



St Mary and St Peter's Church School News



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Head of School Update...

Dear Parents and Carers,

We have seen some wonderful learning from all children since half term! Hogwarts have really enjoyed their swimming and we are so proud of our Year 6s who attended their moving up celebration on Wednesday. It is a busy rest of the term so please keep an eye on diary dates.

On Friday 3rd July, we will be holding a Careers Day. Children are invited to come to school dressed as someone in the job or career they would like to have when they are grown up. From 8.30-9.15am, all parents and carers are warmly invited to join us for breakfast and to take part in a range of job themed activities.

I am pleased to share that next year Miss Sealey will continue to be Hogwarts Class Teacher and Mrs Humphries, who will be starting on the 29th June, will continue to be in Gruffalo class with Mrs Best. The children will be enjoying their class transition day on Wednesday 1st whilst our Year 6s visit their new schools!

Best wishes,

Kirsey Luffman
Head of School



**Our School
attendance
target is
95%
We are at
92.07%**

**Hogwarts
Class current
attendance**

**93.20%
- 0.15%**

**Gruffalo Class
current
attendance**

**89.93%
- 0.75%**

Congratulations
to this week's
winners!

Headteacher's Award

Andre Albie Isla

Zara Kayne

Friday's Child

Logan A Nadine

Attendance Superstars!

George	Bella	Isla
Charlotte	Noah	Andre
Logan A	Penny	Kyle
Kimmy	Deacon	Logan L
Lucas	Joseph	Kayne
Yennifer	Jared	Emilia
Hettie	Willow	

Head of school drop-in sessions

As I work between both schools, I am mindful that I am not always around for drop-in sessions. Please do contact the office if you would like to meet with me if I am not on site and I will get a meeting booked in as soon as possible.

Friday Family Assemblies

Every Friday at 2.45pm

Iltonbury

It is nearly Iltonbury time! To help prepare for the tombola, **Friday 26th June** will be a non-uniform day in exchange for a small prize donation. Suggested items include colouring books, cuddly toys, bath products, or similar items.

We will also be holding a raffle during the evening and would be very grateful for any prize donations you are able to contribute.

This year, we are asking for a £4 contribution per child towards an Iltonbury t-shirt.

Please pay via Arbor School Shop by 11pm TODAY, so we can place the order in time.

Thank you for your continued support - we're really looking forward to a fantastic Iltonbury!

Gruffalo Class

Last week in English, we have finished our work on wolves. The children have produced some fantastic non-fiction writing, exploring wolves' appearance, diet, and habitats. We are very proud of the effort and detail they have put into their writing! In Topic, we have begun learning about beach huts. The children have started exploring different ways of joining materials as they begin designing and creating their own beach huts - we're really looking forward to seeing their finished creations.

We have also been working with the children in Hogwarts to design the Iltonbury 2026 logo. There have been some brilliant ideas so far, and we can't wait for the winner to be announced next week!

Hogwarts Class

Hogwarts Class have been learning about changes to the English language. Our current book is rooted in Cornish mythology, about merfolk luring people to the sea. We have learned the meaning of the word 'archaic' and identifying words in the story that we no longer use today. We have been focused on letter writing and have shown an exceptional understanding of how to write letters from different perspectives.

Diary Dates:

Mondays up to 13th July - Swimming for Hogwarts Class

Thursday 25th June - Cricket Engagement Session with Somerset Cricket Foundation
PE kits required

Wednesday 1st July - Transition Day in school & Year 6 Transition to Secondary schools

Friday 3rd July - Careers Day

Tuesday 14th July - Hogwarts Violin concert 9.10am - for all families

Wednesday 15th July - Sports Day PM

Friday 17th July - Iltonbury!

Monday 20th July - Year 6 Leavers assembly 2.30pm

Tuesday 21st July - Whole School Trip - Details to follow

Wednesday 22nd July - Children's Picnic PM Last day of term

The school calendar for 25/26 and 27/28/ can be found under the Parents Tab,

listed as Term Dates. Go to: www.stmaryandstpeters.co.uk