



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,

At St Mary's children lead worship in their class every week. This term, we are looking forward to sharing this worship with parents of Year 1 to Year 6 children through class prayer services. Please look at the 'important dates for your diary' section overleaf for more information.

Thank you to the parents who attended our Friends of St Mary's meeting last Friday and volunteered to help with Movie Night. If there are any other parents who would like to help, please let Ms Mitchell know.

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

Healthy snacks and lunches...

Healthy food gives children's brains fuel and energy to help them concentrate in class. There are plenty of **healthy options that children can bring to school as snacks**. Please take a look below at the snacks children should and should not bring into school.

Things you can eat for your break-time snack	Things you cannot eat for your break-time snack
Fruit 	Fruit winders
A PLAIN biscuit 	Biscuits with jam, chocolate or any other extras
Vegetables e.g. carrot sticks 	Crisps

Pupils should put their healthy snacks in their class snack box as soon as they come to school, every day.

Please read our poster on the back of this week's newsletter, which clearly show which foods children should bring into school in their **packed lunch**.

Attendance...

A huge congratulations to **Year 2** who have been awarded Barney, our Attendance Bear, for having the **BEST ATTENDANCE** last week.



The class attendance was **100%**. Every child came into school every single day. Well done, Year 2!

Well done to the following classes for also having very good attendance last week:

Year 6—99%
Year 4—98%
Year 1—97%

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

Year 6 History visit...

This week, Year 6 visited **the Imperial War Museum** to learn more about what life was like during **World War Two**. As part of their visit, Year 6 met two veterans and eyewitnesses of World War II. The children explored what everyday people would have experienced both during the War and in Post-War Britain.



Half term Holiday Playscheme...

Visit the website below for further information about PACE, who are based at Fortune Green.

February Half-Term



We are now taking bookings for our February Half-Term Holiday Playscheme.

Book your spot today, scan the QR code on the right!



www.paceforall.com/forms



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.....



Friday 27th January — Non uniform day — this has been moved to Friday 3rd February

Friday 27th January — KS1 Movie Afternoon (1.30pm-3.15pm) and KS2 Movie Night (3.30pm-5.15pm)

NEW DATE—Friday 3rd February— Non uniform day

Monday 13th February-Friday 17th February—Half Term
Monday 20th February— Children back at school

Thursday 23rd February — Non uniform day

Friday 24th February — Academic Review Day
parents attend school at their appointment time to meet the teacher and receive their child's report

Thursday 2nd March — Word Aware Day

Tuesday 7th March— 3.00—Y1 class prayers

Wednesday 8th March—3.00— Y2 class prayers

Tuesday 14th March — 3.00—Y3 class prayers

Wednesday 15th March— 3.00—Y4 class prayers

Thursday 16th March — 10.00—EYFS/KS1 Spring Term Music Concert; 2.30—KS2 Spring Term Music Concert

Tuesday 21st March— 3.00—Y5 class prayers

Wednesday 22nd March —3.00— Y6 class prayers

31st March— Last day of term



Person of the Week!

Reception - Ellis
Year 1 - Ayla
Year 2 - Grace
Year 3 - Lilia
Year 4 - Ismahaan
Year 5 - Emily
Year 6 - Pavlos

Movie Afternoon and Movie Night...



Friday 27th January in the school hall

Rec, Y1 & Y2 1.30pm-3.15pm

Y3—Y6 3.30pm-5.15pm

A great movie along with hotdogs, popcorn and a drink!

Please make a donation of £2.00 on the day.
(All funds raised go to the charity The Children's Society, showing our values of compassion and community.)

Children can bring in a comfy cushion from home to sit on and/or a blanket to cuddle up with.



Work of the Week...



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

As part of Year 4's History curriculum, they have been learning about the Romans in Britain. Ismahaan has created an informative topic timeline which includes reasons why the Romans wanted to invade Britain.

Ismahaan was also able to act as a historian to investigate and explain the 'push and pull factors' that lead to the Romans attempting to invade Britain.

Well done, Ismahaan!



Our Prayer of the week...

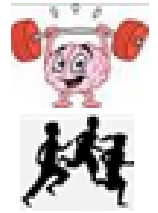
Last Monday, 16th January, was Martin Luther King Day in America



God of peace,
Over the years you sent us prophets
To cry out against injustice
And to speak truth to power.
Prophets like Martin Luther king
Who stood up to racial segregation and injustice.
Who had a dream
Of children of different races living in harmony.
Give us the strength of Martin Luther King
To stand up to racism - in any shape or form
Amen

Bringing a Packed Lunch to school

A healthy packed lunch gives our brains and bodies fuel to help us learn and play.



Our healthy packed lunch must not contain nuts.

Food that you should include in your packed lunch	Food you cannot bring for your packed lunch
Fruit Vegetables 	Fruit winders 
Starchy food eg: Bread Pasta Noodles Cous cous 	Crisps Salted snacks Chocolate biscuits Cakes Muffins 
Dairy foods eg: Cheese Yoghurt 	CHOCOLATE OR SWEETS 
Meat Fish Non-dairy protein eg hummus or falafel 	Sweet or fizzy drinks Fruit juices 

We provide water and semi-skimmed milk to drink at lunch time so no drinks need to be included in your packed lunch.

