



St Mary's C of E Primary School Newsletter

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Go, shine in the
world and live
as Jesus lived.



Dear Parents and Carers,

This week, children in Key Stage 1 enjoyed sharing how they lead worship with friends and families during their class prayer services. Thank you to everyone who attended. Key Stage 2 children are looking forward to showing how they lead worship from next week.

Due to the impact of the teacher's strike action, we have moved our Spring Term Music Concerts to **Thursday 30th March**. Please take a look overleaf at 'Important dates for your diary' for the timings of the concerts. The children are looking forward to sharing their musical talents with you.

With best wishes, Miss Mitchell (Head of School) and Mr Webb (Executive Headteacher)

Word Aware Day...

The children and staff thoroughly enjoyed celebrating vocabulary and learning new words last week! It was fantastic to see children teaching each other the definitions of words and being able to put those words in context. We are delighted that Word Aware Day was so successful and that it enabled us to introduce over 200 words to St Mary's children.

We look forward to seeing children applying their new vocabulary knowledge to their reading and writing. Please ask your child to tell you some of the words that they learned yesterday-the more they talk about them, the more they'll remember them!



Year 6 History workshop...

This week, Year 6 role played life in Britain in the 1940s. They experienced what school was like and were shocked by the strict rules! They also went shopping with ration books to a range of different shops and cafes. They only had a certain amount of money (shillings and ha'pennys) and had to work out what the money was worth in the 1940s.



Attendance...

A huge congratulations to **Year 6** who have been awarded Barney, our Attendance Bear, for having the **BEST ATTENDANCE** last week. The class attendance was **96%**.



Please make sure your child is in school every single day this term unless they are too unwell to come to school.

Are you interested in being a parent governor?

If you would like to find out more, please speak to Ms Mitchell, pop in to the office or email us at admin@stmarykilburn.camden.sch.uk and we will invite you to some training on the role to help you decide if it is something you'd like to do.

Do you have any questions about school life?

We are of course, really happy to answer any questions about school, no matter how small :)

Do phone the school office to ask questions or ask to arrange an appointment to see the class teacher.

If you are worried about something, see us straight away. Don't let a little worry turn in to a big one. We also like to hear your good news. It helps to keep us going with a smile :)

Important dates for your diary.....

Tuesday 14th March — 3.00—Y3 class prayers— parents welcome

Wednesday 15th March— no Parent Information Coffee Morning

Wednesday 15th March— 3.00—Y4 class prayers— parents welcome

Friday 17th March— Children bring in £1 to donate to Comic Relief

Tuesday 21st March— 3.00—Y5 class prayers— parents welcome

Wednesday 22nd March— 9.05— Parent Information Coffee Morning— How to manage challenging behaviour

Wednesday 22nd March —3.00— Y6 class prayers – parents welcome

Wednesday 29th March— Non-uniform Day— children bring £1 to donate to charity.

Wednesday 29th March— Parent Information Coffee Morning— How you can keep your child safe online

NEW DATE

Thursday 30th March — 10.00—EYFS/KS1 Spring Term Music Concert; 2.30—KS2 Spring Term Music Concert

31st March— Last day of term

17th April— Start of Summer Term— Children back at school

Class Prayers...

Two of our classes welcomed parents into school to join in with their class prayer service this week.

At St Mary's, children plan and lead worship every week and think about the ways that they can 'shine in the world' through their actions.

Thank you to the parents who joined us for these services this week. We were pleased that Tom from St Mary's came to join in with our class prayer services too.



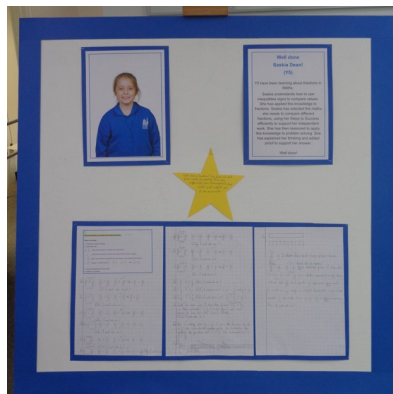
Work of the Week...

Every week a great piece of children's work is showcased in the school lobby.

As part of their Maths curriculum, Year 5 have been learning about fractions.

Saskia has compared different fractions using the inequality signs. She has then used applied her knowledge to problem solving and reasoning questions. Saskia has explained her thinking clearly and provided examples to support her ideas.

Well done, Saskia!



Our Prayer of the week...

We are currently in the period of Lent

Dear God,
Give us the grace this Lent,
In our wilderness of reflection,
To resist the temptations,
To fast from one thing
That will bring us closer to you
And our neighbour.
Help us in our prayers,
In the silence of our hearts,
To know we are loved.
Amen



Person of the Week!

Reception - Naya A
Year 1 - Mohammed
Year 2 - Marlowe
Year 3 - Bailey
Year 4 - Vita
Year 5 - Thomas
Year 6 - Vrinda

