

ST MARY'S CE FIRST ACADEMY

NEWSLETTER

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"SHINE AS A LIGHT IN THE WORLD"

Matthew 5:16

Dear Parents and Carers,

Next week we are thinking about Harvest. Living and working in a village we all know the importance of a successful harvest for our local community as well as the wider world. On Monday we will celebrate our Harvest festival in school. All donations from families are welcome and will be donated to The Well which is a Christian charity working in Wolverhampton. Please see the list provided by The Well on Dojo for recommended donations. As we are unable to mix the classes within our school at the moment, Year 1 and 2 will be helping Rev. Rachel lead a short act of worship on behalf of our academy. Keep an eye on Class Dojo for film clips and photographs. Year 4 have also been busy 'sowing and reaping friendship seeds'. They have been busy drafting and writing letters to residents at Wheaton Aston Court to help share a little happiness in our local community.

A Harvest Prayer

Father God,

Bless our village of Wheaton Aston as we continue to move through this Harvest time. We pray that all of our farm workers are safe and well as they work the long hours needed to gather the harvest in.

We thank you Lord for all the blessings you have given us.

Help us to understand that by sharing these blessings we share the light of your son, Jesus Christ.

Amen

Hopefully the children have told you about our library project that is taking place in school. We have an artist working very hard to paint the new library which will be at the heart of the school building and a place where all children, staff and families can enjoy reading together.







Please do keep a look out for upcoming PTA events. We are very grateful to everyone on the PTA for their hard work and planning. I'm sure they would welcome new members as well. Please call the school office if you would like contact details.

Many thanks Mrs N.R Brennan



TOP SECRET

Parents and carers of children at St Mary's. Our PTA our arranging a little visitor from the North Pole, Please look out for details which will be sent via ParentPay.

STAR OF THE WEEK

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	Class	Pupil
*	Nursery & Reception	All of you, for being fantastic.
	Year 1 & 2	Arthur
	Year 3	Kyan
*	Year 4	Harrison
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A massive well done to all children for all their hard work this week. We are proud to call you a part of our St Mary's Family.





St Mary's CE First Academy Term Dates and Holidays 2021-2022 Dates are subject to change.

Autumn Term 2021

The Cheslyn Hay Schools Games Cross Country Tournament 13^{th} October 2021 (Selected Teams from Year 3 & 4)

Half Term: Monday 25th October - Friday 29th October

Wheaton Aston Scarecrow Festival 31st October 2021

Christmas Light Switch on 20th November 2021 (St Mary's will be performing, details to follow)

A special visitor from the North Pole will be collecting children's letters in school (Date TBC)

Bags2School 8th December 2021

Term Ends: Friday 17th December

Holiday: Monday 20th December - Monday 3rd January

Spring Term 2022

Inset day: Tuesday 4th January

Term Starts: Wednesday 5th January

Half term: Monday 21st February - Friday 25th February

Term ends: Friday 8th April

Holiday: Monday 11th April - Friday 22nd April

Easter Sunday: Sunday 17th April

Summer Term 2022

Inset day: Monday 25th April

Term Starts: Tuesday 26th April

May Day: Monday 2nd May

Half term: Monday 30th May - Friday 3rd June

Term ends: Thursday 21st July

Holiday: Friday 22nd July - Friday 2nd September

Inset Days (School Closed to Pupils)

Tuesday 4th January 2022 Monday 25th April 2022