



Headteacher: Alison Ternan
Deputy Headteacher: Brad Page
Date: 16th January 2026



School Attendance Our Target:- 96%
Attendance Award this week goes to:-
YEAR R

Message from the Headteacher

Dear Parent/Carers,

We have had a good week at St Marys this week, getting back into the swing of school after the holidays. Thank you for following the uniform policy, the children all look very smart.

We have been navigating our new catering systems for a couple of weeks now and the children have been great at trying new foods. The system for ordering at home is now fully up and running, please take time with your child to look at the menu and choose their meal for the day, this will be a great help.

A reminder that PE kits need to be in school for your child's PE days - the PE kit can stay in school.

I wish you all a lovely weekend,
Warm wishes Alison Ternan

Diary Dates

February 2026

- 13th INSET DAY
- 16th-20th HALF TERM
- 25th Parents evening
- 26th Parents evening

March 2026

- 5th World Book Day
- 10th Year 4 trip – Winchester
- 10th 9am Coffee morning – MHST
- 19th Year 2 Great Fire of London Day (in school)
- 27th TERM ENDS

April 2026

- 30th March– 10th EASTER HOLIDAYS
- 14th 2.30pm Year 5 Parent Meeting CARE
- 16th 9am Mass – Easter

Stars of the Week

YEAR R	Leah
YEAR 1	Lucie
YEAR 2	Teddy
YEAR 3	Daryiah
YEAR 4	Johan
YEAR 5	Willow
YEAR 6	Joey

RESIDENTIAL TRIPS

Yr 6 Little Canada

Yr 4 Stubbington

If your child is attending these residentials, please start making payments by cash or SCOPAY.
Thank You!

School Nurse

The School Nurse will be in on the 5th March to carry out the National Child Measurement Programme for children in Year 6 and Year R Only.

REMINDER:-

Please do not email or advise through your child's SEESAW account if your child is absent from school.
Call the school office on: **02392583979 by 9am.**

You can leave a message on the answer-machine.



LIBRARY DAYS

Reception	Tuesday
Year 1	Wednesday
Year 2	Thursday
Year 3	Tuesday
Year 4	Monday
Year 5	Friday
Year 6	Friday

Please note:-
Children are unable to take out a new book if they have already a book registered out in their name.

PE DAYS

Reception	Friday
Year 1	Tuesday/Friday
Year 2	Wednesday/Thursday
Year 3	Thursday/Friday
Year 4	Tuesday/Wednesday
Year 5	Monday
Year 6	Monday

PE Lessons are compulsory!
Please make sure your child has their PE kit in school.

Guinea Pig Timetable

Year R	15/12/25
Year 6	05/01/26
Year 5	12/01/26
Year 4	19/01/26
Year 3	26/01/26
Year 2	02/02/26
Year 1	09/02/26

During your child's class week, if you have any "left over vegetables/fruit" we would be grateful for the donations.

School Building Fund

Spring Term Building Fund is now due!

Please make payment by:- Mon. 9th February.

SCHOOL MEALS WEEK COMMENCING 19th Jan 2026 Week 3

DAY OF THE WEEK	OPTION 1 RED	OPTION 2 GREEN	OPTION 3 BLUE
MONDAY	Cheese & Tomato Pizza	Potato & Lentil Curry	Tomato Pasta
TUESDAY	Beef Bolognese	Veggie Bolognese	Jacket Potato
WEDNESDAY	Roast Gammon	Roast Quorn	Tomato Pasta
THURSDAY	Chicken & Veg Pie	West African Rice	Jacket Potato
FRIDAY	Fish Fingers	Quorn Dippers	Tomato Pasta

Hot dishes are served with two vegetables and freshly baked bread.

Chartwells is our new supplier for School Lunches – Menu above.

Cost of a 2 course meal is £2.75. We will be gradually going to a cashless system. Meals will be purchased through SCOPAY.

Credit must be on the account for a meal to be taken. KS1(Infants) and Free School Meals remain but you will also need to book meals.
For further information check out help.scopay.com.



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