



St Mary's Roman Catholic Primary School

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St Mary's RC Primary

School Newsletter

Friday 19th April

Our Mission Statement

As God's family we are STARS within a loving and thriving community, celebrating our diversity. We ignite lifelong learning where everyone becomes a positive influence on our world.

Our Gospel Values

*Every person is a valued member of our community, invited to follow Christ's call to a life of **love**, **hope** and **forgiveness**. We **respect** and support each other to live in **peace**. We embrace challenges and develop the **courage** to create a better world for us all.*

Welcome back!

Welcome to all children and parents for our Summer Term! It has been a wonderful week back with the children excited for their learning and trying their very best to be our STARS! Their positive attitude and love for learning is infectious; we are really privileged to have your children in our wonderful school!

You should have received a Summer Term 1 newsletter from the class teachers, so please check your emails for any further class updates.

We wish you all an enjoyable and happy Summer Term!

Mrs Parker



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London Marathon



The time has already come for the London Marathon! Miss Crowe and Mr Cross have been training super hard over the past few months in order to be Marathon Ready. With the support of our school community as well as all families and friends, Miss Crowe and Mr Cross were able to reach their target of £4000 for the CAFOD charity! Please join us in wishing them the best of luck and wonderful weather for Sunday! Miss Crowe and Mr Cross- whatever happens during the Marathon, you are already superheroes to us! :)

Year 1 Get Suffolk Reading - Love Reading Workshop

Next week we will be having a Love Reading Workshop everyday in Year 1 from 2pm-3pm delivered by Get Suffolk Reading. This is an amazing opportunity for the Year 1 families and we hope to see as many of you there as possible. Ideally we would love to see you there everyday but as many sessions as you can make would be brilliant. The children will really enjoy it, but its purpose is to get families reading together. Please book on to the sessions via Wisepay.



Year 3 and Year 4 School Farm and Country Fair

Well done to Y3 and Y4 who with their wonderful behaviour were a true credit to our school! They all enjoyed their trip and found lots of interesting facts about Farms and farm animals.





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SEND parents evening

If your child is on our SEND register, you will be sent a letter inviting you to book an appointment for your 3rd parent meeting with the class teacher to discuss specifically SEND support for your child and agree on SMART targets. Please check your emails for further details and book your appointments via Wisepay. Thank you!



Mass in school this term

This term we will be celebrating our whole school Mass with Fr Padraig on the following dates.

Wednesday 1st May - 9am

Wednesday 22nd May - 9am

You are all welcome to come and join us.



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CALENDAR DATES for 2023 - 2024 ACADEMIC YEAR

The following dates and events are subject to change if necessary. Please refer to the most up to date newsletters for termly dates.

April 2024		
25th	Bohemian Rhapsody Choir Workshops	Workshops for Y4-Y6 linked to WWII

May 2024		
Monday 6th May	BANK HOLIDAY	
6th -10th	Deaf Awareness Week	Children will learn sign language in class
13th - 17th	KS2 SATS	Further communication to follow regarding arrangements for SATs week breakfast.
20th-24th	Walk to School Week	All children, parents and staff are strongly encouraged to walk, cycle or scoot to school. Alternatively you can park further than usual and walk to school.
Monday 27th	MAY HALF TERM	Pupils return 3rd June
June 2024		
19th	Sports Day - Whole School 9:15am - 11:15am Family Fun Afternoon 1pm - 3pm	Whole school Sports Day AM Fun afternoon - PM



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20th	Alternate Sports Day	
26th	New Reception class 2024 parents meeting	



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