



St Mary's C of E Primary School Newsletter

Friday 10th July 2020
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Go, shine in the world and live as Jesus lived, with compassion, honesty and integrity.



Dear Parents and carers,
End of year reports have been posted home today. Please look out for this arriving over the next few days. We are not able to hold an Academic Review Day this term but we plan to hold an Academic Review Day in September for parents to meet with their child's teacher.

To all of our families, please do get in touch with the school if you need to.
Best wishes from Mr Webb and Mrs Jackson

Breakfast Club from September

We will be running breakfast club from Monday 7th Sept. Breakfast club will run from 8am – each morning. Children must arrive by 8.15 in order to have breakfast. Breakfast club will continue to cost £5 per week.

We must keep numbers in breakfast club as low as possible in order to minimise the mixing of children's class groups. **For this reason breakfast club will only be available for the children of working parents who need to be at work first thing in the morning and must now be booked in advance for the whole term for five days a week.** This will help us to plan ahead and make sure that we have staff available to run it.

Parents should email the school on admin@stmarykilburn.camden.sch.uk to request a place at breakfast club by 4pm Mon 24th August. Please include an explanation as to why you think that your child needs a place. The school office will contact you to confirm that your child has a place in breakfast club by 4pm on Wednesday 26th August.

Returning to school...

The government has said that all children in primary schools will return to school at the beginning of the Autumn term (Thursday 3rd September) in their usual classes of 30 children.

If your child is not already back at school, please start talking to them about this. It will help your child's wellbeing to start thinking now about returning to school in September.

We will be sending out a letter to parents next week with more information returning to school in September.

Keeping up to date with information

As you know, we have begun to send out the weekly newsletter and other letters by email. We will also begin to use email for longer messages that can be difficult to read as text messages.

Please check your emails every day in case you receive an email from school. Don't miss out... check your email!

Saying goodbye to Year 6...

This week we held a Leavers Assembly via Zoom. We were pleased that so many children in Year 6 and their parents joined in. The children had prepared messages and prayers to share. We heard memories of Year 6 and also saw then and now photos of the children. It was a lovely send off!



Important dates for your diary.....



Friday 10th July - End of year reports posted out to parents

Wednesday 15th July 11.00am—Nursery class Zoom call

Wednesday 15th July 1.30—3.30pm—Year 5 children who are not in school invited to school for a 'Keeping in touch' visit

Friday 17th July—Last day of term for pupils

Monday 20th July—INSET Day for staff - preparing for September

Tuesday 21st July—INSET Day for staff - preparing for September

Thursday 3rd September—All pupils back at school

Monday 7th September 8.00am—Breakfast Club starts—please email the office to book a place.

Work of the Week...

Every week a fantastic piece of children's work is showcased in the school lobby (next to the office).

Year 2/3 have been reading *The Tunnel* by Anthony Browne about a brother and sister who go off exploring and crawl through a secret tunnel.



Anna has written her own retelling of the story. She used an excellent choice of adjectives to bring the story to life and has written at length.

Well done Anna!



Saints of the Week!

Reception A - Rukia

Reception B - Sophie

Year 1 - Vita

Year 2/3 - Peyton

Year 3/4 - Katlyn and Msgana

Year 4/5 - Naomi

Year 5/6 A - Phoenix

Year 5/6 B - Gintare

What to do if your child develops symptoms of coronavirus

If your child is displaying symptoms of coronavirus at home or is sent home by the Head of school with coronavirus symptoms, you must arrange a test for them immediately and inform the school of the result.

Children displaying symptoms will not be able to return to school without being tested.

- 1) To arrange a test you should visit [nhs.uk/ask-for-a-coronavirus-test](https://www.nhs.uk/ask-for-a-coronavirus-test)
- 2) **DO NOT WAIT!** Your child should be tested on the same day they are showing symptoms, or the next day at the latest.
- 3) Please let the Head of School (Mr Webb) know immediately when you receive the result of your child's coronavirus test by calling the school office on **0207 372 6565**
- 4) If your child tests positive for coronavirus, you will receive a text, email or phone call from NHS that explains what your result is and what you need to do next.
- 5) If your child tests negative for coronavirus, your child can return to school.

The most important symptoms of coronavirus (COVID-19)



new and continuous cough

or



high temperature

or



loss of, or change in, your normal sense of taste or smell (anosmia)

Our prayer...

Psalm 34: 11-14

Listen to me little ones, and you will please God.

If your lives are to be filled with happiness and joy, turn away from wickedness and lies;

surround yourselves with goodness and try with all your hearts to share the peace of God with others.

