

# St George the Martyr C of E Primary School Newsletter

Friday 26th January 2024

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Go, shine in  
the world



Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you to everyone who showed our values of compassion and community through their charitable giving today. All donations raised through Movie Afternoon and Movie Night will go to The Children's Society.

Thank you also to the parents who attended our Friends of St George the Martyr meetings and volunteered to help with this event. Your support was greatly appreciated.

With best wishes, Mrs Whiteley (Head of School) and Mr Webb (Executive Headteacher)

## Art

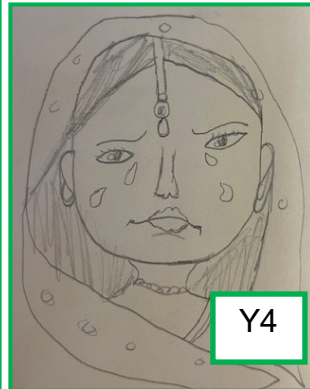
As part of our Art curriculum, during the Autumn term, pupils focused on developing their painting and drawing skills. Classes are now focusing on sculpture using a variety of different materials. Have a look at some of the fantastic examples here!



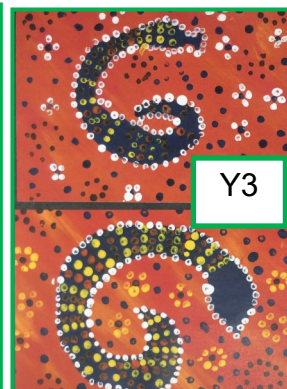
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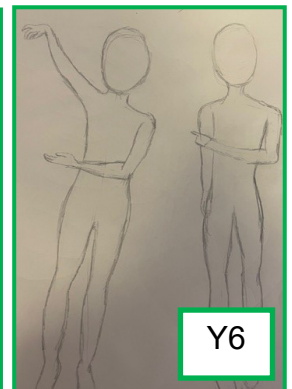
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Y3



Y6

You will have heard in the news that there are many cases of Measles spreading in London. This disease can affect children much worse than a cold or flu and can lead to serious or potentially life-threatening complications in some children, including infections of the lung and brain. Measles is a highly infectious viral illness and the measles, mumps and rubella (MMR) vaccine is the safest way to protect your child. After both MMR doses, 99% of people are protected against measles.

Public Health strongly recommend that all children at school are up-to-date with their MMR vaccine. Children routinely receive their first dose at one year of age and their second dose from three years four months old.

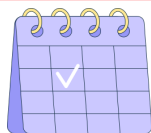
If your child has not yet received two doses of the MMR vaccine or you are unsure, please arrange for them to receive these through your GP as soon as possible. Please read the information from Public Health attached.

I have received and read the St George the Martyr CE Primary School newsletter of 26.01.2024

Name of child \_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE RETURN THIS SLIP TO THE SCHOOL OFFICE AND YOUR CHILD MIGHT WIN A PRIZE :)

## Important dates for your diary...



**Tuesday 30th January**—Y6 Booster sessions start

**Friday 2nd February**—Non-uniform day

**Monday 12th February-Friday 16th February**—Half Term

**Monday 19th February**— Children back at school

**Friday 23rd February** — Academic Review Day—parents attend school with their child at their appointment time to meet the teacher and receive their child's report

**Thursday 29th February**—Non-uniform day

**Friday 1st March**—9.05am—Parent Information Coffee Morning

## Our Nursery is free!

**Please tell friends and family that St George the Martyr's Nursery is free!**



We are also now accepting children into our Nursery as soon as they turn three years old—*spread the word!*

## Attendance...

A huge congratulations to **Year 2** for having the **BEST ATTENDANCE** last week with **99%!**







Our attendance bear, George, will live in the Year 2 classroom next week.



*Well done Year 2!*

## Healthy snacks and lunches...

Healthy food gives children's brains fuel and energy to help them concentrate in class. There are plenty of **healthy options that children can bring to school as snacks**. Please take a look below at the snacks children should and should not bring into school. Pupils should put their healthy snacks in their class snack box as soon as they come to school, every day.

Things you can eat for your break-time snack	Things you cannot eat for your break-time snack
Fruit 	Fruit wipers 
A PLAIN biscuit 	Biscuits with jam, chocolate or any other extras 
Vegetables e.g. carrot sticks 	Crisps 

## Work of the Week...

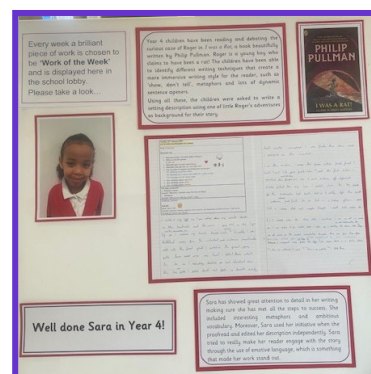


Every week a great piece of children's work is showcased in the school lobby.

This week, Year 4 have been writing descriptions of a setting inspired by their class text, 'I Was a Rat'. Sara has included a range of interesting metaphors and ambitious vocabulary. She has also thought carefully about emotive language to engage her reader further.

Sara's presentation is fantastic and she has used joined cursive handwriting. Thank you for sharing your wonderful work with us!

*Well done, Sara!*



## Person of the Week!

Nursery - Mishel  
Reception - Lina  
Year 1 - Rabiya  
Year 2 - Elena  
Year 3 - Daniel  
Year 4 - Ernesto  
Year 5 - Arya  
Year 6 - Pasha



## Don't let a little worry turn into a big one...

If you or your child are worried about something or have any questions, please phone the school office and book an appointment to see their class teacher, Mrs Whiteley or Miss Bhoday. **We are always really pleased to meet with you and chat things through.**



## St George the Martyr Church

St George the Martyr Church offers a **'Parish Pantry'** with free non-perishable food and toiletries.

Anyone is welcome to simply pop in and help themselves.

The 'Parish Pantry' is open 10am-2pm on Tuesday-Thursday and 10am-12pm on Sunday.



Over the half term break, St George the Martyr Church will be we are hosting **'Fab Feb Fun'**. This event will be taking place on **Tuesday 13th February, 2pm - 4pm.** **Free entry and suitable for all ages!**

## Our Prayer of the week

Gracious and loving God,

You call us to be stewards of Your abundance,

The caretakers of all you have entrusted to us.

Help us to always use Your gifts wisely and teach us to share them generously.



Amen

## COFFEE, CAKE AND CHAT

TUESDAYS 11AM (TERM TIME)

ST GEORGE THE MARTYR CHURCH, 44 QUEEN SQUARE, WC1N 3AH



Coffee, cake and chat - Tuesdays 11am at St George the Martyr, a weekly term time meet up to chat about your week, get advice, exchange ideas and as we grow a chance to hear speakers, clothes swaps, book club and creative activities.

## COSMO PLACE

STARTS FRIDAY 19TH JANUARY 2024

BRING YOUR LITTLE COSMONAUTS FOR

UNDERS 55 STAY AND PLAY

FRIDAYS 10.30AM - 12 NOON (DURING TERM TIME)

AT

St George the Martyr Church WC1N 3AH - Cosmo Place entrance

[office@sgtm.org](mailto:office@sgtm.org)



## Helpful Chats psychotherapy and counselling

**Everyone at some point in their life will struggle with something. If you're affected right now with anxiety, depression, trauma, grief, overwhelm, anger or relationship issues, I can help.**

Psychotherapy helps people to quickly and confidently figure out their present challenges, get clear on what to change and how, and then bravely take first steps to repair, rebuild or transform their life going forward.

I'm Juliette Jackson, psychotherapist in the final stage of my training- HG.Dip.P (Trainee).

Before becoming fully qualified, **over the next few months I have the opportunity to work with clients for no charge.**

**As a Human Givens therapist I am committed to:**

- **briefness** – I want you to come in, be resourced and confidently move forward with life in as few sessions as that takes
- **simplicity** – in the language I speak, the methods I use and the strategies I share
- **respect and non-judgement** – I believe that in all circumstances there are good, uplifting and hopeful conversations to be had about your future and how you want to live it.

### Booking A Session

Your first step is to email me using the contact details below. I'll get back to you to organise a quick first conversation (15-minutes, no charge) –by phone. I do this so that I can better understand what it is you'd like to see change and it allows you to ask me any questions you might still then have.

If you're keen to go ahead, we'll get a 60-minute session booked in face to face. I have a number of meeting rooms available across London.

And that's it ... you did it. The journey towards the changes you want to see has already begun.

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