

Deputy Headteacher's Message

We would like to take this opportunity wish you all a very happy Easter and we hope you get a good rest ready for the summer term. Just a reminder, school starts back on Monday 15th April.



See you all in 2 weeks!

Mrs Hughes

Year 1 would like to wish you all a very happy Easter!



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 the class teacher or Mrs Wright, Mrs Hughes or Mrs Logue. We are always really pleased to meet with you and chat things through.



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Important dates for your diary...

15th April	School opens for the Summer term	MARKTH
18th April	Y1 School Trip to London	MAIN
18th April	9.30am Reception class assembly - Reception	(ALE
19th April	Mufti Day for School Disco	VIII
19th April	3.30 - 4.30 KS1 School Disco	
19th April	4.45 - 5.45 KS2 School Disco	
22nd April	Y1 Hearing Screening	
25th April	Whole School Parents PSHE / RSE Curriculum E	Evening
26th April	Yellow Team Mufti (KS2)	
30th April	Y2 School Trip to Brooklands Museum	
6th May	Bank Holiday	
8th May	5.30pm Online Safety to all parents	

Year 3 - Marvellous Medicine

Year 3 were very mischievous this week. They made their very own Marvellous Medicine to finish their class book 'George's Marvellous Medicine'.

They then went around the school persuading all the staff members to drink their wonderful creation. I think they were very persuasive!



Year 5 - Greek Alphabet

This week Year 5 ended their topic on Greece to learn the Greek alphabet and then they wrote their names in Greek. They did a great job!













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Year 5 - Information Reports

Mrs Membrino has been blown away by year 5's writing. It was really hard to pick only a few. Well done Year 5 - I always love seeing the amazing work you produce.



Farewell to Mickey Joe and Charlotte

On behalf of all the staff and children of St. Aidan's we wish Mickey Joe and Charlotte all the best on their new adventures in Ireland. Both Mickey Joe and Charlotte have been assets to our school and they will always be part of our school family.







Wellbeing In Year 3

We welcomed Cleo back into school as part of a special wellbeing treat for our Year 3 students.

Debating Team

Six of our Y5 pupils went to Oasis Academy to learn how to debate formally. There were many schools there and part of our learning was to find someone we had never met before and have a conversation with them. We learnt about a speech by Holly Taylor about comparing yourself to others and self love. We really enjoyed the various debating tasks we were challenged with and look forward to putting our new skills to work in the classroom!

Taskmaster

Congratulations to the Golden Tigers (Reuben, Ashley, Lucia and Anna) for winning this term's Taskmaster club. All the children have done incredibly this term, completing challenging tasks with creativity and teamwork. There are still spaces for KS2 children to have a go next term - please see separate email.



Music Concert

On Tuesday night we celebrated the wonderful talents across the school. We had a range of instruments across the school, including guitar, electric guitar, piano, cello and violins. I was blown away with the children and their musical talent. The children were amazing, but I particularly enjoyed seeing the pride on the parents faces.

A huge Thank you to Miss Zographou for giving these children an opportunity to share their talents.



Rock Steady Concert

This morning we were treated to a Rock Steady Concert! St. Aidan's certainly has talent!

It was amazing to see the children in their bands. The staff, parents and children loved the performances. Seeing how the children have grown in confidence was the highlight for me.

Thank you to Ryan (Our Rock Steady teacher) for all his hard work with the children.



Spanish this week

The children have been learning the Easter story in Spanish. Look at this amazing work:



Reception Dentist Visit

Reception had a visit from a dentist this week. Oliver's Uncle, Dentist Conner. Here is what the children said after the visit:

"The dentist said we have 20 teeth"

"Mrs Gray and Mrs Tucker were scared of the dentist, they are not scared anymore."

"I liked it when he was showing us how to clean our teeth."

"I liked it when he talked about healthy food for our teeth."



2024 Challenge

SASA are introducing a new 2024 challenge for our children! The challenge is to raise a minimum of £20.24. Whether they raise a little or a lot, all the money raised will go towards buying new ipads for the school as well as outdoor play equipment.

Please see the previously attached letter, details and ideas of how the children can raise the money in various fun and creative ways.

The class that raises the highest amount will be rewarded with a fun movie afternoon! The deadline is Friday 17th May! Good luck!

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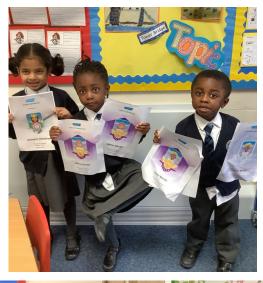
This Week's Awards at St Aidan's



So many awards this week. Some incredible sporting achievements from swimming, rugby, football and children receiving a new belt in taekwondo.

Well done to those children who received a Mathletics certificate.

Amazing achievements everyone!









St Mary: Joann Nivea Nikhil St Francis: Lydia Toft St Joseph: Keyaan Nsiah St Bernadette: Herbie Kember St Theresa: Harry Ginman St Peter: Mickey Joe McLaughlin St Paul: Zac Bleach Thorne



St Mary: Luna Watts St Francis: Jacob Ikpa St Joseph: Rocco Cacchioli St Bernadette: Olivia McMullan St Theresa: Ethan Okoroafor St Peter: Eva O'Kane St Paul: Rafi Costa



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