

## St Anne's Catholic Primary School

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Dear Parents and carers,

We have had such a lovely start to the Summer term, we are hoping the weather starts to be a bit warmer and drier over the coming weeks though. I hope you all had a lovely restful and peaceful Easter break too! We started out term reflecting on the Easter period and recapping our mission statement and values - we have focused upon what our school code of conduct means to us 'Be ready, be respectful and be safe'.

This week saw the end of Ramadan and the celebration of Eid for many of our families. It was such a lovely afternoon yesterday when a large number of our families came together in our infant hall to celebrate Eid. This was a lovely shared event with many wonderful dishes from our parents and treats for all. It also was an opportunity for families to learn about the Muslim faith and traditions. I would like to take this opportunity to thank the group of parents who organised the event, food and decorations.

## **Reminders/dates:**

- Parent progress meetings: take place during Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> April afternoon, you all should have your appointment times. Children are in school and cannot be collected until the end of the school day as normal.
- Our Pupil Leadership Team will be taking part in the final School's Parliament session at Liverpool Town Hall on Wednesday morning, their focus is 'Belonging'.
- We are lucky enough to have been chosen to work with Liverpool Biennial who have invited Dutch artist Stine to work with groups of children to create a very important art piece to highlight climate change. We will let you know when the finished piece is available to be viewed and where!
- KS2 are taking part in a Times Table Rock Star competition between classes, please ask the children about it.
- Reading books: We kindly ask that you check at home for any school reading books as we have had a large number not returned and they are very expensive to replace. If you find any please return to school ASAP.
- Water bottles: All children need a small water bottle in school each day, this needs to go home, cleaned and refilled each day.
- Birthdays: We love to celebrate birthdays with the children in school, however we are
  conscious that we have had lots of items brought into school for the class e.g. party
  bags/gifts etc. We do not want to add any pressure/expectation on any parents to do
  this. So please note that if you would like to bring in something for the class to share
  for your child's birthday a small cake/small bag of sweets is more than enough and this
  is not essential.

Thank you.

Mrs GC Murphy

Head Teacher

