

St. George's CEP Newsletter

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'Bringing faith and education together'

'Letting your light shine' (Matthew 5:16)

Our value this term is FORGIVENESS

Be kind to one another, tender hearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ forgave you. [Ephesians 4:32]

World Book Day 2024!

Our school vision is to ensure we work together to create opportunities for every child to gain new experiences and opportunities to 'let their light shine'. Each week I never fail to find something to share with you about what's happening in school. But it's the joy as a teacher you get when going back into the classroom and you see the positive impact on the children's learning; the brilliant vocabulary they are using in their writing, the inquisitive questions they ask in science, the retrieval of historical facts.

But there are some days in our school calendar that really stand out - times everyone is involved in creating those long-lasting memories. One of these is World Book Day! There is no doubt that dressing up is something that everyone in our school community gets involved with. The array of fabulous costumes the children came in wearing this week – inspired by a favourite book or character was amazing (thank you to you the parents for supporting them!). Teachers had planned activities throughout the day allowing children to mix up classes, spend time with even younger ones from pre-school, School Council supporting our amazing PTA selling their scrumdiddlyumptious Wonky Bars......

I'm sure the children will not forget the start of their World Book Day – a very disciplined, grumpy Miss Trunchbull and her beautiful Matildas, descended into chaos with the arrival of Mr Crayon and not quite sure what to say about being joined by Cinderella and her Ugly Sisters.... definitely a day to remember!









Respect Courage Kindness Forgiveness Hope Honesty

You can find out about what's going on at St George's in a variety of ways:

Visit the school website: www.st-georges-wrotham.kent.sch.uk/
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Congratulations to: ********* CLASS You are the highest attenders this week!

Attendance this week:

Oak (Year R): 96.1%

Beech (Year 1): 98.8%

Maple (Year 2): 93.8%

Cedar (Year 3): 94.6%

Willow (Year 4): 98.3%

Hazel (Year 5): 96.9%

Sycamore (Year 6): 97.1%

Whole school: 96.6%

It is <u>very</u> important that parents inform the school of any absence and keep in regular, daily contact

For unexpected absence eg illness for example, please call and speak to the school office before 9.30am so absence can be recorded accurately.

If they have an appointment during the school day you MUST provide evidence of an appointment.

Any other absence must be requested using our absence request form. This can be found through this link:

https://forms.gle/3dVUrxXZt9v5REKR9

Please note no term absence will be authorised unless exceptional circumstances have been agreed with the Headteacher following a face to face meeting.

Times Tables Rockstars this week:

Maple (Year 2): Harvey

Cedar (Year 3): Lottie

Willow (Year 4): Kaiden

Hazel (Year 5): Alfie

Sycamore (Year 6): Oskar

CONGRATULATIONS TO

St. George

For gaining the most Dojo Points this week!

BRING FAITH & EDUCATION TOGETHER

by

'Letting Your Light Shine' (Matthew 5:16)

This corner on our newsletter highlights people connected to our school who fulfill our school vision, this week that honour goes to...

OUR PTA!

Thank you for supporting our school by raising funds for our school in such brilliant ways - those Wonky Bars are fabulous! For being so generous with donating a book to every child and funding a school dance shop linked to World Book Day next week.



You 'let your light shine!'



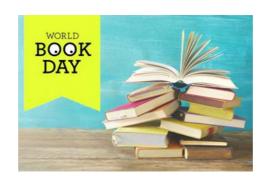
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Our week in pictures...





St. George's Church of England Primary School Helpful Dates for Term 4



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Next week is parent consultations.

They are an important indicator as we pass the midpoint of the school year. Please book online if you haven't already or make contact with your child's class teacher to organise alternative arrangements.

Week 4

Monday 11 MarchStory through dance workshopTuesday 12 MarchLove 2 dance perform at Stag Theatre

Wednesday 13 March Parent Consultations
Thursday 14 March Parent Consultations

Friday 15 March Comic Relief Day - see school story on dojo for more details of this event

Week 5

Monday 18 March Football Match vs Leybourne (HOME game)

Tuesday 19 March TT Rockstar Day - see school story on dojo for more details of this event

Wednesday 20 March Year 1 Class Worship in school

Saturday 23 March Football Tournament at Knole Academy

Week 6

Monday 25 March Easter Services

Thursday 28 March LAST DAY OF TERM - PTA Easter Raffle

Remaining Term Dates 2023-24

Term 4	Start: Monday 19th February 2024 Finish: Thursday 28th March 2024
Term 5	Start: Monday 15th April 2024 Finish: Friday 24th May 2024
Term 6	Start: Monday 3rd June 2024 Finish: Tuesday 23rd July 2024
	INSET DAY: Tuesday 2nd January 2024 May Day: Monday 6th May 2024

^{*}Dates are subject to change to due unforeseen circumstances

Term 1	Start: Tuesday 3rd September 2024 Finish: Thursday 24th October 2024	
Term 2	Start: Monday 4th November 2024 Finish: Friday 20th December 2024	
Term 3	Start: Monday 6th January 2025 Finish: Friday 14th February 2025	
Term 4	Start: Tuesday 25th February 2025 Finish: Friday 4th April 2025	
Term 5	Start: Tuesday 22nd April 2025 Finish: Friday 23rd May 2025	
Term 6	Start: Tuesday 3rd June 2025 Finish: Monday 21st July 2025	