



# SEND OPEN

EVENING

Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> April 2022

#### Welcome to St Anthony's

- Mrs Dugdale (SENDCO)
- Mrs Hammill (Head Teacher)
- Mrs Lanaghan (Deputy Head Teacher Pastoral)
- Mrs Bolton (SEN department)
- Mrs Giles (SEN department)
- Mrs Shyzarsue (SEN department)
- Mrs Vass (SEN department)
- Mrs Young (SEN department)
- Mrs Dugan (SEN department)
- Mrs Richardson Dunn (Director of Pupil Support)
- Mrs Perrett (HLTA supporting in the cottage)
- Miss Jackson (literacy co-ordinator)
- Miss Clarke (numeracy co-ordinator)

#### SEND Provision at St Anthony's

- Every SEND Support Plan is unique and individual to your child.
- Opportunities to discuss support/what is working well/what is not working as well are provided at formal SEN review meetings and parents evenings.
- We encourage parents/carers to get in touch if they have any concerns or require any additional support.



#### **Cognition and Learning**

- Use of coloured overlays/coloured paper for handouts where appropriate
- Handouts of notes/PowerPoint slides
- Visual aids to support teaching (diagrams/models to support new concepts/handouts with written instructions)
- Retention opportunities (links between new and prior learning)
- Opportunities for skill reenforcement/revision/transfer/generalisation
- Multi-sensory learning opportunities
- □ Thinking skills
- Problem solving
- Opportunities for small group work and flexible groupings

#### **Cognition and Learning**

- Pre-teach specialist vocabulary in class and in small group intervention where appropriate
- Adjust pace of lessons. Simplify language
- Chunking of activities
- Class teacher/TA to provide small group support/1:1 support if needed
- Students should be accessing a full curriculum through the use of differentiation and group support
- Teachers are aware of students SEN targets and can provide support to students which helps to focus on their specific targets (with outcomes closely monitored)

### Cognition and Learning Additional Support

- Access to small group intervention (reading, pre-teaching vocabulary, numeracy, phonics teaching, handwriting)
- Nurture group teaching
- Exam Access Arrangements
- Access to assistive technology
- Alternative curriculum pathways at
- KS4/modified curriculum
- Educational Psychology Involvement for not making expected progress



• Other possible outside agency involvement

#### **Reading Club**







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#### Aims of the Program

Reading club is aimed at raising the reading attainment and the reading self efficacy of students

> Accelerated Reader (AR) produces an average of two years' reading age growth in just one academic year while promoting reading for pleasure.



#### What does that mean?

- □ We want your daughters reading age to increase
- We want your daughter to develop an enjoyment of reading



#### How do we try to do that in school?

- Reading club takes place in the library during form time.
- Students must attend their allocated days
- Students will engage with group guided reading sessions and 1:1 reading support with a reading mentor



# To monitor and determine a reading level

- A student's optimal reading level is determined through the <u>STAR Reading</u> assessment, which they sit once a term.
- STAR Reading is an assessment of reading comprehension and skills for independent readers, giving each student a reading level and a range of book levels within which the student will achieve maximum success with their reading which we have transferred into a colour code system
- All of the books in the library are colour coded so that pupils are reading books which are of the correct level, not too difficult or too easy.

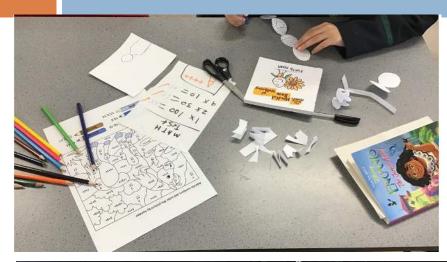


#### Can you help your daughter at home?

- Read with her for at least 15 minutes a night
- Ask her about the book she is reading
- Read a book together
- Use the "Home Connect" system to monitor your daughter's performance
- Look at the TOPS or the "The Opportunity to Praise" reports your daughter brings home together and discuss any strengths or weaknesses.

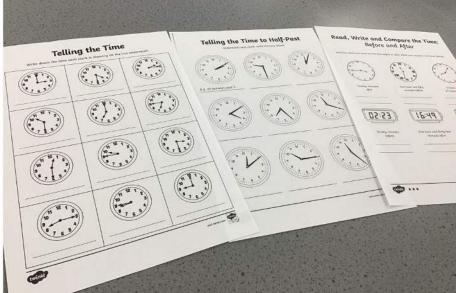


#### Numeracy Intervention









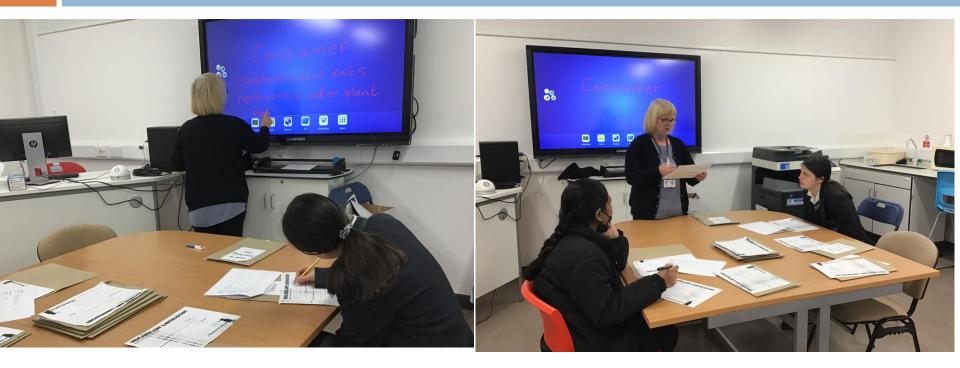
#### **Communication and Interaction**

- Students are in a mainstream classroom with attention paid to position in the classroom and acoustics
- Flexible pupil groupings modifications made to ensure curriculum access
- Planned small group activities focusing on language and communication
- □ Literacy tasks may require some modification
- Instructions supported by visual and written clues
- Adults to use short instructions with everyday vocabulary and repetition to support pupils in understanding instructions
- Opportunities to develop language across the curriculum

#### **Communication and Interaction**

- □ Flexibility in expectations to follow instructions/record work
- Planning shows opportunities for language based activities
- Teacher to scaffold/model responses to support pupils
- Adults provide encouragement and support to collaborate with peers in curriculum activities
- Teachers to provide pre and post tuition to secure key vocabulary at the start of each new topic.

#### Vocabulary Intervention – Sounds Write Phonics



#### Communication and Interaction Additional Support

- □ ASD champion HLTA's
- Staff mentors
- Outside agency involvement (Autism Outreach Team, SALT, EP)
- Sensory breaks/time out cards
- Support in the cottage
- Reasonable adjustments to support individual student needs



#### Social, Emotional and Mental Health Support

- Restorative practices (key staff have had Team Teach training)
- Flexible teaching groups/peer buddy systems/preferred peer partners
- Peer mentors
- Pupil Support Services (the cottage)
- School counsellors
- Access to quiet areas/sensory breaks
- Mindfulness and Wellbeing support groups
- Safe space
- Social skills and friendship support groups
- Preparation for Adulthood groups
- Transition planning
- Team around the family approach
- Outside Agency Support (CAHMS, CYPS, Behaviour Support Teams, EP Attendance team)
- Adapted curriculum (where appropriate)



#### The Cottage



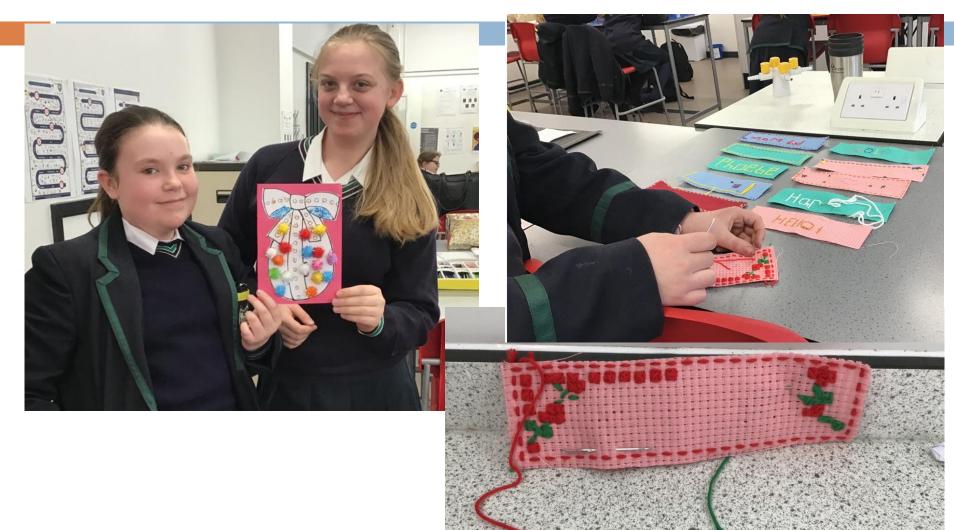
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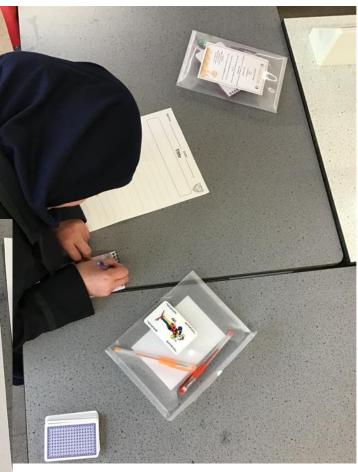
#### Ketchup Club



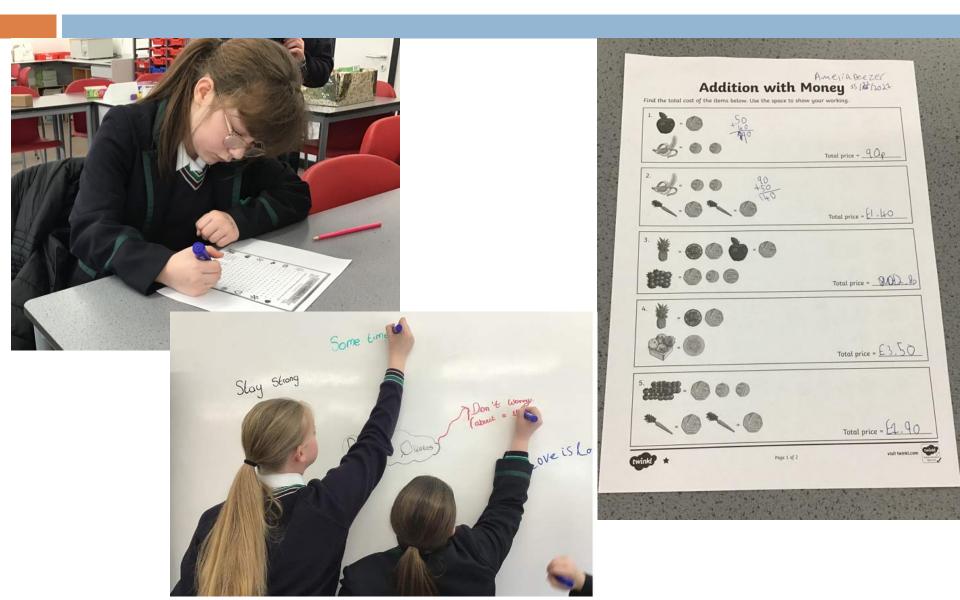


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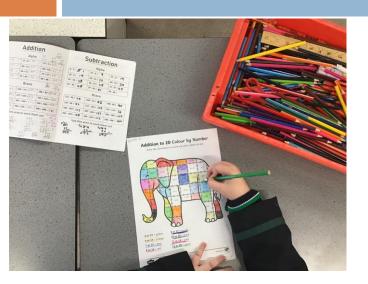
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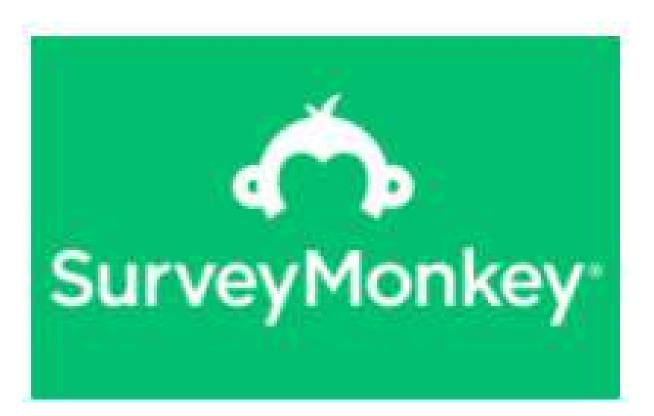




#### Physical, Medical, Sensory Needs

- Individual Health Care Plan
- Assistive technology to support medical needs and disabilities
- Regular contact with outside agencies (medical professionals, occupational therapists, TFC Children's Sensory Team)
- Main provision by classroom teacher, appropriate deployment of additional adults to ensure pupil access
- Appropriate learning materials made available from school including electronic magnification/modified exam papers and resources to support vision impairment
- Opportunities for explanation, clarification and reinforcement of lesson content and language
- □ Attention to seating, lighting, visual environment and acoustics
- Opportunities for 1:1 and small group work
- Specialist equipment and access arrangements

#### Survey Monkey



## Parent Voice

#### We welcome any feedback!



