



12th May 2023

Dear families,

May, the month of Mary

Mary was always faithful to God's will. She was faithful at the stable in Bethlehem, she was faithful in the temple and she was faithful at the foot of the cross. Mary quietly loved God and loved her family through that love. Let us follow her example and be faithful to God's will in our lives.

God our Father,
help us to do your will
even when it is difficult.
Help us to love you
through the love we show
our families and each other.
We ask this through
our Lord Jesus Christ
and your Holy Spirit. Amen.



MADD STEM week

Next week the whole school are going to enjoy a theme week, this is where we use the curriculum time to further enhance the subjects.

M=Music **A**=Arts **D**=Dance **D**=Drama
S=Science **T**=Technology **E**=Engineering **M**=Maths

The theme is **Connections**. We have a huge range of activities and visitors planned and will be a really exciting week. More information on the events will be shared during the week and we will make a portfolio of the event to share.

Our lessons link to The EuroVision Song Contest and builds on the knowledge of all subjects. The week involves pupils from Nursery to Year 6.

Assessments

The year six children sat their SATs this week and worked hard to show what they have learnt. Well done to them; they celebrated with a McDonald's lunch. The homework club will now stop for them, but their morning interventions will continue as normal.

The year two children have also been completing their SATs, but they are a lot less formal and the children are enjoying the biscuit challenges. The SATs will continue throughout May for this year group. Morning interventions will also continue.

Next month, the year one children will take part in their phonics screening check and the year four pupils will sit a multiplication check. Other classes will sit the regular summer term assessments in June. The children are used to assessments and we make the process relaxed for them.

All results will be shared in the annual school report in July.





May has been a strange month, due to the bank holidays and strike days, but we have reached the end of the shorter weeks and have two 'normal' length weeks in school before we break up. We have a wide range of events coming up.

What?	When?	Who?
MADD STEM week	15-19 th May	Whole School
May Procession	Tuesday 16 th May 2023	Year 4
Travel choices	Thursday 18 th May 2023	Year 6
Forest School	Upcoming Tuesdays	Year R and Year 6
Shaun the Sheep Charity Days	Wednesday/ Thursday 7/8 th June 2023	Whole School
Beach School	Thursday 8 th June 2023	Year 4
Surfing	Thursday 15 th June 2023	Year 5
INSET day	Monday 19 th June 2023	Whole School
Sport's Day	Monday 26 th June 2023 (times will be given out)	Reception to Year 6
Beach School	Thursday 29 th June 2023	Year 6
Sea life Centre Visit	Wednesday 5 th July 2023	Reception
Mary Fest	Thursday 6 th July 2023	Whole School
Transition days	Thursday 13/14 th July 2023	Year 6
Farm Visit	Tuesday 18 th July 2023	Year 2
Dr Bike sessions	Wednesday 19 th July 2023	Whole School
<p>We will add more dates to this as they are planned.</p> <p>More information will be sent out about the events if needed.</p>		

Have a lovely weekend,

Mrs. Tumelty
Head of School



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