

St. Mary's CE Primary School

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TERM DATES School Year 2018-19

Summer Term

First day of Term

Monday 29th April

Bank Holiday: 6th May

Half term

Monday 27th May -

Friday 31st May

Last Day of Term

19th July 2019

IN TOUCH

Friday 17th May 2019

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We couldn't be prouder of the way that our Year Six pupils have carried themselves through this week and approached National Testing. Whatever the results, we think they are all A+ and hope that the grey weather didn't spoil their trip to Wandsworth Park this afternoon. My thanks go to all of the staff and pupils, who have thoughtfully maintained a quiet and purposeful atmosphere in school, in support of our eldest pupils.

I for one can't wait to hear what our end of Key Stage productions are going to be this year and I look forward to celebrating the time our Year Six children have spent with us as we move towards the lovely events that happen not only throughout, but especially at the end of the school year. I can already hear some lovely singing wafting up the corridor!

This week Reception have been out of school at London's Transport Museum to further their learning on their topic of transport. In school we have been furiously finishing our masterpieces ahead of this weekend's Art Event. Huge thanks to Mrs Forsyth for preparing us all so well for this event and also to the team of parents who organise and execute this wonderful event every year. I can't wait to see the fruits of the children's efforts on display in the Hall tomorrow. Please join us from 1pm via the Charlwood Road entrance.

This afternoon artists were in school working with our Year Five pupils on an international project called the Ship of Tolerance which is dedicated to educating and connecting children from different continents, cultures and identities through the universal language of art. The children's work will be on display in September when the Ship of Tolerance will be unveiled on the River Thames.

We've enjoyed some lovely hot weather this week and although it is about to take a turn, can I ask you all to ensure that children have a sun hat available at school? The cricket hats are most effective as they stop necks from being burned but as one parent put it—not the height of playground fashion! Please apply sunscreen and feel free to send in spare for the children as we hope that more warm weather is on its way.

Huge thanks to Mrs Read who has raised £348.18 for St. Mary's with her Travelling Book stall. Mrs Read organises this event every year and has, yet again, provided us with a valuable source of funding for new books—thank you very much Mrs Read!

Looking ahead to next week, the other half of Nursery and our full timers are off on a trip to Fulham Palace and it's the last week of half term before we get another holiday! I hope you all have something exciting planned and the weather is good!

Until then, we will see you all at the Art Event tomorrow or if not, next week!

Cheryl Payne—Head Teacher

Whole School Attendance 18-19

Week beginning	Percentage
29/04	96.7%
06/05	98.4%
13/05	98.2%
Overall	97.7%
20/05	
HALF TERM	
03/06	
10/06	
17/06	
24/06	
01/07	
08/07	
15/07	
Total	