

## Meet the staff!



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Class Teacher



**Mrs Briars**  
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1:1 TA



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## This Term

In English, we will learn the story *The Heart and the Bottle* by Oliver Jeffries and write our own versions of the story. We will also write non-chronological reports based around our experiences of Covid-19.

In Art, we will be studying the Expressionist artist Rothko and creating our own Expressionist work.

In Maths, we will use concrete equipment to investigate place value of three digit numbers including addition and subtraction.

In History, we will use timelines to sequence major pandemics throughout history and comparing and contrasting accounts of the effects of the Covid-19 pandemic.

In Science, we will be describing the basic function of the skeletal system and investigating ways in which it provides protection. We will also be setting up simple, comparative tests and reporting our findings.

In PSHE, children will focus on rebuilding relationships and strengthening community bonds.

In Geography, we will be finding out about the geography of St Agnes and Longsight using observation and fieldwork.

In Music, we will be listening to, appraising and performing music to communicate emotions.

In PE, we will be taking part in Dance and Invasion Games.

What do we already know?

- It is a place of education
- We are a Peace Mala school
- The original school was built in 1881 and the new building replaced it in 2009
- We are based in Longsight, Manchester

What do we want to learn?

- Did any other pandemics affect the children of St Agnes?
- What was the land the school was built on used for before 1881?
- How long did it take to build the school buildings?

Year Three – Autumn 1 2020  
We are St Agnes!

### Don't Forget...

Reading books and book folders needs to returned to school on a Monday.

Our Physical Activity day is Tuesday and we will be exploring the local area on a walk.

### Important Dates

9<sup>th</sup> October – Hello Yellow Friday  
23<sup>rd</sup> October – End of term

Due to our current circumstances, we are unable to provide any further dates at this moment. Please make sure you are signed up to class dojo for further updates.

### **Special Events/Activities/News**

October 4<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> World Space Week

Within school, we will be launching "Classtronauts" an exciting whole year long science project around space, working with a partnership of local primary schools and the Ogden Trust. We will be holding a number of competitions for pupils to complete at home and in school and hopefully, later on in the school year, some exciting activities within school for the whole school community.

Each week we will be selecting a child to be awarded our Star of the Week. This can be for a number of different reasons and allows us to celebrate each child's success. We will also be choosing a weekly Class Dojo Hero. This may not necessarily be for the child with the most points, but the child we feel has made a great effort to earn more points. Certificates for these achievements will be sent home on a Friday.

### **Reminders**

Please remember to send your child to school every day with a raincoat and a water bottle.

Remember to check Class Dojo for any updates on our Class Story!