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Friday 9th February 2024

Just a reminder that we close for half term at 3:30pm today and will re-open on Monday 19th February at 8:55am.

'I came to give life. Life in all its fullness'

John 10:10

This half term our Christian value that we have been exploring is:

LOVE

Ethos Award Winners

Reception: Zakariya
Year 1: Reagan
Year 2: Aliyya
Year 3: Kelsie
Year 4: Ayan J
Year 5: Eli
Year 6: Alisha

Mathematicians of the week

Reception: Zahraa
Year 1: Samuel
Year 2: Aurora
Year 3: Bodhi
Year 4: Elliott
Year 5: Iris
Year 6: Adam

School places available

At the current time we have a small number of pupil places available in some classes across school. If you are aware of any families who wish to join St Mary's Primary School, they can call the school office on 01706 216407 and I will be happy to take them on a tour of the school.

Attendance – Whole school target 96%

Weekly whole school attendance: 93%

Year group	Attendance
2	95.4%
3	94.2%
4	93.8%
1	93.2%
5	92.7%
Reception	92.5%
6	92%

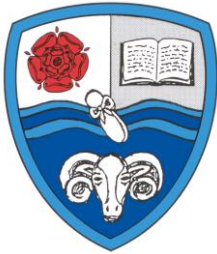
Best timekeeping: Year 4

School Uniform reminder

As we begin the Spring term can all parents/carers ensure your child is in the correct school uniform each day. Please be aware trainers are now permitted to be worn.

I have attached a link to school uniform policy for your information. Thank you for your support on this matter.

<https://www.stmaryscep.org.uk/attachments/download.asp?file=401&type=pdf>



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Burnley FC Player Appearance

On Monday 19th February Year 6 are fortunate to have been provided with a professional football player from Burnley Football Club. This will be an opportunity to for a question and answer session and explore what is involved in the life a Premier League football player. During this visit there will be an opportunity to have their picture/video taken. For these to be allowed to be used please could Year 6 parents complete the consent form via the link below. Thank you

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Breakfast Sports Clubs Spring term 2

Clubs begin at 8am until 8:50am

Monday – Year 3 and 4 drama club

Tuesday – Year 1 and 2 multi-sports

Wednesday – Year 3 and 4 handball

Thursdays – Year 5 and 6 gymnastics

Question of the week!

At St Mary's we are on a mission to make oracy at the heart our school curriculum.

What is oracy?

Oracy is the ability to articulate ideas, develop understanding and engage with others through spoken language.

To help our mission we have introduced a lunch time question which is displayed whilst your child eats.

This weeks question:

Would you rather be the best player on a team that is losing, or the worst player on a winning team?

Safer Internet Day 2024

On Tuesday 6th February St Mary's CE Primary School participated in 'Safer Internet Day 2024'. This year the them is 'Inspiring Change – Making a difference, managing influence and navigating change online'

If you would like to know more about Safer Internet Day please use the link provided below:

<https://saferinternet.org.uk/safer-internet-day/safer-internet-day-2024/top-tips-for-parents-and-carers>

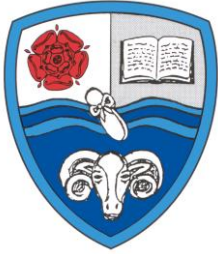
Inter-school Panathlon tournament

Well done to all of the pupils who represented St Mary's Primary School at the inter-school panathlon tournament this week.

St Mary's school facility lettings

St Mary's Primary School has a small range of facilities that are available to be rented out to local clubs in accordance with our school lettings policy.

If this is something that may of interest, please contact the school office on 01706 216407 and Mr Gurman will be happy to discuss this with you further.



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