



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,

It seems spring has finally sprung! We have had some beautiful weather recently and the school grounds are starting to blossom with daffodils. At least two bird families have decided to join us. We have starlings and some blue tits using the bird boxes around the school grounds which I know the children in KS1 have been really enjoying watching. Our reception children are patiently waiting for their caterpillars to turn into butterflies. According to Mrs Kirkpatrick next week could be the big release!

I'm sure you've noticed our new fence being constructed across the school field. We have received another grant from St Chad's MAT to provide the fence and gates which will mean our children can freely enjoy the school field without having any safeguarding concerns. Hopefully the fence and gates will be completed next week so we can really enjoy the field during the remainder of the school year.

On Tuesday next week we have our school photographer visiting us. They will be taking whole class photographs and individual photographs of our Year 4 class. Please ensure your child is in full school uniform with a beautiful smile ready to snap a class memory. For children who usually have PE or Sport Club afterschool please wear school uniform and bring your PE shoes to change into.

Finally, please can I wish all of our St. Mary's moms, aunts, sisters, grans, nans, friends and family a very happy Mothering Sunday. We know the love, care and dedication you all have for our wonderful children here at St Mary's and hope you enjoy celebrating this Sunday.

Have a wonderful weekend.

Many thanks,

Mrs Brennan



Tuesday 29th March

Academy Photography will be visiting St. Mary's to take whole class and year 4 individual Leaver photographs. Please ensure full school uniform is worn on this day and bring those lovely smiles!



STAR OF THE WEEK

Class	Pupil
Nursery	Holly
Reception	Francis
Year 1 & 2	Walter
Year 3	Miles
Year 4	Michael

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.



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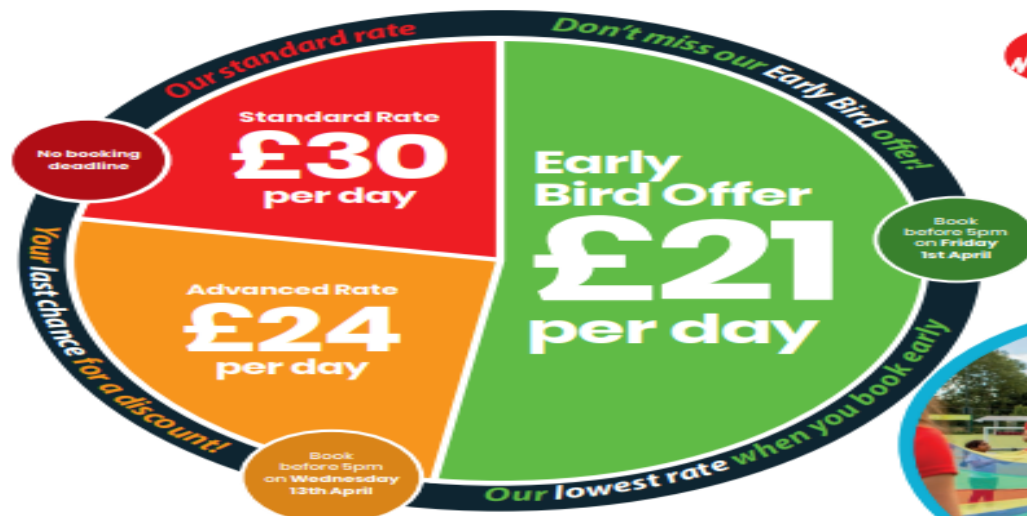


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4

Stop all contact with anyone online who asks you to do anything you don't want to do. Report and block them.

5

Ask for help if anything online is bothering you.



St Mary's CE First Academy
Term Dates and Holidays 2022-2023
Dates are subject to change.

Spring Term 2022

Tuesday 29th March - Whole class and School leaver photograph's

Thursday 31st March - Reception, Year 1/2 Trip to Lichfield Cathedral

Friday 1st April - Non-school uniform day for an Easter egg donation.

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

Wednesday 27th April Bags to school

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

Autumn Term 2023

Inset Day: Monday 5th September

Term Starts: Tuesday 6th September

Holiday: Monday 24th October - Friday 28th October

Term ends: Friday 16th December

Holiday: Monday 19th December - Monday 2nd January

Inset Days (School Closed to Pupils)

Monday 25th April 2022

Monday 5th September 2022