



Weekly News

Friday 20th June 2025

Another Fantastic Week at St Mary's! What a week it's been!

☀️ Year 6 are busy rehearsing for their end-of-year show, we can't wait to see them shine on stage!

🎭 Year 5 enjoyed a musical extravaganza at The Bridgewater Hall in support of Refugee Week, such an inspiring experience.

🌍 Year 2 have been getting creative with papier-mâché globes, we're excited to see the final results!

We also had the pleasure of welcoming our new Reception children and their families for a lovely Stay and Play session. It was lovely to meet new member of our St Mary's family.

With Summer Fest just around the corner, the excitement is building... spread the word – St Mary's is buzzing with energy!

Headteacher Award Winners

Nursery	Orlaith and April
Reception	Ayeeshah and Margot
Year 1	Alexander and Wren
Year 2	Zahraa and Jareeh
Year 3	Naimat
Year 4	Amina and Justin
Year 5	Lacey
Year 6	Daniel & Ivy

SUMMERFEST 25

2/7/2025
5-7pm

Next Tombola Collection
Friday 27th June
Thank You for such
generosity so far!

Attendance Ladder



ATTENDANCE

N	YRFS	YRG	YIN	YIB	Y2A	Y2K	Y3C	Y4B	Y4P	Y5NT	Y5H	Y6B	Y6H
94.6	95	96.7	94.8	94.6	94.7	100	94.3	98	95.4	98.3	94.8	93.3	94.3





EYFS

What a super week we've had in Nursery! On Monday we had a wonderful day with Jane, Jo and Cherry as we did some willow crafts in our Let's explore area. We made willow wands and willow flowers. Our new story this week has been Jack and the Beanstalk. We have enjoyed retelling the story using a story map and actions. We have also been getting ready for our assembly in a few weeks. We created some beautiful pictures and have been learning a new song. We can't wait to perform to all our families.



We have had a fun-filled week in Reception. We have continued to explore our story Hairy McClary, and we have also read other stories about Hairy and his friends. We took part in a special collective worship about the feast of Pentecost when the disciples received the gifts of the Holy Spirit. On Thursday we spent the morning with Year 6 and enjoyed making masks and playing games on the astroturf. We had a special treat of ice-pops on Friday to finish off a very warm, sunny week!





Key Stage 1

Year 1

We have been very busy in Year 1 making our own fruit kebab. We designed our fruit kebab by choosing which fruit we would like, planning the pattern and how it would look. Then we made it, we had to use knives for cutting and we all took part in holding the knife correctly. Finally we got to eat it and they were delicious!!



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Year 2

Year 2 have had a busy week, in Maths, exploring fractions to find thirds. We used the language of 'whole' and 'equal parts'.

In Topic, we have been exploring about the world, through maps and atlases to locate the continents and oceans and countries.

We're now re-creating our own world globes from papier mache. We'll keep you posted!





Lower Key Stage 2

Year 3

We have had lots of fun exploring 2D and 3D shapes in Maths this week. We have used tracing paper to help us draw various 2D shapes, creating a drawing out of shapes and made 3D shapes out of straws and modelling clay!

On Wednesday, we went out on our walk in the local area – observing the human impact along the Fallowfield Loop.

Well done for being creative and curious this week Year 3!



We have had a busy week in Year 4 filled with lots of successful learning. We spent some time working with Cherry our willow artist and we used willow to weave pouches and mats. We have continued enjoying 'The Wild Robot' and focusing on using retrieval and inferencing skills to answer questions about the text. We are still reading 'The Baker by the Sea' and have composed our own job applications and our own job advertisements.

We have begun our week long science experience to test the effect of different liquids on egg shells to understand the affect they can have on our teeth.





Upper Key Stage 2

Year Five

Year 5 kicked off the week with a visit to Bridgewater Hall to attend the Harmonise concert - a special event celebrating Refugee Week. The children were treated to a brilliant musical experience which allowed them to explore and appreciating different cultures.

In maths, the class continued their work on shape, focusing on polygons. Meanwhile, in computing, the children have thoroughly enjoyed exploring vector drawing. Their creativity has shone through in the wonderful artwork they've produced. Well done Year 5 on another fantastic week of learning!



Year 6

It's been another action-packed week in Year 6 where rehearsals for the end of year play have stepped up a level, the cooperation and creativity of the year are consistently blowing us away.

Away from the play, we have been writing out story, Catch-A-Lot, where we have used dialogue to move a story forward. We also began exploring Ancient Greek civilisation and discovered their influence on modern day democracy.

