St Mark's CofE Primary School



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News Update - Monday 29th January, 2018

A Message From Mr Applegate

It was great to have almost 50 parents at our Y6 SATS information evening. See our website for more information.

We look forward to seeing you at our parents' evenings over the next few weeks. We are having an increasing amount of complaints and issues regarding traffic and parking. Lapin Lane, Highwood Ridge and Hatch Warren Community Centre are particularly bad. Thank you to everyone who respects our local residents, and ensures the safe keeping of our school community.

Please complete our survey

www.stmarksprimary.net/survey

Please complete once per child. The class that completes the survey first gets a prize. Good luck!



Do you have clothes you want to get rid of? Bring them to school on 26th Feb and raise money for our school. Thanks!



At St Mark's Primary Danebury Road, Hatch Warren For more information, see stmarksprimary.net/positive-parenting/

Head Teacher: Mr Charles Applegate Deputy Head: Mrs Claire Cooper Assistant Head: Mrs Nicola Ford Assistant Head: Mrs Rebekah Alsey





This week we think about resilience. It's one of the toughest learning behaviours for children and adults! Why not talk to your child about how they can show resilience in school this week, and check at the end of the week about how they have got on? We need to help them become more resilient.

Parents' Evenings Wed 31st Jan 4-6.30pm Mon 5th Feb 4-6.30pm Thurs 8th Feb 5-8pm

FOSM DISCO!

Friday 2nd Feb

KS1 5-5:45pm KS2 6-7pm Letter home soon

Book online!



Reception - Arthur, Sophia, Ethan

Year 1 - Cara, Scarlett, Eunice

Year 2 - Poppy, Igor, Freya

Year 3 - Alice, Simone, Bradley

Year 4 - Fearn, Becca, Molly

Year 5 - Ethan, Bella, Skye

Year 6 - Zac, Janet, Katie

NSPCC Workshops Thurs 1st Feb For Yrs 5&6

The NSPCC are running workshops for children in Yrs 5&6 called 'Pants are Private'. Please speak to your child's teacher in advance if you feel your child may find these sessions difficult for any reason. See the 'letters' section on our website for more information.











Dates for your diary....

Spring Term

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FOSM Disco – KS1 & KS2 Fri 2nd Feb

 $\begin{array}{c} \text{Half-term} \\ \text{Feb } 12^{\text{th}} - 16^{\text{th}} \end{array}$

INSET day Thursday 29th March

Easter break Mar 30th – Apr 13th

Summer Term

First day Monday 16th April

May Day Bank Holiday May 7th

Half-term May 28th – June 1st

INSET day Monday 4th June

Last day of term July 23rd

BOOK SALE – 10p/20p Small Hall This Friday, 3:20pm



Is your child in our KS1 or KS2 choir, or our orchestra?

They will be performing on Sat 17th March at QMC. Save the date! More details to come soon.

Themes This Half-term Learning Behaviour Respect Curiosity Risk Taking Pride Resilience Responsibility

Wk Beg

4.1.18

8.1.18

15.1.18

22.1.18

29.1.18

5.2.18

Key Question What is humility? Jesus' humility Why is humility important? What types of humility are there? Why is humility important to Christians?

How can humility make a difference?



We have a new online resource to help your child learn their timestables. See our website for more information.

Unfortunately we have decided not to renew our annual subscription to Bug Club. It simply wasn't cost effective and hasn't got the usage to warrant the high cost of the online product. We apologise to those children who will be

disappointed.

Bug Club

Fr Michael Smith (Foundation Ex-Officio Governor) Keith Dawson (Foundation Governor)

Paul Wernham (Foundation Governor) Lisa Dunkerley (Foundation Governor) Brian Simmonds (Local Authority Governor) Steve Milligan (Parent Governor) Richard Levett (Parent Governor) Claire Cooper (Co-Opted Governor) Nikki Ford (Staff Governor) Charles Applegate (Head Teacher)

Do you know who our Governing Body are?

Graham Robins (Chair, Foundation Governor)

Ena Bull (Vice-Chair, Foundation Governor)