



St Mary's Catholic Primary School School Bulletin

25th June 2021

SUBJECT	YEAR GROUPS RELEVANT TO	STAFF CONTACT
St Mary's Community	All	Mrs Scanlon

On Fridays we hold a weekly assembly where we celebrate individual and group achievement across the school. The children can be awarded certificates for being responsible, resilient, creative, reflective independent or collaborative learners and it is always so lovely to see that our children so warmly appreciate each other and celebrate other children's efforts and hard work with big rounds of applause and smiling faces.

We also celebrate birthdays that have occurred throughout the week and the weekend during this assembly and it is a wonderful, positive and happy way to end our week together as a school. I know it is certainly one of my favourite times of the week here at St Mary's.

As you know national restrictions have remained in place and as a result this has affected some of our planned events and activities over the coming weeks. Thank you once again for your continued patience, understanding and support as a community, as it is much appreciated and valued by us all here at St Mary's.

Have a lovely weekend

Best wishes

Mrs Scanlon

Back to School	All	Office
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We are currently working on the dates for the year planner for 2021/22 academic year and we will share this with you as soon as it is available.

Please note that the first day of the new term for pupils is Thursday 2nd September 2021.

Wednesday 1st September is an INSET day and school is closed to pupils.

Contact Details	All	Office
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Please ensure that you keep the office up to date with any changes to your contact details, phone numbers and home address if you move house. Please also ensure that you update us with any of your emergency numbers for friends or relatives.

Please email the office at

Office@stmarysrc.e-sussex.sch.uk

Thank you

PE Kits	All	Office
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Please can children have their school PE kit in school EVERY day, including days that they have swimming lessons. Sometimes it is necessary to make adjustment to the timetable so PE lessons can happen on any day. Please ensure that your children's PE bag and items are all named.

Thank you

School Uniform	All	Office
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Please find attached a leaflet from Brigade Schoolwear, our new school uniform supplier. They have advised that orders should be placed by 1st August in order to receive delivery for the new school term.

Our previous school's outfitter was Phillips Mans Shop and they have some stock left that they are still selling online at reduced prices. Stock levels and sizes are limited but you can buy remaining stock items online at;

<https://schools.phillips-mans-shops.co.uk/shop/st-marys-catholic-school/>

Please note that from the start of the school year in September, we will be reinforcing our school's uniform policy, including school shoes. Uniform Policy attached for reference. We have allowed children to wear trainers whilst it was more difficult to buy shoes while some retailers were closed, but now that they are mostly open again, we do expect children to return to school in September in full uniform.

Please ensure that all items of uniform including coats, bags, etc. are **CLEARLY NAMED**.

We will try to reunite lost items if they are named but if they are not, they will be added to the lost property basket in the school entrance area for a short period of time and may then be sold or disposed of if not claimed.

Swimming lessons	Years 2 - 6	Office
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A reminder that payment for this terms' swimming lessons can be made via Parentmail in the 'Shop' section. We are very fortunate to be able to run swimming lessons within school without the additional costs that could be involved if we had to transport the children elsewhere for lessons. The voluntary contribution requested is £10 per child which goes towards the costs of running the pool. Thank you for your support in keeping this provision available to our school.

Fundraising	All	FSM
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Thank you to all those who donated funds to the Friends of St Mary's charity on the 'Do something different day' last Friday. A fantastic £180 was donated, thank you all.

Thank you to all those who supported the 'Bags to School' day this week. We had over 143 bags donated for recycling and we will let you know how much this has raised soon.

Second hand uniform sales	All	FSM
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Thank you to all those who came to the second-hand uniform sales this week. We are reducing the number of drive sales being held in the future as it will be more efficient for parents to request items as and when they need them. You can request items via the Friends of St Mary's Facebook page by sending a message. Please state the items and the sizes of items that you required. We will then get the selection of items out from our stock and we will contact you to come to the office to select what you want to buy.

<https://www.facebook.com/FriendsofStMarysCrow/>

Jumpers and cardigans are £2.00

Polo shirts £1.50,

All grey items £1.50

Summer dresses £1.50

Coats £3.00

White polo tops 50p
PE items 50p

Attachments
Uniform Policy
Brigade Uniform Flyer