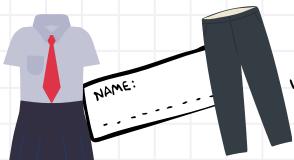


## 'Bike it Scoot it' Week Monday 25th Sept-Friday 29th Sept



Next week we are encouraging as many children as possible to cycle or scoot to school. Leading an active lifestyle has a positive impact not only on physical health but our mental well being too. We will also see the return of the Golden Lock next week and if your child sees this special lock on their bike or scooter at the end of the day then they will be presented with a prize! On Thursday there is an opportunity for the children to 'bling up' their scooter or bike and there will be a special parade and prizes awarded.





### Winter School Uniform

As autumn is now upon us may we ask that from the first week in October all children are in their winter uniform (we are still hopefully due to have some nice weather next week!). Please ensure all items of clothing are clearly labelled - especially coats and jumpers. Thank you.

### **AMAZING ATTENDANCE!**

We are all so proud of this week's attendance, thank you parents for ensuring your child is in school everyday, let's work together to keep it up!

### This week's attendance figures -

Congratulations to Reception, Year 2 & Year for outstanding 100% attendance!

Year Group	<u>Attendance</u>	
Reception	100%	
Year 1	96.7%	Whole School
Year 2	100%	Attendance:
Year 3	100%	99%
Year 4	99.2%	
Year 5	97.8%	
Year 6	99.5%	

And finally...

Monday 23rd Oct - Friday

27th Oct

## Up coming dates

Monday 25th-Friday 29nd Sept	'Bike It Scoot It' Week	
Monday 25th - Wednesday 27th Sept	Scholastic Book Fair - great books on sale after school at 3.30pm	
Friday 29th Sept	Open Morning for new Reception 2024 intake at 9.30am	
Wednesday 4th Oct	Reception class visit to church to celebrate their class saint - Saint Francis	
Friday 20th Oct	INSET DAY - school closed to children	

October Half Term

Wednesday 1st November Whole school Mass at Church - 9am