



# St Mary's Priory Catholic Infant and Junior Schools' School Newsletter

15th March, 2024

'Love one another; Always do our best; Take care of ourselves and the world around us'

## A week of golden celebration... "going for gold"

To encourage children in making good behaviour choices, we have a 'going for gold' approach. Every child who is green at the end of the day (without having received a warning or consequence) is eligible for a golden ticket (maximum of up to 3 tickets per class per day).

Class teachers will award golden tickets to children who show exemplary behaviour at all times. When a child is awarded a golden ticket, they have the opportunity to write their name in the class 'Golden Book'.

This Friday, we awarded certificates to children who have remained 'green' throughout the half-term. This is no mean feat, and is a huge cause for celebration! Certificates are awarded for those children who have earned 10+, 25+ or 50+ golds.



Following on from International Women's Day, we learnt about Malala Yousafzai in Monday's assembly. We read her inspirational story 'Malala's Magic Pencil' and discussed the impact that one voice can have on the world.

Attendance winners!	
Infant School:	Junior School:
Woodpeckers 97.22%	6J 99%
Punctuality winners!	
Penguin class 1 late	5S 1 late

We had a very busy Science Week at St Mary's, with a visit from Zoolab and a dress-up day today. The children got to handle many different creatures including snakes and lizards!

We also had the fantastic the **St Patrick's Day Troupe** visit our school. They performed very well and all of our children were joining in with their singing. The troupe was made up of local children and even a former pupil of St Mary's. Our fabulous **Miss Burke** even joined in with her tin whistle as a member of their adult music group!



Important reminder:

We are a **school street** from the 15th April.

Between the hours of 8.15am - 9am and 2.45pm and 3.45pm, **NO VEHICLES** will be able to enter Hermitage Road.

# This week at SMP...



Year 2 enjoyed their trip to the Farm!

## Science Week!



**3M** lots of fun measuring different items in the classroom. They were challenged to find items longer and shorter than 20cm



**Zoolab!** Our children thoroughly enjoyed getting to safely handle lots of different animals during our **Science Week!**



# School calendar:

When:	What:	Who:	Where:	Time:
19th, 20th and 21st March	Book Fair	All pupils	By the Junior School doors (near the After School Club)	1pm
20th and 21st March	Nursery Parent Teacher Consultations	Nursery	Nursery classroom	3-5pm
18th-22nd March	Neurodiversity Week	All pupils		
28th March	School closes at 1pm	All pupils		1pm
29th March-12th April	School closed for Easter Holidays	All pupils		
Wb 13th May	KS2 SATs examinations	Year 6		





# Tottenham Futures

Join our exciting Life Skills and Development Programme for young people aged 10-17. Engage in workshops, games, activities and life skills lessons, with the opportunity for 1-2-1 mentoring.

Cohorts run for six weeks, restarting every two weeks.

Don't miss out on this opportunity for growth and fun!

**Every Tuesday, 4:30pm - 6pm**

**Every Thursday, 4pm - 6pm**

**Location - Percy House, 796 High Road, Tottenham,  
London, N17 0DH**

To find out more and to register for the sessions, email:  
[lauren.black@tottenhamhotspur.com](mailto:lauren.black@tottenhamhotspur.com)

**SCAN TO SIGN UP  
BELOW**



## **A prayer for human rights**

God, All peoples have their origin  
in You

and it is Your will to gather them  
as one family in Yourself.

Fill the hearts of all people with  
Your love and the desire to  
ensure justice for all their  
brothers and sisters.

By sharing the good things of the  
earth, may we secure justice and  
equality for every human being,  
an end to all division, and a  
human society built on love and  
peace.

We make this prayer in Jesus'  
name.

Amen

