

St Mary & St Paul's CE Primary School

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Headteacher's Message



It has been a very busy start to term with children getting back into the swing very quickly with learning expectations and this is something all of us, teachers and parents can be proud of.

Over the course of the summer term our hope is that we may start to see the opening of things in the wider world but keeping children in the building is essential to us so we will continue with restrictions until the end of term. Your support over the last year has been wonderful and we are very grateful for all that you have done, including wear face masks on site. It's a small thing but by keeping children and teachers safe you are keeping us open.

Throughout term we will try to get as many of our normal activities/events as possible but there will have to be adaptations to these so please bear with us.

Thanks again for your support
Stay Safe
Mr Parks

Diary Dates



May

3rd May - Bank Holiday
5th May - Year 3 Swimming
12th May - Year 3 Swimming
19th May - Year 3 Swimming
26th May - Year 3 Swimming
26th May - Class Photographs
28th May - Finish for half term
7th June - Return after half term

Multi-skills will be running throughout May from 3:15pm-4:15pm

Monday - Year 2

Tuesday - Year 1

Wednesday - Year 3

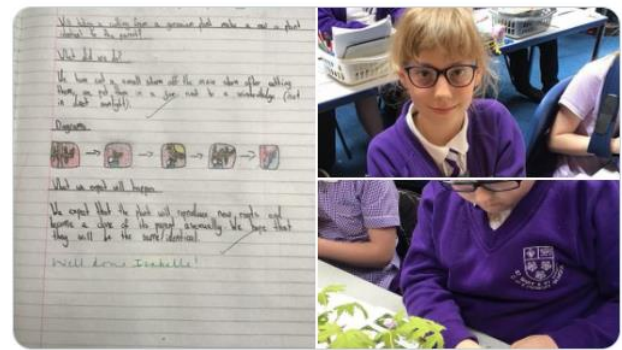
Thursday - Year 5



Year 2 and Year 6 - Experiments

Things have been heating up between Yr2 and Yr6.

Yr2 wanted to complete a comparative test to see who is fitter the younger or the older children, the teachers even got involved doing laps around the play ground and doing lots star jumps. Who do you think won? #Year2 #Year6



Year 5 Science

This afternoon, Year 5 have carried out an experiment to see if taking a cutting from a geranium plant will make a new plant identical to the parent. We will check the results in a couple of weeks to see if any roots have started to appear! #curriculum #science #joy

Assembly Theme - Joy

Joy is an essential part of our love of the world, without joy we struggle to function but what is it? In assembly we have started to explore that joy is happiness but so much more. A treasure that enables us to function and doesn't go even in the darkest times.



Did you know that children can
have 15 hours a week FREE
nursery provision in our school
Nursery once they are 3 years old?



At St Mary & St Paul's, our teaching is underpinned by Christian values, as we aim to help all of our children to become both successful and thoughtful citizens.

This begins in Nursery Class, where we help our youngest children to learn how to be a good friend, help others and be kind. Learning is through fun play activities – most of the time the children are having so much fun they don't realise that they are learning at all!

Our Foundation Stage is really well equipped with resources that make learning fun – both inside and outside – and our children really enjoy all of the learning that they do.

Learning with Us.....this month

Google Classroom

Visit our website at <https://stmaryandstpauls.org.uk/home-learning/>

This will explain our processes to online learning in case your child needs to be off and where to find homework.

Check out our video on how to use it GoogleClassroom

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GUuNnZ5XkZU>

Thank you
Mr Parks

Headteacher's Awards



James (Y6) – Fabulous fantasy story writing
Halle (Y2) – Great Geography work studying Kenya
Erin (YR) – Wonderful independent writing
Keira (YR) – Wonderful independent writing
Poppy (YR) – Wonderful independent writing
Mia (YR) – Wonderful independent writing

Social Media

@StPrescot



www.youtube.com/channel/UC1_VMdXJzdo9B4V0skr7VvKA

Friday Collections

This is our end of term and collection times are:

2.30pm – Rec / Nurture / Yr 1
2.35pm - Nursery / Yr 2
2.40pm – Yr 3 / Yr 5
2.45pm – Yr 4 / Yr 6

Get a free NHS test to check if you have coronavirus

You can have a test (swab test) to check if you have coronavirus (COVID-19) now.

Who can get a test

You can get a free NHS test if:

- ✓ you have any [symptoms of coronavirus](#) (a high temperature, a new, continuous cough or a loss or change to your sense of smell or taste)
- ✓ you're getting a test for someone you live with who has symptoms
- ✓ you live in England and have been told to get a test before you go into hospital, for example, for surgery
- ✓ your local council asks you to get a test
- ✓ you're taking part in a government pilot project

Do not ask for an NHS test if:

- ✗ you live with someone who has coronavirus but you do not have symptoms yourself – you need to [self-isolate](#)
- ✗ you've been in close contact with someone who has the virus but you do not have symptoms – you do not need to do anything unless NHS Test and Trace tells you to
- ✗ you're going abroad but do not have symptoms
- ✗ you've arrived in the UK from abroad but do not have symptoms – you need to self-isolate if you've come from a country with a high coronavirus risk
- ✗ your employer or school has asked you to get a test but you do not have symptoms