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St. Mary's Catholic Primary School

WELCOME BACK

It is really lovely to see all the children back at school and to have our new children join us in our nursery, reception class and across our school. I know for some of you it is not the start that you would have wanted with a COVID outbreak in a few of our classes, but these challenges make us grow stronger and as a school we are confident in our procedures should another outbreak occur. The national picture indicates that there are many schools facing the same difficulties as we are, so we are far from alone.

Please do ensure that you talk to your child/ children about managing their hygiene such as hand washing and maintaining distancing and keeping themselves safe in school.

We are back in the swing of all things teaching and learning, most teachers have presented the teacher meeting through Google meet and information about reading, spellings and IXL maths has now been presented. If you have any further concerns or worries, please Dojo the teachers direct or contact myself or Mrs Breslin.

We hope to reinstate visits and experience's, community events, Christmas activities and many more so please keep your eye on the calendar of events over time. We are so pleased to be getting back to normal but please be patient with us as we also consider safe working practices for health and safety and being COVID safe.

Thank you for your continued support,

Best wishes,

Alison McDonald

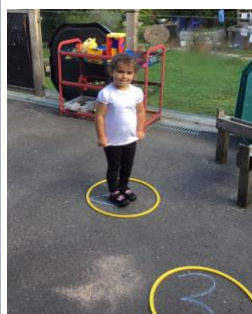
Executive Headteacher



Year 4 have sculptured some amazing mountains and painted them by mixing some primary colours to create the desired effect!



Year 3 exploring clay in preparation for making their own Prehistoric Bell Beaker Pots. It was great fun!



Reception have been exploring numbers from 0-4, creating their own name place mats, learning about rhythms in music and listening to music that makes them feel happy!



Year 6 Active maths in the hall to review prior learning



Headteachers special mention to: Our new Nursery and Reception Pupils who have settled in so well

UNIFORM

Uniform such as jumpers, polo shirts, coats, bookbags & PE bags can be purchased through Wovina (www.wovina.com). Summer dresses, Pinafores and Skirts can be purchased through Parentpay. All items of clothing should be clearly marked with the child's name. Some second hand uniform is available from school.

BOYS

School sweatshirt with logo, navy or red
Polo shirts with logo, navy or red
Grey trousers
Sensible/serviceable coat / waterproof
Sensible shoes
Boys may wear grey shorts in the summer months.

GIRLS

School sweatshirt with logo, navy or red
Polo shirts with logo, navy or red
Tartan Pinafore skirt / dress
Plain grey trousers
Sensible shoes with flat heel
Navy or red tights
Girls may wear a school summer dress in summer

PE

All children are expected to have a PE bag to hold kit consisting of:
Navy shorts
White t-shirt
White or black pumps

*Jewellery is not permitted. Only one pair of stud earrings are acceptable.



Please do not use North Cornwall Academy's car park when dropping off/collecting pupils this is private property and they require access at all times.



Bike to School Week 2021

27 September – 1 October

- ✓ **Be active** and feel more energised
- ✓ **Help the environment** by replacing a car journey
- ✓ **Improve local air quality** and reduce congestion



Let Sustrans know your family is cycling or scooting to school to be in with the chance of winning a Frog bike.

Visit www.sustrans.org.uk/biketoschoolweek/pledge

Our new welcoming reception area wall art



#BikeToSchoolWeek

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Unfortunately we are going to have to delay the start of clubs to Monday 4th October to ensure that everyone can take part.

We need to ensure that we are COVID free before we begin to open up the school and reinstate mixing.



St Mary's Catholic Primary School

2021/22 Term Dates

September 2021						
Mon			13	20	27	
Tue		7	14	21	28	
Wed	1	8	15	22	29	
Thurs	2	9	16	23	30	
Fri	3	10	17	24		
Sat	4	11	18	25		
Sun	5	12	19	26		

October 2021						
Mon		4	11	18	25	
Tue		5	12	19	26	
Wed		6	13	20	27	
Thurs		7	14	21	28	
Fri	1	8	15	22	29	
Sat	2	9	16	23	30	
Sun	3	10	17	24	31	

November 2021						
Mon			8	15	22	29
Tue		2	9	16	23	30
Wed		3	10	17	24	
Thurs		4	11	18	25	
Fri		5	12	19	26	
Sat		6	13	20	27	
Sun		7	14	21	28	

December 2021						
Mon		6	13	20	27	
Tue		7	14	21	28	
Wed	1	8	15	22	29	
Thurs	2	9	16	23	30	
Fri	3	10	17	24	31	
Sat	4	11	18	25		
Sun	5	12	19	26		

January 2022						
Mon		3	10	17	24	31
Tue		4	11	18	25	
Wed		5	12	19	26	
Thurs		6	13	20	27	
Fri		7	14	21	28	
Sat	1	8	15	22	29	
Sun	2	9	16	23	30	

February 2022						
Mon		7	14	21		
Tue	1	8	15	22		
Wed	2	9	16	23		
Thurs	3	10	17	24		
Fri	4	11	18	25		
Sat	5	12	19	26		
Sun	6	13	20	27		

March 2022						
Mon		7	14	21	28	
Tue	1	8	15	22	29	
Wed	2	9	16	23	30	
Thurs	3	10	17	24	31	
Fri	4	11	18	25		
Sat	5	12	19	26		
Sun	6	13	20	27		

April 2022						
Mon		4	11	18	25	
Tue		5	12	19	26	
Wed		6	13	20	27	
Thurs		7	14	21	28	
Fri	1	8	15	22	29	
Sat	2	9	16	23	30	
Sun	3	10	17	24	31	

May 2022						
Mon		2	9	16	23	30
Tue		3	10	17	24	31
Wed		4	11	18	25	
Thurs		5	12	19	26	
Fri		6	13	20	27	
Sat		7	14	21	28	
Sun		1	8	15	22	29

June 2022						
Mon			13	20	27	
Tue		7	14	21	28	
Wed	1	8	15	22	29	
Thurs	2	9	16	23	30	
Fri	3	10	17	24		
Sat	4	11	18	25		
Sun	5	12	19	26		

July 2022						
Mon		4	11	18		
Tue		5	12	19	26	
Wed		6	13	20	27	
Thurs		7	14	21	28	
Fri	1	8	15	22	29	
Sat	2	9	16	23	30	
Sun	3	10	17	24	31	

August 2022						
Mon		1	8	15	22	29
Tue		2	9	16	23	30
Wed		3	10	17	24	31
Thurs		4	11	18	25	
Fri		5	12	19	26	
Sat		6	13	20	27	
Sun		7	14	21	28	

Bank Holidays - school closed

Christmas Day	25 December 2021
Boxing Day	26 December 2021
Bank Holiday	27 & 28 December 2021
(in lieu of 25/26 Dec)	
New Year's Day	1 January 2022
Bank Holiday	3 January 2022
Good Friday	15 April 2022
Easter Monday	18 April 2022
May Bank Holiday	2 May 2022
Spring Bank Holiday	30 May 2022
Summer Bank Holiday	29 August 2022

Autumn Half Term - school closed

25-29 October

Spring Half Term - school closed

21-25 February

Summer Half Term - school closed

30 May-3 June

Staff Training Days - school closed

Monday 6 September 2021
Monday 1 November 2021
Monday 28 February 2022
Monday 6 June 2022
Monday 25 July 2022
Tuesday 26 July 2022