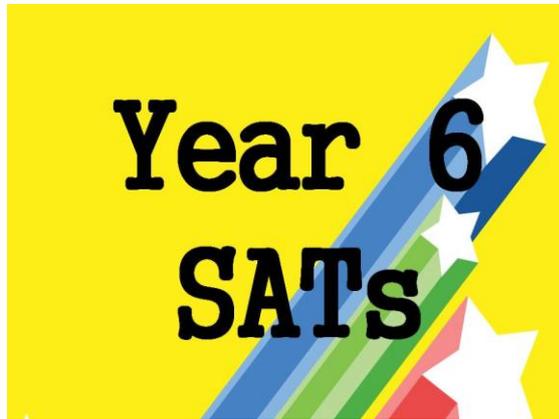


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Newsletter: Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> May 2019  
Next newsletter: Monday 13<sup>th</sup> May



The children in Year 6 are facing the final week before the SATS tests. We continue to be proud of their positive and mature attitude towards the tests. They will begin the school day during the week of 13<sup>th</sup> May at 8.30am with a breakfast cooked by the kitchen staff. Year 6 parents will receive a letter explaining how to support their child in the final lead up to the tests. Our main objective is to be positive and for the children to look forward to this week as they have worked so hard, in order to show the best that they can do!

Monday: SPAG Test  
Tuesday: Reading Test  
Wednesday & Thursday: Maths Tests

## Parents' Spelling Workshop for Reception, Year 1 & Year 2.

The Parents who attended the Spelling Workshop on Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> May enjoyed this session and found it beneficial.



**Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> May** – Year 3 Sports Competition at Southwark Park

**Friday 10<sup>th</sup> May** – Year 3 Class Mass 9.15am

**Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> May** – Year 4 trip to Dulwich Picture Gallery

**Friday 17<sup>th</sup> May** – Year 5 Class Mass 9.15am

**Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> May** – Year 4 Golf trip

**Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> May** – Year 5 trip to the Field Studies Centre

## Advance notice of upcoming events:

**Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> June** – Year 6 Isle of Wight Parents Meeting (letter to follow)

**Friday 28<sup>th</sup> to Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> June** – Year 6 trip to the Isle of Wight

**Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July** – 10am Leavers assembly

## Internet Safety

The most important part of internet safety, no matter what the age of your child, is communication. The best advice that can be shared is to ensure that you talk to your child about what they are using on-line. A key website for parent information on this is

[www.saferinternet.org.uk](http://www.saferinternet.org.uk).

Why not log onto this site and look at tips, advice, guides and resources to help keep your child safe online.

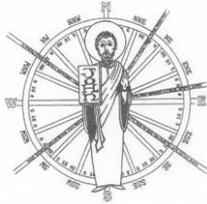
## British Summertime



British summertime has begun, heralding lighter nights, which can be hugely disruptive to children's sleep patterns. Whilst it is true that 'sleep needs' vary from one person to another, guidance is available from the NHS in regards to how much sleep children of all ages should be getting each night:

3 - 5 years 11-12 hours  
6 - 9 years 10 hours  
10-14 years old 9-10 hours

Good sleeping patterns support the overall health of everybody, but for children it affects how they grow, learn and play!



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The FOSJ are looking to put on a series of school discos in June (from 1pm onwards, including after school) and are looking for parents to help with these events on the day. Without any help, these cannot run. Please see Renae, Naomi, Jordan or Vanessa if you can help.

## Celebrating Success Nursery Fun



The topic for Nursery this half term is Pirates. The children are reading a range of pirate picture books and taking part in activities that engage them in exploring themes such as treasure maps, floating and sinking, designing flags, making telescopes and many other fun activities!

The Nursery class role-play area this term is a 'Pirate Café' and outdoors we will be creating pirate ships from a range of resources.

## Year 4 Mass



On Friday, Year 4 had their Class Mass and it was enjoyed by everyone. The children really enjoyed participating with hymns, readings and Liturgical Dance.

A big thank you to Father Azad, Jimmy and parents/carers for helping us to celebrate this special occasion.

## Year 2 Recycling



Year 2 have been busy learning all about recycling. This week they have been exploring packaging to learn about the different symbols for recycling.

## Attendance 22/04/19 - 03/05/19



- Reception – 95%
- Year 1 – 97.92%
- Year 2 – 96.65%
- Year 3 – 95.42%
- Year 4 – 93.95%
- Year 5 – 96.76%
- Year 6 – 97.45%



**Congratulations to Years 1 and 6 for reaching the target of 97%**



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