



St Mary's Catholic Primary School
'Love God, Love Others, Love Ourselves'

Upcoming dates



19th May

Y5 Hunting Lodge
Visit

20th May

Y3 Hunting Lodge
Visit

Thursday 27th May

School Feast Day

Friday 28th May

Curriculum Day

School is closed

Miss Egan writes.....

I hope you have enjoyed the opportunities you have had as a family this week to 'Reconnect with Nature' during Mental Health Awareness Week.

Time marches on and, in a couple of weeks, we will be coming to the end of this half term finishing with our Feast Day celebrations. Weather permitting we are looking to do something outside and resurrect the tradition of each family providing some plants for the celebration which will then be used to enhance our outdoor pots and planters during the Summer. Please send these into school from next week and leave them on the trolley outside the gate. Thank you in advance for your support

Thank you to the Reception parents for the positive feedback on our new 'Spotlight on.....' feature.

This time it is the turn of Y1...

School Uniform

Now that shops have reopened again, please ensure that your child is wearing the correct school uniform. This includes suitable shoes or sandals for everyday wear.

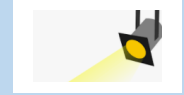
Plain, dark trainers may be worn on PE days.

We have been quite lenient but would like to maintain our high standards.

White Rose Maths.... have teamed up with TV presenter, teacher and parent Michael Underwood to bring out a mini-series called Maths with Michael to support parents who may feel like maths has changed and can sometimes find it difficult to keep up to date with modern teaching methods in maths. These can be viewed using the following link

<https://whiterosemaths.com/for-parents/maths-with-michael/>

Spotlight on.....Y1



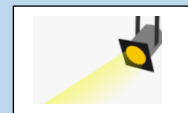
Each morning we spend time focusing on all of our writing skills and are becoming more and more confident to use punctuation, conjunctions and adjectives! Our favourite topic to write about so far was about what we would do if we were in charge of the school!



In Maths, we have been learning about multiplication and division.



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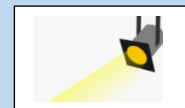
We practised making arrays and even created an Array City.



In PE, we have been learning how to balance, roll and create our own sequence of movements.

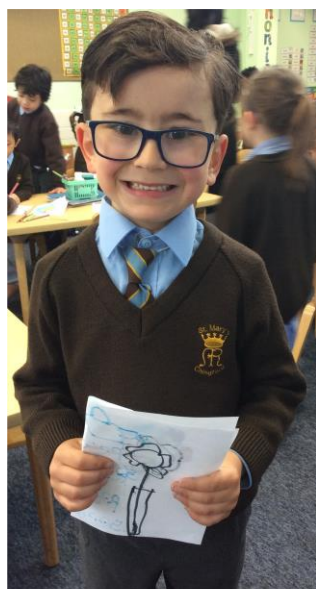


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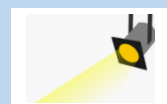


Independent Learning Time!

We love to choose independent learning jobs to apply knowledge and skills we have learnt. We particularly love being able to use our imaginations in the role-play and to create our own books!



Spotlight on.....Y1



Plants

In Science, we have planted our own sunflower seeds and are taking great care to make sure we water them each day. We can now label and talk about the parts of a plant and cannot wait to go on our school trip to the Hunting Lodge to learn more!



We have learnt how to sew and learnt about toys from the past!

