



# Saint Francis School

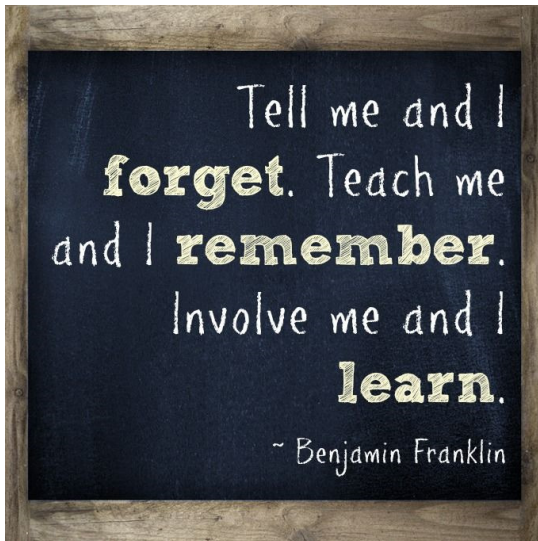
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6th November, 2017



Dear Parents,

We are happy to inform you that all the students seem to be settling down. Most of the children are working hard. It is to their benefit when you supervise daily their HW, reading and studies.

Hereunder please find calendar of activities for the month of:

## November 2017

1 <sup>st</sup>	Mid-Term Holiday
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Mid Term Holiday
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Mid Term Holiday
6 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Change to Winter Uniform. Blazer is to be worn as from December.</b>
7 <sup>th</sup>	I.E.P meetings. (Cancelled due to MUT directives)
8 <sup>th</sup>	Ekoskola (2 <sup>nd</sup> ) meeting during break.
9 <sup>th</sup>	Confessions for Year 3 students
10 <sup>th</sup>	Mass for Kinders and Years 1, 2 & 3. PTA will be distributing the St Martin's Bags. Year 6 students will be going to Esplora. Students are to bring €6 for transport.
13 <sup>th</sup>	I.E.P meetings - Students Council Election (Years 4, 5 and 6)
14 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Parents' Day - Students are <u>NOT</u> to come to school. We encourage you to buy from our cake/coffee/tea stall. Donations of cakes, muffins etc will be greatly appreciated. There will be second hand uniforms for sale and a Book Fair organised by BDL.</b>
16 <sup>th</sup>	Confessions for Year 4 students
17 <sup>th</sup>	Mass for Year 4 students. PTA first Committee meeting at 6.00 p.m..
20 <sup>th</sup>	World Children's Day
22 <sup>nd</sup>	Ekoskola 3 <sup>rd</sup> Meeting. Students taking part in the Crib Competition are to bring their crib to school. Mosta Maths trail for Year 5 students. Students are to bring €3 for transport.
23 <sup>rd</sup>	Confessions for Year 5 students
24 <sup>th</sup>	Mass for Year 5 students. Year 6 students will be going to Home Economics Seminar Centre for a talk - Money Matters. Students need to bring a healthy packed lunch, a bottle of water and a reusable plastic cup.
27 <sup>th</sup>	Meeting for parents of Year 3 students' re Babes Programme at 9.00 a.m. Babes Programme for Year 3 students (1 <sup>st</sup> session)
30 <sup>th</sup>	Confessions for Year 6 students

<b>December 2017</b>	
1 <sup>st</sup>	Mass for Year 6 students. Prayer space for all students in preparation for Christmas. Blessing of Advent Wreaths. Babes programme for Year 3 students (2 <sup>nd</sup> session). Year 4 students will be going to Gymstars. Students are to bring €6.50 for transport and admission fee.
4 <sup>th</sup>	Christmas Sale organised by PTA Technical Rehearsal for Concert for Kinders, Years 1, 2 and 3.
5 <sup>th</sup>	Christmas Sale organised by PTA Confessions for Years 4, 5 and 6 Technical Rehearsal for Concert for Kinders, Years 1, 2 and 3. (Years 4, 5 & 6 audience)
6 <sup>th</sup>	Feast of St. Nicholas Christmas Concert for Kinders, Years 1, 2 and 3 at 10.30 a.m. Parents are invited.
7 <sup>th</sup>	Mass for all to celebrate the feast of The Immaculate Conception at 8.30 a.m. Parents are invited. Rehearsal for Years 4, 5 and 6.
8 <sup>th</sup>	Feast of The Immaculate Conception
11 <sup>th</sup>	Babes programme for Year 3 students (3 <sup>rd</sup> Session) Rehearsal for Concert for Years 4, 5 and 6
12 <sup>th</sup>	Technical rehearsal for Concert for Years 4, 5 and 6 (Audience KGs, Years 1, 2 and 3)
13 <sup>th</sup>	Holiday - Republic Day
14 <sup>th</sup>	Christmas Concert for Years 4, 5 and 6 at 10.30 a.m. Parents are invited.
15 <sup>th</sup>	Cinema Day - PTA Committee meeting at 6.00 p.m.
18 <sup>th</sup>	End of term - Christmas Class party.

## **Christmas Holidays - 19<sup>th</sup> December to 7<sup>th</sup> January, 2018**

### **8<sup>th</sup> January - First day of Second Term**

### **Pet Food Collection**

On Thursday, 26<sup>th</sup> October, Sylvia Zammit of Island Sanctuary came to school with 2 of her pet dogs and spoke to the students about the work done at the Island Sanctuary. She was very happy to accept the food as at Island Sanctuary they have over 100 dogs to feed.

### **Dismissal Time**

Please note that dismissal time is at 1.30 p.m. Please note that Brared street is closed for traffic between 1.15 p.m. and 1.35 p.m. Punctuality is highly appreciated.

### **MUT Directives**

**We would like to inform you that all these activities are subject to MUT Directives. Excursions or other activities will be postponed if the MUT Directives are still active.**

### **Class Photos**

We would like to inform you that official class and individual photos were taken on Monday 30<sup>th</sup> October, 2017. The price of €8 includes a 20cm x 26cm portrait of each child, a 20cm x 15cm class photo and 6 passport size photos. These are all in colour and are mounted in a folder.

Kindly fill in the below form if you would like to order these photos. Orders are to be sent by Monday 13<sup>th</sup> November, 2017

Yours faithfully,



Sr. Giovannita Briffa  
Head of School

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**Photo Order Form**

I would like to order the Photo Pack for my son / daughter \_\_\_\_\_ who is in

Year \_\_\_\_\_. Amount included is €8.

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Parent's Signature