



# St Mary's Priory Catholic Infant and Junior Schools'

## School Newsletter

Where great lives begin

Dear St Mary's Community,

16th January 2026

### School Dinners

This week, the company who makes our school dinners, Olive Dining, held a coffee morning to hear the opinions of our parents. They then met with the School Council to ensure the voices of our pupils are heard. Together, we will work on ensuring the best meals for our wonderful pupils.

### St Paul's Cathedral

Year 2 went on a school visit to St Paul's Cathedral this week. They took this trip to reinforce their learning of the Great Fire of London!

### Circus School!

Our Year 4 and 5s had an exciting day on Friday as they were visited by Jacksons Lane Theatre who delivered circus training to the children! The children will take part in these lessons every Friday up until Easter!

### Poetry workshop

Thank you to *Black Curriculum* and the *Bernie Grant Centre* for delivering an excellent lesson on Reggae music and its importance in Britain. Year 5 had a great time writing their own songs and designing album covers!

Warm regards,

Ms Reynolds  
Deputy Headteacher



Circus School!

# School calendar:

When:	What:	Who:	Where:	Time:
All year	<b>Clubs:</b> Monday: Y1-6 Football (Top Sports Academy)/ Street Dance (Y4-6)/ Arts and Craft (ASC) Tuesday: Multi-sports (ASC) Wednesday: Performing Arts (ASC) Thursday: Y1-6 Multi-sports (Top Sports Academy) Friday: Homework (ASC)		Vario US	9am
5th March	World Book Day- dress up as your favourite book character- donate £1 or whatever you can for the improvement of our library	All		

[Spring menu- click here!](#)

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## WEEKLY MENU

WEEK 1  
WEEK 2  
WEEK 3



	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<b>MAIN</b>	BBQ Glazed Chicken Wrap (G/W)	Beef & Lentil Bolognese Pasta Bake (MK, G/B*, W*)	Homemade Chicken Sausage Roll & Gravy (E, G/W)	Pepperoni Pizza (CE*, E*, MK, MU*, SO*, G/W)	Battered Fish or Salmon Fishcake & Chips (F, G/B*, W)
<b>VEGGIE</b>	BBQ Glazed Quorn Wrap & Wedges (E, G/W)	Mac & Cheese (MK, G/W)	Homemade Roast Vegetable & Stuffing Roll (G/W)	Cheese & Tomato Pizza (MK, G/W)	Veggie Sausage Roll & Chips (MK*, SO, G/B*, O*, W)
<b>SIDES</b>	Carrots & Green Beans	Mixed Green Salad	Rustic Roasted Potatoes with Roasted Carrots & Parsnips	Homemade Potato Wedges & Green Salad	Beans or Peas
<b>PASTA &amp; JACKET</b>	Vegan Roasted Vegetable Pasta (G/W)	Jacket Potato & Salad	Tomato & Basil Pasta (CE, G/W)	Jacket Potato & Salad	Mac & Cheese (MK, G/W)
<b>PUD</b>	Sprinkle Sponge Cake & Custard (E, MK, SO*, G/W)	Fruit Jelly	Lemon Drizzle Cake (E, MK, SO*, SU, G/W)	Orange Syrup Sponge & Vanilla Sauce (E, MK, SO*, G/W)	Vanilla & Raisin Shortbread Biscuit (G/W)

DAILY SALAD BAR | HOMEMADE BREAD | FRESH FRUIT

### THEME DAYS



### DATES

19 JAN / 09 FEB  
09 MAR /

### ALLERGENS

CE = CELERY      F = FISH      G/O = OATS      L = LUPIN      MU = MUSTARD      SO = SOYA      \* = MAY CONTAIN  
 CR = CRUSTACEAN      G = GLUTEN      G/R = RYE      MK = MILK      N = NUTS      SU = SULPHUR      V = VEGAN  
 E = EGGS      G/B = BARLEY      G/W = WHEAT      MO = MOLLUSCS      P = PEANUTS      SE = SESAME SEEDS      S = SEASONAL VEG





# Stars of the Week



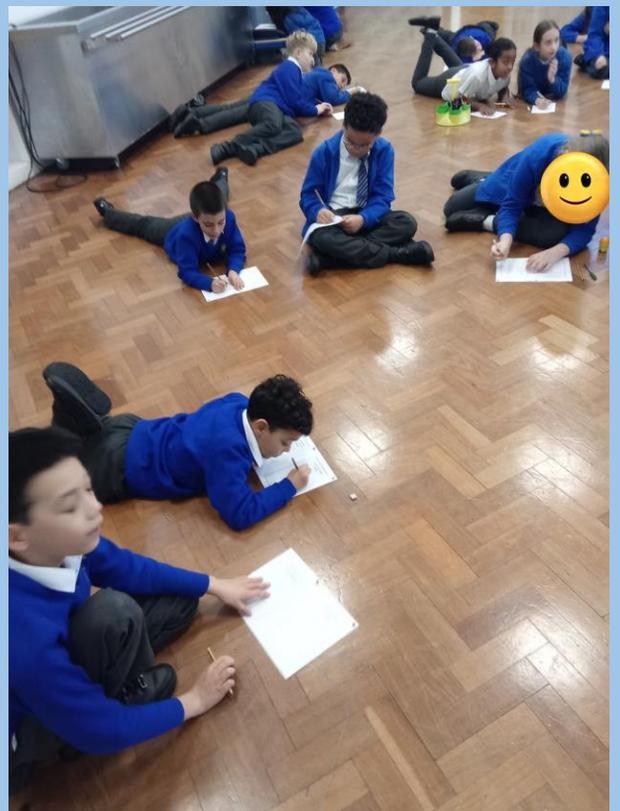
Class:	Stars:	
Owl Class	Maison	Reina
Robin Class	Kelliana	Gabriel
Dove Class	Daniel	Matylda
3C	Inioluwa	Rashan
4D	Atnativos	Eyoel
5W	Georgina	Mason
5B	Dylan C	Jamie
6J	Oceanna	Drew

**Congratulations to our Stars of the week!**  
**These pupils have worked exceptionally hard to stand out amongst their peers. Well done everyone!**





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Year 4 and 5 children had a fantastic session with Jacksons Lane Youth Circus learning how to balance a ball, spin a plate on a stick, and - most importantly - persevere when things go tricky. So much focus, laughter and determination on display.

# Dads Space - Weekly Drop-In for Fathers

A welcoming space for Fathers to Connect, Share and Grow

Join us for weekly drop-in sessions designed to support fathers in their parenting journey. Whether you're a new dad, experienced parent or involved in Family Time, this space is for you.



What to expect:

- Peer support and open discussion
  - Weekly themes based on fathers' interests
  - Guest speakers and occasional off-site visits
  - Signposting to services across Family Hubs and Youth Services
  - Refreshments and resources available
- **Wednesday drop-ins**
  - **10am – 1pm**
  - **Rising Green Family Hub**

Supported by the Parenting Team. Contact us on:  
[parentingprogramme@haringey.gov.uk](mailto:parentingprogramme@haringey.gov.uk)

# Early Words Together Programme



Helping your child learn,  
talk confidently, and enjoy  
quality time with you  
Age Range: 2.5 years–4  
Years

**Limited Spaces Book Now!**

Every Monday starting 12th January 2pm - 3pm  
At Triangle Family Hub  
91-93 St Anns Road  
N15 6NU

For more information please contact reception  
020 8802 8782 [trianglecentre@haringey.gov.uk](mailto:trianglecentre@haringey.gov.uk)  
Or Marlene 07976457449

## What to Expect:

- ◇ Fun activities to boost your child's communication Skills
- ◇ Tips and ideas for talking and playing together at home
- ◇ Welcoming space to meet other families
  - ◇ Free resources to take home





# The Paddock Winter Tree Walk

The Paddock, Ferry Ln, London N17 9BS

**SATURDAY 31st January**  
**12 - 1.30pm**

We invite you to join us at the Paddock for our wonderful winter tree walk. Whether you are an expert or beginner this will be a chance to get outdoors and explore and learn how to identify winter trees

**Eventbrite book online:**

**The Conservation Volunteers @ The Paddock**

**Contact: [thepaddock@tcv.org.uk](mailto:thepaddock@tcv.org.uk)**



EAT WOOD GREEN



FOOD  
GROWING

HEALTH  
WELLBEING



# EAT WOOD GREEN IS OPEN AT WOOD GREEN LIBRARY

## Wednesdays

11-12pm Under 5s

1-2.30pm Children's Session

4-5.30 Under 11s Garden Club

## Fridays

10-11.30am Under 5s

4-5.30pm 11+

Growing together

[eatwoodgreen@ubele.org](mailto:eatwoodgreen@ubele.org)



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# ONLINE SAFETY & RADICALISATION AWARENESS FOR PARENTS



**EMPOWERING PARENTS TO SAFEGUARD  
YOUNG PEOPLE FROM ONLINE RADICALISATION**

## **KEY TOPICS WE'LL EXPLORE:**

- How extremist content and harmful narratives spread online
- Warning signs and early indicators of risk
- Digital boundaries, parental controls, and healthy online habits
- Supporting vulnerable young people with confidence
- Having open conversations about online harms
- When and where to seek further support

**SCAN THE QR CODE OR CLICK THE  
LINKS BELOW TO REGISTER NOW**

**Thu 10th Feb**

9-10am

At: Lea Valley  
Primary School



**Fri 13th Feb**

2-3pm

At: Muswell Hill  
Primary School



**Thu 10th Feb, 6-7pm**

Online via Microsoft Teams





Lord,  
as we begin this new year  
together, we thank You for the  
gift of fresh starts and new  
opportunities.

Bless our school community with  
wisdom, kindness, and joy in all  
that we do.

Help us to grow in faith, hope,  
and love, supporting one another  
each day.

May this year be filled with peace  
and blessings for every child,  
family, and member of staff.

Amen.