

# St.Margaret's Anfield

# **Church of England Primary School**

With God, all things are possible.

# Friday 16th December 2022

The Church of England St. Margaret's Anfield



Order of Service

#### **EASYFUNDRAISING**

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## RAFFLE TICKETS

Raffle tickets are on sale from the school office

#### E-Safety Team Message

Do not put anything online that you would not say to someone in person.

From

Amanda, Mihad, Lexi and Eric

# <u>Twitter</u>

Twitter is updated daily with photos and activities happening in school!

Click to go to Twitter and find us @StMargAnfield to follow!

# MESSAGE FROM MR GRIFFITHS

Dear Parents and Carers,

A big thank you for all of the support this week. Thank you for coming to watch the nativities, carol concerts and attending our Christmas Fayre. They were all a great success.

The children have had a wonderful week this week but the fun isn't over yet. Next week we have our Christmas Grotto Day on Monday an event not to be missed! We also have Party Day on Tuesday and Christmas Movie Morning on Wednesday to finish off our short week.

Nursery will finish on Tuesday 20th December for the Christmas break at their usual session finishing times of 11.30am for morning and 3.30pm for afternoon.

The rest of the school Reception to Year 6 will finish at 1.15pm on Wednesday next week (21st December).

We will be drawing our Christmas Raffle on Tuesday next week and will be contacting parents and carers of winners. Tickets will still be on sale on Monday.

Take care and have a great weekend. Hopefully we will have more children in school next week.

Mr Griffiths

## **ADMISSIONS**

If your child is due to turn 4 before the end of August 2023 you must apply for Reception on the Liverpool City Council website before 15th January 2023.

https://liverpool.gov.uk/schools-and-learning/school -admissions/how-to-apply/

#### **ATTENDANCE**

Keep in touch with us via the Parent App, email or phone the school office if your child is unable to attend school for any reason!

admin@st-margaretsanfield.liverpool.sch.uk

0151 260 5522

KEEPING IN TOUCH

# THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

#### Monday 19th December 2022

Christmas Grotto Day!
Children can wear own clothes

#### Tuesday 20th December

Class Party Day!
Children can wear own clothes
Nursery last day of term

#### Wednesday 21st December

Christmas Movie Morning
Early Lunchtimes
Finish for whole school 1.15pm
Children can wear own clothes

#### **SPORTS**

The city champions made a strong defence of their New Age Kurling title finishing in 2nd place and qualifying for the Merseyside final in March. Well done!

### **GALLERY**

We have had some fantastic days this week. Check out the school's gallery page for more photos!



CLICK HERE FOR

PE DAYS

## PARENT CONNECT APP



All messages sent by the school are through our Parent Connect App. If you do not have the app please ensure you download it. You can click the logos below depending on your phone/tablet type to download for free or search "Parent Connect". We send out weekly invites by email to anyone who is not registered. If you do have the app please check your notifications are turned on or you will miss messages from school. If you are unsure please contact Mrs Cave at the school office 0151 260 5522.





www.st-margaretsanfield.co.uk

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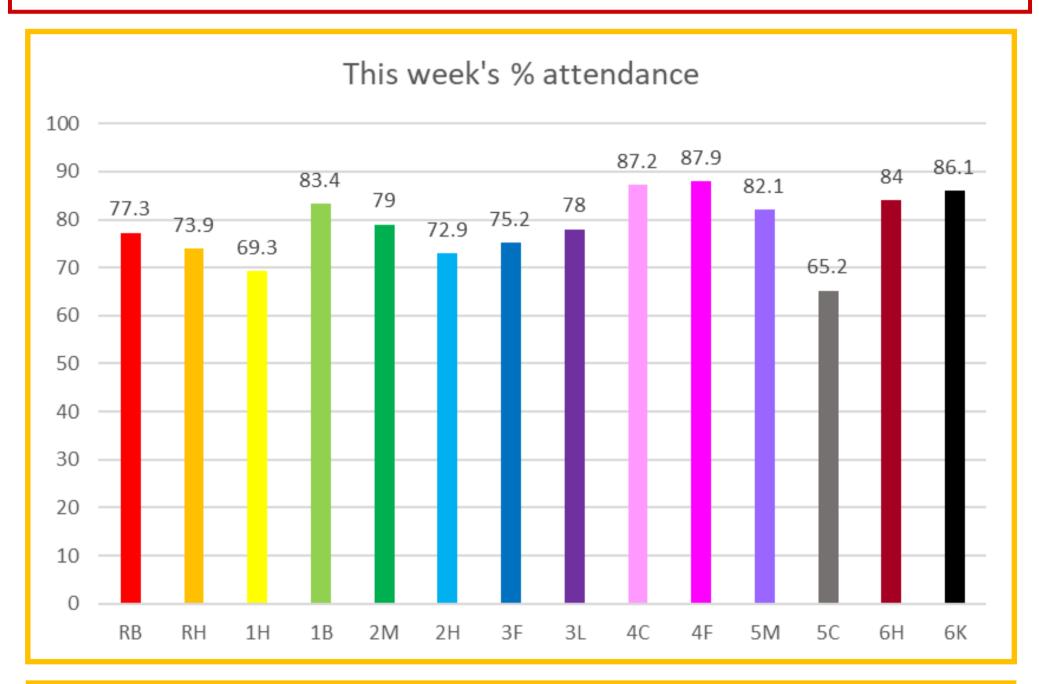
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#### ATTENDANCE REPORT

# MONDAY 12TH DECEMBER 2022—FRIDAY 16TH DECEMBER 2022



# What happens if your child does not attend school regularly?

- You will be contacted by Ms Cavanagh.
- You may be invited to attend a meeting in school to discuss how we can work together to improve your child's attendance and to set up an attendance support plan.
- As a school, we are responsible by law for reporting poor attendance to the local authority.
- As a parent, you are committing an offence if you fail to make sure that your child attends school regularly.
- You run the risk of being issued with a penalty notice or being taken to court.
   A child who has an attendance figure of 90% or below is now classed by the government as 'a child with persistent absence'.

### **SMA Attendance Target**

There is sometimes a perception that an attendance rate of 90% is good.

This is because an examination score of 90% means excellence. However, as an attendance rate, 90% is unsatisfactory, it equates to missing 20 days per year.

We consider below 92% as approaching persistent absence.

The whole school attendance target this year is 97%.

# Parent/Carer Support

We must ask you, our Parents/Carers to support us in improving the attendance of our children.

Every lesson really does count for your child, children can quickly fall behind if even one day is missed, catching up even a little lost time from school can be really difficult. Good attendance is linked to achievement, better relationships with other children and better overall behaviour in school.