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Dear parents/guardians,

I hope you have all had as productive a week as we have! I am amazed at how the children are fully engaged and raring to go! The whole school R.E. topic we have been covering since we came back has culminated in super work that has been displayed in our halls. I will post photos of the children's work on Twitter at some point today – please follow us if you don't already, and you can celebrate the children's work too.

Start of the Day

The earlier start to the day has been a huge success, the children are settling down to their learning quickly and in a calm manner. Thank you for being punctual, we have had a reduction in children arriving to school late, which is so pleasing to see. Being punctual has a great effect on children's start to the day as it gives them time to organise themselves to be ready for their learning. It can also be upsetting for them to arrive late.

Structure of the Senior Leadership Team at St. Ann's R.C. Primary

We have an excellent Leadership Team at our school, who are there to guide pupils and staff but also to liaise with parents and deal with any concerns or issues you may have. The Key Phase Leader will usually deal with concerns or incidents in the first instance. If the issue or concern is not resolved, it will be passed on to Mrs Whittaker, our Deputy Head teacher and then finally to me. I am always kept informed of how the matter is progressing.

Our Leadership team is as follows:

Deputy Head teacher – **Mrs Whittaker**

Early years Foundation Stage (Nursery and Reception) – **Mrs Taylor – Mrs Whittaker** will lead when Mrs Taylor is on Maternity leave

Key Stage 1 – Year 1 and Year2 – **Mrs Nelson**

Lower Key Stage 2 – Year 3 and Year 4 – **Mrs Jones**

Upper Key Stage 2 – Year 5 and Year 6 - **Mrs Gresty**

However, I am still always available if you need to speak to me.

Dates for the School year 2022-2023

Dates for the whole school year have been sent home with your child today, they will also be put up on the website. These dates may be subject to change but we will inform you of changes when they arise. More detailed information about trips etc. will be sent nearer the time.

Speaking to school staff

A polite reminder – school staff are here to help and support you, however, we have had some incidents recently, where staff members have been spoken to in a manner that we consider to be abusive and threatening. Anyone who speaks to staff in this way will be asked to leave the premises and could result in a ban from the school premises.

These incidents are rare but are very upsetting for the members of staff.

Thank you for your continued support,

Mrs Noctor

Find us on Twitter at **@StAnnsRCPrimar1** – we post lots of lovely photos!