

# ST MARK'S LEARNING JOURNEY

GROWING AND LEARNING TOGETHER IN GOD'S LOVE



CHARACTER BEFORE QUALIFICATION  
IRRESISTIBLE TO LEARN, IRRESISTIBLE TO TEACH  
BEING AGENTS OF CHANGE IN OUR WORLD



Enjoy the Year 6 Graduation and Leavers' Party.  
Prepare for your new secondary school.  
Learn to cycle safely, and look after your bike.  
Make yourself proud in your Year 6 SATs.  
How does a person's faith influence their actions? Find out by learning about Islam, including how and why Muslims celebrate Eid Al Fitr.  
Were there any winners in WWII? Take part in an Evacuation Day, and learn to make a Woolton Pie.  
Study the geography of Brazil, and why it's a special place to be looked after.  
Apply for your new Secondary School placement.  
Code your own pedometer micro:bit!

## YEAR 6

Being safe, and learning to keep safe, at all times.

**Did you know, we don't learn subjects at St Mark's!**  
No, we become historians, geographers, scientists, artists, sportspeople, designers, engineers, technicians, musicians, volunteers, politicians and more.

We develop excellence and enjoyment in sport. Also, enjoy Sports Day like no other!

We support the Mud House Children's Foundation in Tanzania.

We celebrate Christmas in style with concerts and carols around the tree.

Understanding Christianity Curriculum

Anvil Arts Visit and perform at the Anvil!

We love to sing and learn instruments! We have our very own school song, too.

Democratic elections, including School Council, Christian Voice Ambassadors, Eco-Committee, JRSOs, Librarians and more.

Google Classroom  
**natterhub**  
preparing children to thrive online

CAREERS FAIR @ ST MARK'S

**ZONES OF REGULATION**

We celebrate difference and diversity. Everyone is special, valued and belongs.

We want opportunity for all; equity is key!

We love to use our extensive outside areas, including our farm. Meet Simba, our school dog!

We learn to be emotionally and mentally healthy through...

THE HEARTSMART HIGH FIVE

Learn to be a great learner through our Learning Behaviours:

CURIOSITY	PRIDE
CREATIVITY	RISK TAKING
TEAM WORK	RESPONSIBILITY
BEOWULF	RESPECT

Continue your love of learning

Thrive at secondary school.

Develop your 'electric' knowledge!

Enjoy 2 nights away on the Year 4 residential!

Looking at evidence, find out about the daily life of the Anglo-Saxons, as well as Sutton Hoo. Enjoy reading 'Beowulf', including writing your own ending!

Learn to classify animals! Think about how changes in environments can pose dangers to living things!

As we learn about amazing people who changed the world, what could you do as an agent of change?

What can we learn from the fire at Pudding Lane? How can we keep safe from fire?

Develop your fieldwork and map work skills.

You'll learn about what a computer is made up of.

Learn our Christian Values and Learning Behaviours.

Meet your Year 6 buddy.

Be introduced to our school and learn all the new routines.

Enjoy the St Mark's game which helps you get ready for school!

Forge and develop friendships that will last a lifetime!

Adults, join our PTA (FOSM - Friends of St Mark's).

Buy your uniform!

Leave a legacy of positivity, kindness, respect and doing your best at all times.

Perform the Year 6 production to your parents and friends.

Go on a 5 day residential.

What impact did the Maya have on our world?

Learn about Natural Resources whilst studying the Polar Regions.

What makes an identity unique? Find out as you study the area of La Plagne, France, and compare it with our very own Basingstoke.

Learn the pentatonic scale.

Celebrate Caribbean culture by creating our very own carnival. The Windrush Movement will also be studied as you look at British Culture today. Identify the influences brought over from the Caribbean.

Who was the most significant monarch?

Meander down a river as you learn about all its features and its impact. There's so much to explore!

Was ancient Egyptian civilization really that different? Dig out your archaeological skills!

Why do we need a Skeleton?

How has Basingstoke changed over the past 100 years?

Begin to learn about the Hindu faith in Years 3 & 4.

You'll develop your technology skills, and learn to be safe online.

Learn how Year 1 works - how it feels the same as Year 6, and different.

You've completed the EYF5 framework!

What connects people? What makes a good community?

Ever wondered how an artist might draw a map? Find out with Aleksandra Mizielinska!

Compare the views of different Vikings - why did they leave their homelands? Where did they settle? Visit Ufton Court.

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Learn about the Mars Rover.

Find out about the biomes, climate zones, latitude, longitude and more of North America

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Learn to collaborate online using tools like Google Sheets and Docs

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Enjoy a range of musical instruments through Listen2Me.

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Learn about the Easter Story.

Learn to Swim!

Travel with Simba around the UK. Find out how different regions vary.

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Quivers, Quakes, Eruptions and Shakes! Would you live here?

We'll find out what it takes to look after our world responsibly.

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What would life be like without flowers, plants and trees?

You'll learn about Basingstoke's very own transport history at Thornycroft, and see how transport has changed over the years.

Become a polar explorer! What are the polar regions like? How do animals adapt to survive?

Make a clay model of a polar animal.

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Visit our local museum. We'll explore Hillier Gardens, too!

How have toys changed since the time of Queen Victoria? What materials are used to make toys, and why?

Learn about People Who Help Us and have visits from the police service, fire service, doctors, dentists.

Show independence, exploration and curiosity in our approach to our chosen learning activities.

Enjoy trips to local areas. Explore Bucklebury Farm!

Enjoy books together, sing nursery rhymes, and play to get ready for school.

Start your journey to develop your character, enjoy a lifelong love of learning and become an agent of change in our world.

Come for a tour of the school and meet our Head Teacher and amazing staff.

Adults around you have meetings to help you make the best start at school.

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