



St Anthony's Catholic Primary School

St Mary Magdalene Newsletter

Class	St Mary Magdalene	Term	Summer	Year	2020-2021
Teacher Mr P Crossley		Your child has learned how to access and use Microsoft Teams over the recent months. This platform will be used to educate them from home IN CASE OF A LOCKDOWN or if a whole class/bubble had to self-isolate. Please support them with tasks that we will set.			Useful Websites https://play.ttrockstars.com/ www.schoolslinks.co.uk (replacement spelling lists)

The Curriculum Map shows the main areas of learning that your child will undertake during the forthcoming term.
The Class Timetable will enable you to talk to your child about their school day!!

Through our RE lessons this term the children will cover the following areas.	Our topics will be: Easter, Pentecost and The Eucharist is a Thanksgiving Within RE lessons, Easter explores the impact of the Resurrection on his followers up to and including The Ascension. The Eucharist is a thanksgiving to God deals with the Eucharist as part of the Mass. We study the Liturgy of the Eucharist, and fully understand what it means when we share in the Body of Christ. Pentecost naturally focuses on the feast, but deals with how the Apostles needed the gift of the Holy Spirit, as well as how the Holy Spirit assists Transubstantiation – the changing of bread and wine to Body and Blood of Christ Class Mass – Friday 9 th July (MS Teams in Hall) Class Assembly : Friday 7 th May (MS Teams)
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	Literacy	Numeracy
	We have a Literacy lesson each day, in which your child will take part in both reading and writing activities and will gain experience of a selection of different text types and writing styles. Each week the children will take part in a guided reading group where they will practise a variety of reading skills. They will also have opportunities to read independently at certain times, so will therefore need to remember to bring their books to school daily. Reading books CAN and will be sent home, within the current health and safety expectations. The reading book that your child brings will NOT have been read by another child for at least 72 hours. Please can children regularly record their responses to their reading in Reading Record Books. Reviews can be completed in here. They are to be handed in to Mr C in class for checking (Mon/Wed/Fri). We practise spellings, punctuation, grammar and handwriting within class time, yet it is important your child is practising these areas at home too. The Homework uploaded to the website reinforces key skills.	As well as taking part in daily Numeracy lesson covering all areas of Mathematics, your child will also have to practise Arithmetic and Times Tables, in which they will be need to develop their calculation speed, accuracy and knowledge of successful strategies and recall of Tables. Please encourage your child to do this often as possible. Maths No Problem Homework will be given each week. The two sections will both look back at some questions from the week just passed, as well as including a few questions from the forthcoming week – something to look out for! This homework is sent out via MS Teams. Year 4 has a National Tables Test in the Summer Term, by which time Y4 children are expected to have very fast recall of all facts to 12 X 12. Times Tables Rockstars is ideal for preparation, but it should be used several times a week / daily. Finally, a reminder that you can help your child in Maths, but we recommend children learn resilience – they should be able to look for solutions on their own using their existing knowledge/skills.

This is what we will be teaching through Science, and our Foundation Subjects	<p>Science: During Science lessons this term we will be covering 'Plants', and 'Rocks'. You may wish to visit the library to find books related to these topics or encourage your child to access the following website: http://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/ks2/science/ Investigation Skills – These are key skills that allow the children to predict outcomes, plan fair tests, observe and record results, present their results using Maths skills, and explain them in a clear and technically accurate way.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">ICT: Digital Animators, and Digital Researchers P.E. : Gymnastics – Receiving Body Weight (Wednesday) Games –Athletics(Thursday) Geography: An Island Study</p> <p>Art – Portraying an Artist – Perspectives D&T: Designing and Making Torches Music – Learning to play the Ukulele with Mr Locke (W'hampton Music Service) MFL : Continue making advances with the German language</p>
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Class Timetable St Mary Magdalene Summer Term 2021

	8:45/10:15	10:15/10:45	10:45/11:00	11:00-12:25	12:25/1:00	1:00/2:00	2:00/2:50
Mon	Maths	Science	MORNING BREAK	Literacy	LUNCH	MFL (Mrs Bradbury)	RE
Tues	Maths	Science		Literacy		ICT	RE
Wed	Maths	Music Mr Locke - WMS		Literacy		KS2 Assembly / Spelling & Tables Test	PE
Thurs	Maths	Science		Literacy		Games	Well-Being
Fri	Maths	Literacy + (Skills Catch- Up session)		Assembly (30mins)		Literacy (1 hr)	Guided Reading

Please Remember

P.E. Kit	In school for Wednesday PE, and Games on Thursday
Reading / Library Books	One Guided Reading session each week on Friday (Fiction & Non-Fiction) Please hand Reading Records into class box on Mondays, Tuesdays and Fridays. <i>The reading book that your child brings will NOT have been read by another child for at least 72 hours.</i>
Homework	Set on Fri p.m. – completed/hand in online by Tuesday P.M. Maths No Problem Maths will be given as a weekly homework on MS Teams Times Tables Rockstars to be completed every week – class league tables will be updated
Spellings (see Spring Term Journal initially – Summer Term booklet to follow wc030521)	Tested on Wednesday afternoon (List No. & date will be sent on MarvellousMe) Mega-Spella-Test-Athon at end of term
Times Tables Test	These will be tested in class on Wednesday afternoon along with Spellings.

Many thanks for your co-operation. If you have any queries regarding this information, then please email the school office (stanthonysoffice@cloudw.co.uk) who will forward any messages immediately.

Mission Statement.

Let your words teach and your actions speak.