



St Mary's Newsletter

Thursday 20th October 2016



"Pupils' learning is now at the heart of everything they do."
Ofsted September 2012



★ Dear Parents/Carers,

★ With the first half-term over, we would like to say well done to all our children who are showing the St Mary's Way and trying their very best. We also thank our parents/carers for working with our St Mary's team in helping children to achieve their best.

★ Congratulations to all who achieved certificates in the Awards Assembly this afternoon, including those achieving 100% attendance - great job!

★ Enjoy a safe and peaceful half-term, God bless,

★ Miss Prayag

★ Headteacher



Reminder, that today is Parent Consultations, tomorrow is an Inset day (school closed to children), & next week is half term. Have a good break and we will see you back on Monday 31st of October at 8:55am.

SECONDARY SCHOOL ADMISSIONS

Dates and deadlines

You must apply by the deadline, 31 October 2016. We recommend you apply as soon as possible, just in case there are any problems with getting online or logging into the site.

Other important dates to remember

1 March 2017: you'll get an offer by email in the evening.

15 March 2017: this is your deadline to accept (or turn down) your school place.

1 April 2017: you must send in any appeals for an Islington community school by this date. You can appeal even if you've accepted the school place offered.

ATTENDANCE AND PUNCTUALITY

We are very happy to inform you that this week we celebrated our excellent attendance and punctuality in our celebration assembly.

This week once again our Attending Alfie will be going to **Y4** and Punctual Polly is going to the **Y4, Y5 & Y6**

Well done to all, Keep it up!

Thank you.

School Home Practitioner,
Mariola Reron



Thank you



Once again we would like to thank you all for your kind donations of food at our Harvest Festival. Our staff and children made up parcels and delivered them to some of our local elderly residents including Isledon House sheltered accomadation in Prebend St.

We have received some lovely thank you letters from residents who were really grateful for their packages. Your generosity really made a difference to them.



Certificate in An Introduction to Early Years Education & Care

CACHE Level 2



Are you able to spare 3 days a week from January to July 2017?
(course will run on Tuesdays and Thursdays, 9.30am-3pm)

Already a volunteer in a nursery, reception class or children's centre?
Looking to learn new skills, get a qualification and meet new people?

**If you have answered YES to any of these questions,
then this course could be for YOU?!**

Come along to our assessment session; meet the Tutors
and find out more about the course:

Wednesday 2nd November 2016, 1-3pm

Margaret McMillan Children's Centre, Hornsey Rise, London N19 3SF

For a more information or to book a place on this course, contact Doreen Blake

Text or call: 07825 098 158


Email: doreen.blake@islington.gov.uk

This course is FREE for Islington residents or parents with children in Islington schools.
You must be 19 or over, unemployed or low-waged and receiving benefits

Flu Immunisation

The School nursing service will be offering the Flu vaccine through a nasal spray to all children in Year 1, 2 & 3. They will be coming into school on Thursday 1st of December. If you would like your child to have the vaccination you need to fill in a form, if you do not have a form, please come to the office.

Thank you

Whittington Health 

Spare Clothes

If you have any school bottoms, tights, or socks that your child has grown out of but are still in good condition, please can you bring them into school. Its always to good to keep any spares in case of accidents.

Thank you



Diary Dates

Friday 21st Oct—Staff Inset Day—school closed to pupils

Monday 24th—Friday 28th Oct —Half Term

Monday 31st Oct—First Day Autumn Term 2

Monday 31st October—Last day for secondary school applications

