



# St. Francis' Catholic Primary School

'We Care for each other and we  
always try to do our best'

2nd May 2017

Friday 5th May: PTFA Spring Bash at Barton Grange Hotel, 7.30pm

Monday 8th May: Year 5 at St. Cecilia's for a creative workshop day  
SATs begin -English Reading Paper

Tuesday 9th May:  
Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling Paper 1 and Paper 2

Wednesday 10th May:  
Maths Paper : Arithmetic  
Maths Paper 2: Reasoning

Thursday 11th May:  
Maths Paper 3: Reasoning

Sunday 14th May: Family Mass

Monday 15th May-9.30am: Year 4 out at 'World Faith Day' Lea St.Mary's

Monday 22nd May: May Procession at 2.00pm

Wednesday 24th May: Keeping Children Safe Online meeting for parents only at  
4.30pm in the school hall.

Friday 26th May: Break up for half term. Return to school on Monday 5th June.

Saturday 3rd June: Goosnargh Festival Float

Sunday 18th June: First Holy Communion Mass

Friday 23rd June-1.30pm: St.Francis' Got Talent-all welcome.

Friday 7th and 14th July: New starters Stay and Play sessions 9.30-11.30am

Summer Social on 7th July-more information to follow soon from our PTFA

Wednesday 12th July: Beacon Class Production 2.00pm and 6.00pm

Monday 17th July: Year 6 Mass

Tuesday 18th July: New starters Induction Evening 6.00pm

Wednesday 19th July: Sports Day at 1.30pm

Friday 21st July: Year 6 Assembly 9.15am

Break up for Summer at 1.30pm

Class trips will be confirmed by class teachers soon.

# ST'FRANCIS' HILL CHAPEL PRE-SCHOOL ●

Our Pre-School is full on a Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday for this and for the next academic school year. We only have a few places available for a Monday and Friday for the next two years and places are already filling up for the year after. Our aim is to create a calm and nurturing start to the children's life at St.Francis' and we do not want to exceed more than fifteen places per session.



We will be saying a fond farewell to Mrs Walton, who will be leaving St.Francis' due to personal reasons mid May. We give thanks for her dedication to St.Francis' School and wish her well. Mrs. Holden and Mrs. McDade will replace her role in our Pre-School until the end of the term. Mrs. McDade will be the Pendle Class teaching assistant from September and this will aid a wonderful transition for the children as they move into our main school. She will have a whole half term of getting to know the children, who will be Pendle Class new starters, and she will be a familiar face to them all in September!

**School Reminder:** Please remind your children that toys and items from home (including fidget spinners) must stay at home. Your children have everything they need in school and plenty of outdoor equipment for playtimes. May we remind you that children are not permitted to play on the playground before and after the school day. The trim trail and playing field can only be used under staff supervision. Thank you for your co-operation.

**Student Teachers:** We welcome three student teachers to St.Francis' this term. Mrs Taylor will be completing her final teaching placement in Year 2 and Mr McGowan and Miss Parker will be returning to Pendle Class.

## **Summer Social-Friday 7th July at 6.00pm at school**

*Parents bring puddings to share and own drinks.*

*Come along for a relaxed and informal end of year celebration!*

### **Stay and Play sessions for new starters.**

The whole school will be having moving up mornings on these days to aid transition between year groups/classes.

These will be on Friday 7th and Friday 14th July.

New starters will be invited to all school events in the last half term and we look forward to welcoming new families to St.Francis'.

