

YEAR R

INDUCTION EVENING



6th June 2023



Fake is a
mistake



Don't forget
to let love in
Too much selfie
isn't healthy



Growing & learning together in God's love



No way
through
isn't true



Don't rub
it in
Rub it out







*Improvements in our grounds
since we last met*











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Pip

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Growing and Learning Together In God's Love

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A huge welcome to our school. St Mark's has a strong Christian ethos, brilliant pupils, fantastic staff and a supportive community. Our four Christian values underpin all that we do, resulting in a high quality of education for all of its pupils at all levels. We are keen to "Grow and learn together in God's love". Our learning behaviours and HeartSmart 'High Five' help us to learn well and be emotionally strong and resilient, too.



Need to talk?



Join Us & YrR Tours



what's for lunch...



School Meals



Starting in Sept 23?



Our School Farm

New Year R Children – September 2023



Welcome!

We want to say a huge welcome to your family from St Mark's! If you are joining us for the first time or are already part of the school community, we hope you feel welcomed, informed and part of our school soon. Need to contact the Year R team with a question? Email them at newyearr2023@stmarksce.org.uk

You can also find bite-sized information about St Mark's [here](#).

New! 5th May 2023

NEW! Find out about important meetings and events in June, July and September [here](#).

What do you need to do?

1. Your place at St Mark's is automatic if you've been offered a one by Hampshire (you will be notified by email or post). You don't need to confirm it or accept it. However, you do need to bring in the evidence of age and address as per the Hampshire email.
2. Please complete our [information collection form here](#) by Friday 28th April. This is very important!
3. We'll need to see proof of address and ID. Please send a copy of your child's birth certificate or passport (for ID) and recent utility bill/council tax etc (for address) to adminoffice@st-markscofe.hants.sch.uk or bring them in. This must be done by Friday 28th April.
4. Will your child need breakfast club? [Details here](#).

Our Year R Team

- The team:
4 teachers and a team of teaching assistants
- Class organisation:
Penguins – Mrs Baird
Parrots – Mrs Rushton
Puffins – Mrs Callaghan and Mrs Hearn



Class Organisation

- Discussions with your child's Key Person from nursery / pre school
- Friendship information from you.



Induction for you and your child

- Discussions with pre-schools
- Tonight's information evening
- 'All about me' booklet
- Stay and Play session 1 – 3rd or 4th July
- Teddy Bears Picnic – 10th, 11th and 12th July
- Children's Summer Activity Pack
- Home visits in September
- Stay and Play sessions – 7th and 8th September
- Phased starts
- Maths and English information to follow.



At the beginning.. Phased Starts

Phased Transition in September – Why?!

We run a two-week phased transition period. This allows children to start school in smaller chunks of time, and also with smaller groups of children. It really makes a positive difference for all children. As the two weeks go on, children are in school for longer periods of time, until all children are in full time at the start of the third week.

Which term?

Autumn Born

Spring Born

Summer Born

The tabs show the timetable for children depending on their birth term.

- AUTUMN BORN – Children born between 1st September 2018 and 31st December 2018
- SPRING BORN – Children born between 1st January 2019 – 30th April 2019
- SUMMER BORN – Children born between 1st May 2019 – 31st August 2019



Autumn Born Children

AUTUMN BORN (Children born between 1st September 2018 and 31st December 2018)

Here is the timetable for the first two weeks of September (*Remember, the 1st Sept is an INSET day*)

Week 1	Monday 4th	Tuesday 5th	Weds 6th	Thurs 7th	Friday 8th
	Home Visits	Home Visits	Home Visits	Stay and play session 1 9 – 10.30 (surnames A-F) 10.45 – 12.15 (surnames G - M)	Stay and play session 2 9 – 10.30 (surnames A-F) 10.45 – 12.15 (surnames G - M)
				1.30 – 3.00 (surnames N - Z)	1.30 – 3.00 (surnames N - Z)

Week 2	Monday 11th	Tuesday 12th	Weds 13th	Thurs 14th	Friday 15th
Arrival Time	Between 8.30 and 8.50am				
Staying for lunch?	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Collection Time	11:30am	12:30pm	12:30pm	3.20pm	3.20pm



Spring Born Children

SPRING BORN (Children born between 1st January 2019 - 30th April 2019)

Here is the timetable for the first two weeks of September *(Remember, the 1st Sept is an INSET day)*

Week 1	Monday 4th	Tuesday 5th	Weds 6th	Thurs 7th	Friday 8th
	Home Visits	Home Visits	Home Visits	Stay and play session 1 9 – 10.30 (surnames A-F) 10.45 – 12.15 (surnames G - M) 1.30 – 3.00 (surnames N - Z)	Stay and play session 2 9 – 10.30 (surnames A-F) 10.45 – 12.15 (surnames G - M) 1.30 – 3.00 (surnames N - Z)

Week 2	Monday 11th	Tuesday 12th	Weds 13th	Thurs 14th	Friday 15th
Arrival Time	Between 8.30 and 8.50am				
Staying for lunch?	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
Collection Time	11.30am	11.30am	12:30pm	12.30pm	3.20pm



Summer Born Children

SUMMER (Children born between 1st May 2019 - 31st August 2019)

Here is the timetable for the first two weeks of September (*Remember, the 1st Sept is an INSET day*)

Week 1	Monday 4th	Tuesday 5th	Weds 6th	Thurs 7th	Friday 8th
	Home Visits	Home Visits	Home Visits	Stay and play session 1 9 – 10.30 (surnames A-F) 10.45 – 12.15 (surnames G - M) 1.30 – 3.00 (surnames N - Z)	Stay and play session 2 9 – 10.30 (surnames A-F) 10.45 – 12.15 (surnames G - M) 1.30 – 3.00 (surnames N - Z)

Week 2	Monday 11th	Tuesday 12th	Weds 13th	Thurs 14th	Friday 15th
Arrival Time	1.15pm	1.15pm	Between 8.30 and 8.50am		
Staying for lunch?	No	No	No	Yes	Yes
Collection Time	3.10pm	3.10pm	11.30pm	12:30pm	12.30pm



Summer Activity Packs

Getting ready for school!

On the back of this card are some activities we would like you to practise as much as you can over the summer holidays before you start big school!



How to play

Roll the dice.

- If you roll a **1**, pick a **red** activity.
- If you roll a **2**, pick a **blue** activity.
- If you roll a **3**, pick a **green** activity.
- If you roll a **4**, pick a **yellow** activity.
- If you roll a **5**, pick an **orange** activity.
- If you roll a **6**, pick a **purple** activity.






Each time you play the game, try to complete something different.




Find your favourite story and read it to your teddies.	Practise putting on, then taking off your green St Mark's school jumper/cardigan by yourself.	Play with your number representation card pack - can you recognise which number it is without having to count?	Complete a jigsaw with your grown up, taking turns to add a piece.
Can you practise moving like some of your favourite animals? Use your strong arm and leg muscles!	Play 'I spy' with your grown up.	Play a game with your grown up, taking your turn fairly.	Practise putting on, then taking off your new school shoes.
Use the pencil in your pack to draw a picture of yourself.	Practise using a knife and fork to eat your next meal.	Sing some nursery rhymes. Can you remember all the words?	Can you count up to 10 out loud, and then count back carefully to zero? Can you do some actions while you count?
Pick a number card and collect that many objects by counting carefully.	Play with some playdough. Using your strong fingers and hands can you roll, pinch, squeeze, prod and flatten it? What can you build with it?	Practise writing your name using the name card and whiteboard pen in your pack.	Pick a page in your yellow sounds book and think of some things which start with that sound. Draw/cut out a picture to show your idea.
Colour in a picture. Can you try and keep each colour in the lines?	Can you practise some 'school letters' on the letter card in your pack? Start on the green dot each time.	Practise tidying away your toys after you've finished playing with them. How fast can you do it? Did you miss anything?	Go to the park and practise climbing and balancing on the equipment.
Go on a 'senses walk' with your grown up. What can you feel? touch? smell? hear?	Practise putting your own coat on by yourself (without your grown up holding it for you). Can you do the zip up?	Practise using some scissors to cut along a straight line.	Can you collect lots of different toys or objects and then sort them? (e.g. by colour, type, size?)

My Sounds Book

ReadWrite Inc.



Chatterboxes

All About Me!

Communication and language is a crucial area of development for children within the Early Years. We are therefore asking that over the summer holidays you make an 'All about Me Chatterbox' with your child, ready for them to share when they start school in September.

Use a box / shoebox and decorate it with your child.

Together choose items they would like to add to their chatterbox.

This could include: their favourite things, items relating to hobbies, photos ... anything they want to 'chatter' about!


 Gruffalo
Ballet shoe
Photo of pets

 Toy dog
Holiday toy
Football shirt...

Please add including pictures, items in your chatterbox.

Please bring your completed 'Chatterbox' into school on your child's first day. We will be using them in the first couple of weeks to share individually with adults as well as in small groups. Thank you.





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At the beginning..

First few days and weeks

- Welcoming your child into their classes
- Getting to know us
- Building relationships with their new classmates
- Learning new regular routines; toilets, snack time, carpet time, tidy up time.
- Working one to one with each child to get to know their differing starting points.



Structure of the Day



8.30 Gates open – Children arrive in class and complete early morning work.

8.50 Gates locked and Registration

9.00 Worship (Whole school / Key Stage / YG/ Class/Celebration)

9.30 Phonics

9.50 Discovery Time and individual reading

10.30 Story Time and Snack Time

10.40 The Write Stuff – whole class teaching

11.00 – Discovery time and individual reading

11.40 Lunch

12.45 Maths – Whole class teaching

1.00 Discovery Time (+ Music / PE on certain days)

3.10 - Home time- collected classroom door

Uniform

- Uniform list can be found on the website;
www.stmarksprimary.net/uniform
- Please ensure that names are in EVERYTHING!
- PE kits - children come into school wearing their kit on PE days
- Send a coat EVERYDAY. We do go out, even in the rain!
- Drawstring bags in every day please, containing your child's zippy reading pack.
- Wellies – please provide a pair to keep at school



Tapestry: Online Learning Journey



We just love that - Zac really does love Archie and it's good to hear we make him happy too! Tapestry is such a good way of letting Parents have an insight into school life.

Add a comment

Users with the "Download media" permission can download these photos and videos.

Notes

The children have been thinking about people, objects and places that are special to them. Zac shares 'My dog Archie, he's ten and he gives me cuddles.' He talks about his retriever toy that he got from build a bear, when he was four years old, being special to him too. Zac then adds 'My mum, dad and brother too because they are happy lots of times.' We talked about special times and focused on birthdays and the objects we might use to celebrate a birthday - Zac shares items he has brought in from home and draws them carefully.

Early Years Foundation Stage

Communication and Language

Understanding

43-45h No Refinement

- ✓ Listens and responds to ideas expressed by others in conversation or discussion.

Understanding the world

FOSM (PTA)



Governors





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Hatch Warren After School Club

We have spaces everyday to accommodate your child.
Our After School Club offers so much more than just after school care



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Registered Charity Number 1161117

[Click here to register your child](#)

Lunches

School lunches or packed lunch?

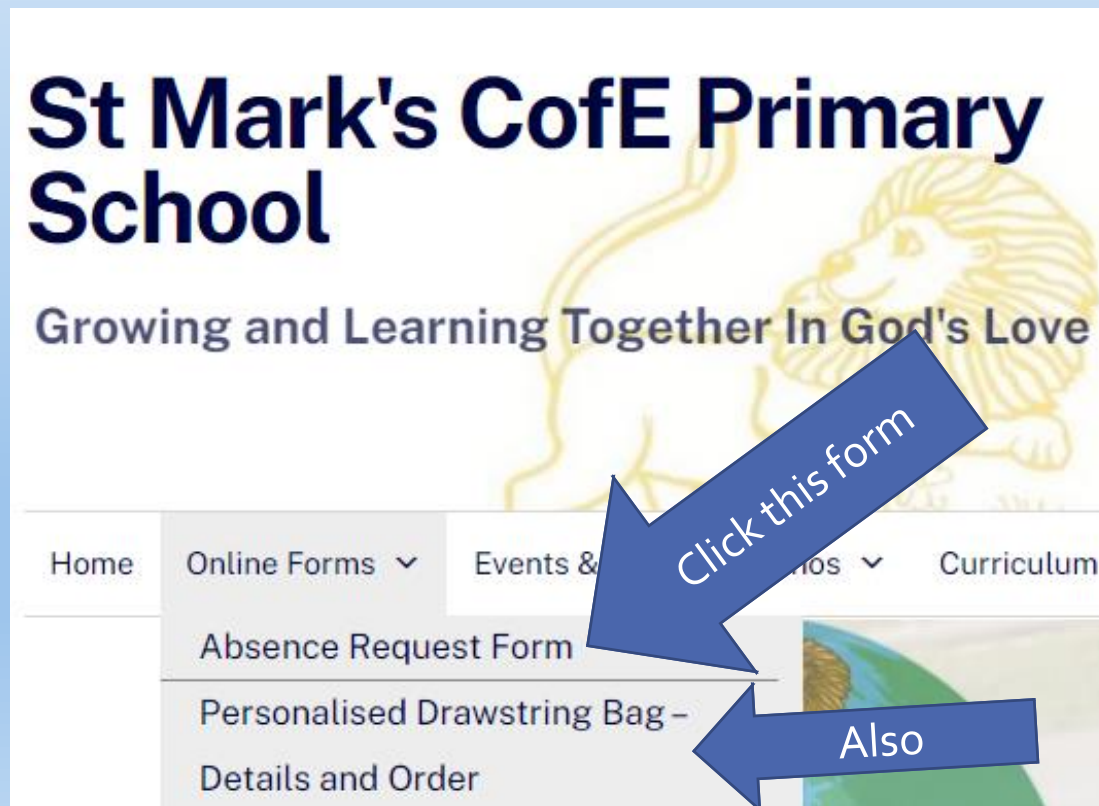
The logo for Pabulummm features the word "pabulummm" in a bold, rounded, olive-green font. The "mm" at the end is faded and semi-transparent. Below the main text, the tagline "HONESTLY GOOD FOOD" is written in a smaller, all-caps, olive-green font.

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Absences

Email or call if it's a general illness, before 8:30am.

adminoffice@st-markscofe.hants.sch.uk



Penalty Notices
£60 per
child per
parent.

Things to do before you leave this evening:

- Take an 'All about me' booklet
- Take a copy of the special menu form from Pabulum, if needed.
- Have a look at the various stands around the room
- Come and chat to one of us if you have any queries

