



St. Mary Magdalene
C of E Primary School

Love to learn, learn to love



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Help Wanted

St Mary Magdalene would like to invite you to join a working party to discuss the school vision and how this might look in school. As you know, the parable of the Good Samaritan is the basis for everything we do, we would like to extend this into the community.

Your ideas would be very welcome.

If you would like to join me on this exciting journey let me know via the office staff or by email.

Guide Dogs for the Blind Guess the Name of the Puppy competition will take place on Monday 4th of February.

We are very excited to be supporting Guide Dogs for the Blind.

Every day 250 people start to lose their sight in the UK. T

here are 2 million people living with sight loss in the UK.

Each class are holding a name the puppy competition.

Each entry costs £2.

For those of us who are not lucky enough to win,

the puppies can be bought from

<https://guidedogsshop.com> at a cost of £8



Nursery Places

If you would like a place in Nursery in September, please ask at the office for a form .

Attendance for the Autumn Term 2024

The National attendance figure for the Autumn term is 94.4%.

28 Children have 100% attendance– Well Done!

Whole School	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
94%	90%	94.8%	93.9%	96.2%	96.5%	94.9%	93.1%



Reflexions are offering workshop sessions for parents. The *Supporting your child with transitions* session would be particularly valuable for our YR6 families.

If you are interested please let the office know which sessions you would like to attend. A minimum of three parents are required for the sessions to run. When we have an idea of the numbers we will look at dates

Parent/Guardian – Targeted workshops (single session)

Workshop Title	Learning Outcomes	Audience
Supporting your child with anxiety	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To understand what anxiety is. To understand reasons why your child may experience anxiety. To understand the fight, flight and freeze responses. To learn strategies to support your child to manage their anxiety more effectively 	Parents
Helping your child prepare for exams/tests	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To understand what anxiety is and how it can affect your child. To learn useful tips to help your child when they are preparing for tests. To learn self-help strategies for your child to use during their exams/tests. 	Parents
Supporting your child with transitions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To understand the different feelings associated with transition. To learn strategies for how to support your child to manage their anxiety more effectively. To understand what support and guidance is available to you if your child is feeling anxious. To help your child to begin to think about new opportunities at secondary school. 	Parents
Supporting your child with low mood	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To recognise what low mood symptoms look like. To recognise when your child may be feeling low in mood. To learn strategies to help support your child to manage symptoms related to low mood. 	Parents

Spring Term Events

Wednesday 29th of January- Wear Red for Chinese New Year.

Thursday 30th January- Potty Training Workshop at 9:00. Open to local community too.

Monday 4th of February- Guide Dogs for the Blind Competition

Friday 14th February- Blind Date with a Book. More information to follow.

Friday 14th February- Break up for Half Term

Monday 24th February- Return to School

Wednesday 26th February- Young Voices Concert

Wednesday 5th March- Parents Evening

Tuesday 6th March- World Book Day. More information to follow

Thursday 20th March- Odd Socks Day

Friday 21st March- Red Nose Day

Wednesday 2nd April- Easter Bonnet and Egg competitions. More information to follow

Wednesday 9th April- Service at Church. To be confirmed

Friday 11th of April- Break up for Easter Holiday.



