

**TERM DATES
School Year 2020-21**

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

**TERM DATES
School Year 2021-22**

Autumn Term
INSET Day/s:
1st September 2021
2nd September 2021
3rd September 2021
First day of Term:
Monday 6th September 2021
Half Term:
Monday 25th October - Friday 29th
October
Last Day of Term:
Friday 17th December

Whole School Attendance 2020-21	
Summer Term	
Week beginning	Percentage
Week 1	98.54%
Week 2	96.37%
Week 3	96.8%
Week 4	96.34%
Week 5	97.86%

**This week's
Family Points**

GREEN
218

BLUE
238

YELLOW
296

RED
281

IN TOUCH

Friday 21st May 2021

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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

Another busy week at St. Mary's. It was absolutely brilliant welcoming Miss Payne back—she really enjoyed walking around the school on Monday and meeting all the children again! Below is a taste of what other great things have been happening...

Year 4 have had another busy week learning about decimals in maths, performing poetry in English, thinking about Jesus' miracles in RE and in geography lessons they have been finding out about the kind of people that live traditional lives in the rainforests and comparing to modern society.

Y6 has seen some of our pupils take part in Wandsworth's CycleTraining, an intense four day course that this year included battling the elements too—wind, rain and thunderstorms! Well done to all who took part.

Year 3 have utilised communication and cooperation skills by working in pairs in science exploring how water is transported around a plant and in PSHE working together to spot dangers within homes and thinking of strategies to keep ourselves safe.

Year 5 have been learning about and designing experiments to study friction and Year 1 have been having fun interviewing 'The Lonely Beast'! Year 2 have been looking at The Twits and planning and writing their own tricks, which will be published in a class book when they are done!

Today we welcomed the Diocesan Inspector for School Improvement to St. Mary's, she enjoyed touring the school and witnessed firsthand all this great learning going on!

Lastly, we would like to remind you that we have three parent governor vacancies on the governing board, if you are a parent or carer of a child at our school and interested in this role, please enquire at the school office. The closing date for nomination forms to be returned to the school is Thursday 27th May 2021.

Thank you for your continued support and wishing you a lovely weekend.
St. Mary's SLT

Nurse and Reception have loved exploring their outdoor area a little more—despite the weather—the photo's below showcase the learning and fun they have had!



**LEARNING
WARRIORS**

- Y6 Oscar and Rosa
- Y5 Hannah and Will
- Y4 Felix and Bella
- Y3 Robina and David
- Y2 Sasha and Hamish
- Y1 Olivia and Edward
- YR Alana and Jasper
- YN Sophia A and Nina



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