



# St Mary's Catholic School

Growing together in knowledge, faith and love

22nd March  
2019

## Star of the Week



### Week 1

Reception	Buddy
Class 1	Gracie-May
Class 2	Lily
Class 3	Annabelle
Class 4	Megan
Class 5	Neve
Class 6	Hanna

### Week 2

Reception	Leo
Class 1	Gracie-May
Class 2	Esme
Class 3	Jack
Class 4	Chyanne
Class 5	Brook
Class 6	Vicky

### English Experts

Class 1	Elouise
Class 2	Kaleb
Class 3	Preston
Class 4	Miley
Class 5	Harry L.C
Class 6	Courteney

### Maths Masters

Class 1	Kirby
Class 2	Harper
Class 3	Amelia
Class 4	Filip
Class 5	Kayden
Class 6	Oliver

Dear All



The children have had such a fun couple of weeks and I would like to thank you all for your contributions and support towards our chosen charities. We are delighted that we raised £323 for Red Nose Day. The children thoroughly enjoyed the day with lots of dancing, especially when the adults entertained them with their own dancing!

On Monday the school welcomed Patricia, a member of the Jewish community to celebrate Jewish week. The children were fascinated by the items that she brought in to share with them. It was lovely for the children to learn all about the Jewish traditions and key events. It was also lovely to hear Patricia commenting on how well behaved the children were.

Today is Mrs Stott's last day before her maternity leave and I am sure you will join me in wishing her well. Mrs Luff will be joining us on Monday as the new Year 3 class teacher and has already spent an afternoon with the children. We would like to welcome the Year 3 parents to a reading morning on Thursday 4th April to have the opportunity to meet Mrs Luff.

As you are aware, from September I will be taking on a new role as Executive Headteacher over St. Mary's Penzance and St. Mary's Falmouth. I would like to reassure you that the standard of education and my commitment to the school will not change. If you have any concerns please do not hesitate to contact me.

I hope you all have a lovely weekend!

Best wishes  
Mrs Bolton  
Headteacher

### House points

Newlyn— 510

St Ives—464

Sennen-429

Mousehole- 395

Newlyn house are this weeks house point leaders.

## CLASS ATTENDANCE THIS WEEK

**Our school target is 96.5%**

Reception	95.0	
Class 1	91.5	
Class 2	94.3	
Class 3	99.6	1st
Class 4	96.1	3rd
Class 5	91.1	
Class 6	97.3	2nd
Over all school attendance	94.6	

## PTA

**Your school Parent teachers**

**Association needs you!** If you can help with the school PTA, please contact the office for more information.

## Parking

Please could I remind parents not to park on the zigzag lines when dropping children off or picking them up. Our children's safety must be our priority at all times. I would like to thank you for your support with this matter.

## Dates for your Diary

### **MARCH**

Thurs 28th 2:15 pm Lenten Reconciliation Service - in school. Parents welcome. Years 1-6

### **APRIL**

Thurs 4th 9:30 am Passiontide Mass - in school. Parents welcome. Years 1-6

Monday 8th - Monday 22nd Easter Holidays

Tuesday 23rd Children back to school

Thurs 25th 10.00 am Easter Mass - in church. Parents welcome. Years 1-6

### **MAY**

Thurs 23th 9:30 am Mass of Our Lady - in school. Parents welcome. Years Reception—Year 6

Monday 27th - Friday 31st Half Term

### **JUNE**

Monday 3rd INSET DAY - school is closed

Tuesday 4th Children back to school

Thurs 20th 10:00 am English Saints Mass - in church. Parents welcome. Years Reception—Year 6

### **JULY**

Thurs 25th 9:30 am Leavers' Mass - end of school year. Parents welcome. Years Reception—Year 6

Thursday 25th Last day of school

Friday 26th Start of Summer Holidays

## Autism Awareness Week April 1st– April 8th.

To celebrate Autism Awareness Week, we will ask children and staff to wear odd socks on **Tuesday 2nd April**. The children will take part in activities based around Neurodiversity, which will be displayed within our school. If you have any questions regarding Inclusion, Neurodiversity or Autism, please speak to Mrs. Barnard.



## Poswiecenie Pokarmow

Pragniemy poinformować, że w Wielką Sobotę, tj 20 kwietnia w kościele katolickim w Penzance, o godzinie 12 w południe odbędzie się poswiecenie pokarmów.

Wszystkich zainteresowanych serdecznie zapraszamy.

Traditional Polish Easter blessing of food to take place on Saturday 20th April at 12pm in the Immaculate Conception Church, Penzance.



# **St. Mary's Catholic Primary School**

## **2019/20 Term Dates**

September 2019						
Mon	2	9	16	23	30	
Tue	3	10	17	24		
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	

December 2019						
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	

March 2020						
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 2020						
Mon	8	15	22	29		
Tue	9	16	23	30		
Wed	10	17	24			
Thurs	11	18	25			
Fri	12	19	26			
Sat	13	20	27			
Sun	14	21	28			

October 2019						
Mon	7	14	21			
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		

January 2020						
Mon	13	20	27			
Tue	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		

April 2020						
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		
Sat	4	11	18	25		
Sun	5	12	19	26		

July 2020						
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		

November 2019						
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		

February 2020						
Mon	3	10	17			
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		

May 2020						
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	

August 2020						
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	

### **Bank Holidays - school closed**

Christmas Day	25 <sup>th</sup> December 2019
Boxing Day	26 <sup>th</sup> December 2019
New Year's Day	1 <sup>st</sup> January 2020
Good Friday	10 <sup>th</sup> April 2020
Easter Monday	13 <sup>th</sup> April 2020
May Holidays	4 <sup>th</sup> and 25 <sup>th</sup> May 2020
Summer	31 <sup>st</sup> August 2020

### **Autumn Half Term - school closed**

21<sup>st</sup> - 25<sup>th</sup> October

### **Spring Half Term - school closed**

17<sup>th</sup> - 21<sup>st</sup> February

### **Summer Half Term - school closed**

25<sup>th</sup> - 29<sup>th</sup> May

### **Staff Training Days - school closed**

Wednesday 4 <sup>th</sup> Sept 2019
Monday 28 <sup>th</sup> October 2019
Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> January 2020
Monday 24 <sup>th</sup> February 2020
Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> June 2020
Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> July 2020