



# St Mary's C of E Primary School Newsletter

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Dear Parents and Carers,

This week children in Year 6 have been taking some tests to assess their preparation for secondary school. Assessments are an important part of school life and children were pleased to be able to show off their learning. Year 6 showed our values of **determination**, **inspiration** and **excellence** through their efforts. Thank you to the rest of the school for showing our value of **community** by supporting Year 6 this week.

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

## The PANTS rule...

In Key Stage assemblies, we have been talking about the PANTS rule. From P through to S, each letter of PANTS gives an important message for children as young as four to help them stay safe.

Visit the NSPCC website to find out more: <https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/support-for-parents/pants-underwear-rule/>



## Friends of St Mary's meetings and the Family BBQ...

Would you like to be help plan and be involved in our Family BBQ? Then come along and join the **Friends of St Mary's**. All parents from any year group are welcome to attend these meetings.

We will be planning for our Family BBQ, which is taking place later in the Summer term on Friday 4th July. Our first **Friends of St Mary's** meeting will be on **Friday 6th June at 9.05am** in the school hall. We will then have another Friends of St Mary's meeting before the Family BBQ on **Friday 27th June at 9.05am**.

We look forward to seeing any parents who would like to help at the meetings.



## Attendance...

Congratulations to **Year 3** who have been awarded Barney, our Attendance Bear, for having the **BEST ATTENDANCE** last week.



**Year 3** had a class attendance of **98%**.

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



A reminder that gates open at 8.45am and children get started with learning straight away as soon as they arrive. All children should be in school before 9am ready to start their reading lesson.

I have received and read the St Mary's C of E Primary School newsletter of 16.5.25

Name of child \_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE RETURN THIS SLIP TO THE SCHOOL OFFICE AND YOUR CHILD MIGHT WIN A PRIZE :)

## Important dates for your diary...

**Thursday 22nd May—9.10am—** Parent Information Coffee Morning— How we teach Relationships, Health and Sex Education

**Friday 23rd May—Non-uniform Day—**Children bring in a £1 charity donation to wear their own clothes

**Monday 26th May— Friday 30th May—** Half term  
**Monday 2nd June—** Children back at school

**Tuesday 3rd June —3.45pm—** Year 6 PGL meeting in the hall

**Monday 23rd June — Wednesday 25th June —** Year 6 PGL residential visit

**Friday 27th June—Non-uniform Day—**Children bring in a £1 charity donation to wear their own clothes

**Wednesday 2nd July —10am—** Y6 production

**Friday 4th July—**Academic Review Day for Nursery to Y5 — letters will be sent out to you soon

**Friday 4th July— 6pm-8pm—** Family BBQ— more information to follow

**Friday 11th July—** Y6 Academic Review Day— children attend school as normal on this day — letters will be sent out to you soon

**Tuesday 15th July—10am—** EYFS and KS1 Music concert; 2.30— KS2 Music Concert

## Camden Moving On to Secondary School Event..



Parents of children in Year 4 and Year 5 are invited to the **Camden Moving On to Secondary School Event** on **Thursday 5 June 2025 at The Francis Crick Institute, 1 Midland Road, London NW1 1AT.** Timed slots are available from 4.15 to 6.45pm.

This free event is a great opportunity to:

- Receive advice on how to apply for a Year 7 place for September 2026 from the Camden Admissions Team
- Find out more about what Camden secondary schools have to offer your child
- Speak with headteachers, student ambassadors and staff from Camden secondary schools.

This is a timed ticket event, so please make sure you arrive for the time you have booked. Please click the following link to book your place. [Book your free place here via Eventbrite.](#)

## Work of the Week!

This week's brilliant piece of work displayed in the school lobby is by Jana in Year 2.



As part of their English curriculum, Year 2 have been reading 'Through the Magic Mirror' by Anthony Browne.



The children imagined stepping through the magic mirror and described all the unusual things that they saw. Inspired by this, Jana has written her own excellent story called 'A Magical Land'. She has included exciting adjectives, adverbs and similes.

**Well done, Jana!**

## Our Prayer of the week...

May is the month of Mary

Come Holy Spirit,  
and fill our hearts  
with your love and peace.  
Help us to make time  
in our busy lives,  
to spend some time  
talking quietly to God.



Amen



## Person of the Week!

Reception— Ilyas  
Year 1 - Tanaya  
Year 2— Zaki  
Year 3— David D  
Year 4— Jhené  
Year 5 - Leart  
Year 6 - Daniel

## Don't let a little worry turn into a big one...

If you or your child are worried about something or have any questions, please phone the school office and book an appointment to see their class teacher, Ms Mitchell or Ms Jackson.

