



10th January 2020

St. Mark's Newsletter



In a caring Christian community together we love, learn, laugh and achieve.

Welcome Back:

Happy New Year and welcome back to a new term. We hope you all had a lovely Christmas holiday. We would like to welcome three new Nursery children to St. Mark's.

Attendance Competition:

We are having an attendance competition this term. Children who receive 100% attendance between Tuesday 7th January and Wednesday 8th April will be entered in to a raffle for the chance to win an iPad. You have to be 'in' to win!

Class Attendance Reward:

Congratulations to Year 4 for achieving 100% attendance this week. They are rewarded with an own clothes day on Friday 17th January. Well done Year 4!

Reception 2020 Admissions:

The deadline for applying for a Reception place for September 2020 is next Wednesday 15th January 2020. Please ensure you either apply online or send the completed application form back to school. A supplementary faith form and proof of Baptism is also required if you wish your child's faith to be considered during the application process.

Holy Communion:

Children making their Holy Communion this term start their preparation cycle this Saturday 11th January at St. Mark's Church, 4pm.

Football:

Congratulations to our girls' football team, who won 5 out of 5 games at the Halewood and Huyton Girls' Football League. What a great start to the year. Lets hope our winning streak continues throughout the year.

'Keeping up with the Kids':

We are offering a FREE 5 week parent/carer course focusing on how your children are taught English in school. Flyers have been sent home this week with further information. If you would like to attend, please return the tear off slip at the bottom of the flyer.

School Meal Promotion:

On Thursday 16th January, we are having a school meal promotion. The meal choice is chicken nuggets and curly fries, jacket potato or a choice of sandwiches. A letter will be sent home to those children who normally bring in a packed lunch with further information.

Year 6 Residential:

We have booked for Year 6 to attend PGL on Friday 26th—Monday 29th June. The total cost of the trip is £140.00. The second instalment of £35.00 is due on Friday 28th February. Payment can be paid either by cash or by ParentPay.

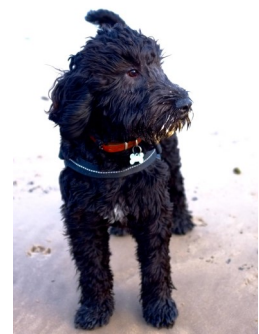
	Attendance	Punctuality
REC	99%	99%
YEAR 1	99%	98%
YEAR 2	98%	98%
YEAR 3	99%	99%
YEAR 4	100%	98%
YEAR 5	98%	100%
YEAR 6	97%	100%

School App:

We highly recommend that you download our school app. We will be sending text invites to those parents who have not downloaded the app. Please follow the instructions to upload the app to your device.

Buddy:

Buddy spent his New Year playing on the beaches in Northumberland, his first holiday away. He is looking forward to seeing all the children in school next week.



Student of the Week

Grace	NURS AM
Lucas	NURS PM
Eliza	REC
Noah	YEAR 1
Maddison	YEAR 2
Jacob	YEAR 3
Joshua B	YEAR 4
William	YEAR 5
William	YEAR 6

Good Manners

Annie	NURS AM
Gurparthaapveer	NURS PM
Penelope	REC
Poppy	YEAR 1
Steven	YEAR 2
Mollie	YEAR 3
Noah	YEAR 4
Emily	YEAR 5
Rueben	YEAR 6

Writing Award

Dylan	REC
Leo	YEAR 1
Harvey	YEAR 2
Sophie H	YEAR 3
Lily	YEAR 4
Bobby	YEAR 5
Cameron	YEAR 6

Well done to all the children who received an award this week.

Afterschool Clubs

Tues 3:15-4:00 - Multiskills Y1/2

Wed 3:15-4:00 - Football Y5/6

3:15-4:15 Performing Arts Club

Thurs 3:15-4:00 Netball Y5/6

School Clubs

Tues - 1:00-1:20pm - Choir Y4/5/6

Fri - 12:15-12:45pm Newspaper Club Y6