

St. Mary's CE Primary School

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TERM DATES School Year 2020-21

Autumn Term

Last day of Term:
Friday 18th December

Spring Term

INSET Day:
Monday 4th January
First day of Term:
Tuesday 5th January
Half Term:
Monday 15th February to
Friday 19th February 2021

INSET Day:
Monday 22nd February
Last day of Term:
Wednesday 31st March

Summer Term

INSET Day:
Monday 19th April
First day of Term:
Tuesday 20th April
Bank Holiday:
Monday 3rd May 2021
Half Term:
Monday 31st May to
Friday 4th June
Last Day of Term:
Friday 23rd July

IN TOUCH

Friday 11th December 2020

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VISION: Delivering excellence, allowing all to flourish
MISSION: Creating a culture of wonder, guided by Christian Faith
VALUES: COMPASSION - ENDURANCE - THANKFULNESS

Many of you may have seen speculation in the media around the early closure of school's next week. Unless anything unforeseen happens, we are planning to continue with our original plans and finish school on Friday. We usually finish earlier on the last day of a full term and we will do so again next week with the following pick up times for each class:

Main Gate		Kitchen Gate	
Year Six	2.00pm	Year Five	2.00pm
Year Four	2.05pm	Year Three	2.05pm
Year Two	2.10pm	Year One	2.10pm
Reception	2.15pm	Nursery	2.15pm

Our final day is also Christmas Hat Day. We specifically chose hats only as this is something that could easily be made at home and hopefully would mean no-one needed to go out and buy anything new. Children can also wear their own clothes or MUFTI on this day—please give generously to the Glass Door homeless charity if you are able.

Also at this time of year we normally invite a theatre company into school to perform a pantomime for us. This year we will be enjoying an online version of 'Cinderella' from the Mercury Theatre in Colchester. Children will be watching in class from Monday onwards. A taster of the panto can be viewed at the bottom of the page found at: <https://www.mercurytheatre.co.uk/event/cinderella-online/>

There will be no before or after school clubs for at least the first half of the Spring Term. I will let parent/carers know our plans for the second half of term as soon as possible.

Many of you have already placed orders for the most highly anticipated album release of the year. It's been a while since their last CD was released, but out next week—for your delight and delectation—the children of St. Mary's Sing Christmas! Please submit your orders as soon as possible to avoid disappointment! Huge thanks to Mrs Le Prevost for planning and delivering this project in school.

I can't believe next week is our final week of the term—it has gone by so quickly!
Until next week, have a restful weekend,
Cheryl Payne
Head Teacher

For those of you who enjoyed seeing former St. Mary's pupil, Henry Boulton, on Songs of Praise, check out Henry singing with the Brecon choir again on Sunday Worship at:
www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episode/m000pz14

Congratulations to **Celine in Reception** who is in receipt of an endurance badge this week! Well done for demonstrating our school value in action!



LEARNING WARRIORS

Nursery: **Henry** for RESILIENCE and **Riara** for MORALITY
Reception: **Giorgia** and **Sam** for ENQUIRY
Year One: **Ariel** and **Olivia** for ENQUIRY
Year Two: **Sasha** and **William** for RESPECT
Year Three: **Giulia** and **Luke** for COMMUNICATION
Year Four: **Anton** for ENQUIRY and **Chloe** for COMMUNICATION
Year Five: **Siena** for MORALITY and **Erina** for COMMUNICATION
Year Six: **Alice** for ENQUIRY and **Alice** for THOUGHTFULNESS



Well done to all of these children for developing key learning skills in their approach and attitude to school this week—keep up the excellent work!

Whole School Attendance 2020-21

Autumn 1	97.3%
02/11	98.6%
09/11	98.0%
16/11	98.6%
23/11	97.2%
30/11	98.8%
04/12	97.6%
Total:	97.7%

This week's Family Point Totals:

GREEN
305

BLUE
274

YELLOW
276

RED
315