18th December, 2012

Dear Parents / Carers,

We would like to welcome the children and their families to Year Five. Although the school year has not quite finished we are already planning for 2013.

In preparation for your children entering Year Five in 2013, we would appreciate your support in ensuring that your child has the items ready to bring to school at the start of the year. Perhaps some of these items might be brought by Santa.

- 1 box of tissues
- 2 x HB lead pencils
- 2 x red, 2 x blue, 1 x green biro
- Coloured pencils, crayons & textas
- A pencil sharpener – barrel type is preferable
- 2 glue sticks
- Pencil case
- 30cm Ruler (not a bendable one)
- 1 eraser
- Art shirt (a clean one that fits, please)
- A pair of scissors
- A4 note pad
- USB Memory Stick (minimum 2GB)
- Earphone (for iPods & laptop use – they don’t need to be expensive)
- Library Bag (available from Uniform Shop for $8.00)
- NO LIQUID PAPER PLEASE

Please note that a St Anthony’s school diary will be given in the first week of Term 1 2013.

Please label all your child’s belongings, including all stationery items and school uniforms. This allows lost items to be returned to the rightful owner; it also encourages children to take responsibility for their own belongings.

In the first few weeks of 2013 we will be sending home exercise books to be covered in clear contact or plastic, as the books are easily damaged throughout the year. We are notifying you in advance so that when the school supplies (contact) come on ‘sale’ in early January you might be able to save on your purchases.

Thank you for your support in this matter and we look forward to meeting with you in the New Year.

Have a wonderful Christmas and a happy New Year!

Kind Regards,

Miss Amanda Stone & Mr Patrick Mackey
Year 5 Teachers