

# Saint Margaret Mary's Catholic Infant School Newsletter

Friday 26th April 2024



## School Attendance Matters

### **Punctuality Reminder**

The start of the school day is 8.40am, the doors close at 8.50am. After this time, lessons have started and staff are in class teaching. It is imperative that children are in school on time, enjoying being with their friends and learning every day.



Please follow this link for information about fixed penalty notices: [Education Penalty Notices](#)

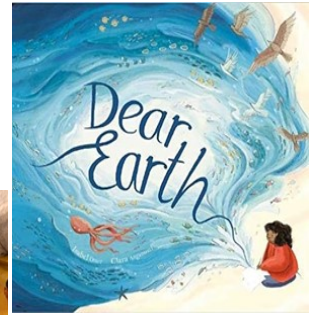
## **BIG BURN**

WOW WOW WOW! What an experience our year 2 children had this morning recreating the events of the Great Fire of London. The Tudor Houses made by the children were all set up when the fire broke out in the bakery on Pudding lane! The fire spread quickly, burning the houses to ash. An experience the children will never forget.





# World Earth Day! DayDay!



On Monday we celebrated World Earth Day. It was a day to help us think about our planet and how we can help to look after it. This year, the theme of Earth Day was Planet vs Plastic. The children learnt how long it takes for plastic to decompose and the negative impact it has on the environment. The children learnt how they can recycle, reuse and reduce plastic to make the world a safer place for God's creatures. The children made Earth seed balls, wrote plastic pledges and saved many seas creatures from plastics that are polluting our earth. At St Margaret Mary's Infant we are going to save the world!



The children have also been hunting the school grounds for any plastic litter that could hurt any creatures living in our environment. We can't wait to explore this further by helping pick up litter in our local community. Thank you to [Make Dovecot Clean Again](#) who provided us with essential litter picking equipment to help support us on our conservation journey.







## CLASS 3 STAY AND READ

Thank you to all the parents and grandparents who came along to 'Stay and Read' this week. We hoped you enjoyed joining your children to hear and share stories and books together.

Class 2's turn is next Wednesday.

## ST MARGARET MARY'S CHURCH



SUNDAY MASS TIMES- Saturday evening at 5.30p.m. and Sundays (including Children's Church) at 10.00a.m.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: Saturday at 5pm.  
Please follow this link for the parish newsletter

[St Margaret Mary's Catholic Infant School - Parish Newsletters](http://stmargaretmarysinfant.com)  
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## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

### Summer term

Monday 29th April—Prayer and liturgy Class 11—parents and carers welcome

Tuesday 30th April—Prayer and liturgy Class 12—parents and carers welcome

Wednesday 1st May—Stay and Read Class 2—parents and carers welcome

Wednesday 1st May—Prayer and liturgy Class 10—parents and carers welcome

Thursday 2nd May—Prayer and liturgy Class 9—parents and carers welcome

Thursday 2nd May at 9.00am—Year 1 Phonics screening and Crosby Hall residential parent meeting

Friday 3rd May—POPP

Monday 6th May—Bank Holiday—School closed

Wednesday 8th May—Stay and Read Class 1—parents and carers welcome

Week beginning Monday 13th May—Foodbank collection week

Tuesday 14th May—School Council

Friday 17th May—School closes for May half term

Monday 3rd June—Children return to school

Please be aware that on rare occasions dates may change due to unforeseen circumstances. Thank you.



# St. Margaret Mary's Catholic Junior School

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## Year 2 Transition Timetable 2023-2024

When	What
18 <sup>th</sup> March	SEND information sharing meeting
Summer 1	Welcome letter from Mrs Wilkinson
23rd April	SEND information sharing meeting
Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup> April 6pm	Yr 2 Introductory parent meeting via Zoom
Spring Term 2	Video introduction to SSMJ from Junior School Head Boy & Girl
Mon 13 <sup>th</sup> -Thur 16 <sup>th</sup> May 1.30 - 2.45pm	Small group transition sessions start in the junior school (4 sessions)
w/b 3rd June	Mrs Wilkinson and Mrs Culley and year 5 prefects to introduce themselves to Yr 2 pupils and go out at playtime
w/b 3 <sup>rd</sup> June Mon, Wed, Thur & Fri morning 9.30 – 11.30am	Small group transition sessions start in the junior school (4 sessions) sessions 9.30 – 11.30am
w/b 10 <sup>th</sup> June Mon 10 <sup>th</sup> -Thur 13th June 9.30-11.30am	Small group transition sessions in the junior school (4 sessions) Mon – Fri morning sessions 9.30-11.30am
Mon 17 <sup>th</sup> -Thur 20 <sup>th</sup> June 1.30pm-3pm	Whole class transition sessions in the infant school
Mon 24 <sup>th</sup> – Thur 27 <sup>th</sup> June 1.30-2.45pm	Whole class transition sessions in the junior school
Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> June 9.30 am	Safeguarding and medial Information sharing meeting
Monday 1st July 9.30-11.30 am	Yr 2 classes to visit their Yr 3 class
Monday 1st July 6pm	Yr2 Parent's Meeting (school routines)
Wednesday 3rd July Time TBC	Meetings between Year 3 teachers and Year 2 children and families
Wednesday 3rd July 3.20pm	Yr 3 staff to visit infant school to meet with Yr 2 staff to discuss children
Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> July 9.30-11.30am	Yr 2 classes to visit their Yr 3 class
9 <sup>th</sup> July 12.30am	Class 1,2,3 & 4 visit junior school form lunch and stay for production at 1pm