

St. Mary's CE Primary School

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Spring Term

Last day of Term:

Friday 4th April 2025

Summer Term

First day of Term:

Tuesday 22nd April 2025

Bank Holiday:

Monday 5th May 2025

Half Term:

Monday 26th May to Friday 30th May 2025

Last Day of Term:

Friday 18th July 2025

INSET Day:

Monday 21st July 2025

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Tuesday 22nd July 2025

IN TOUCH



Friday 27th March 2025

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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

If you are interested in supporting this year's Key Stage Two (KS2) Sports Day, please save the date of 25th June in your diary. This year it will be held on a Wednesday as opposed to a Friday. This is due to the availability at Barn Elms. We know Wednesday is probably a more difficult day for parents to book off from work and so we are giving the date out well in advance. For those families who are new to St. Mary's, the KS2 event is organised and run by a committee and large group of parents and new volunteers are needed—please sign up in the school office. More information to follow.

Next week, we will carry out a whole school attendance check. I will be writing to all parent/carers with children whose attendance is below our school target of 97% asking them to improve their child's attendance for the remainder of the year.

Thank you to all of you who were able to join us for our Mothering Sunday Service this morning. The children sung, danced and hula hooped the roof off of St. Mary's Church paying tribute to their caregivers. Thank you to Mrs Bishop for organising the service and to Reverend John for his words and inviting us to hold our service in the Church. Our Nursery children held their own special service for caregivers in the Hall this afternoon. There will be lots of photos of both services in the next edition of St. Mary's News which will be coming out next week, but here are a few of our wonderful Nursery children. That means this is the last In Touch of the Spring Term. Only one more week to go! I wish you all a very restful but fun weekend and look forward to seeing you on Monday at the usual time. Best wishes, Cheryl Payne—Head Teacher



School Attendance 24-25	
TARGET	97.0%
2023-24	94.8%
Autumn '24	96.3% (826)
Spring 1 '25	95.5% (396)
Week Beginning	% (sessions)
24/02	97.8% (33)
03/03	98.0% (30)
10/03	97.3% (41)
19/03	94.5% (84)
24/03	95.2% (74)
31/03	
Total:	96.2% (1484)

Figures shown in brackets above are the number of sessions missed either in the term, week or the total missed so far this year!

Happy Mothering Sunday

Family Points

277

372

301

372

