

ST MARGARET'S C OF E PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



Attendance for the week ending 22/10/21: 95.69%



Dear All,

As we are at the end of our first half term, I wanted to thank you all for your wonderful support to our school. It has been a real pleasure to see so many of you back in the playground again and I have been able to speak to many of you since the start of the academic year. I think we can all agree that there is plenty to celebrate with all our pupils back in school.

It has been a busy few weeks with so many amazing events and learning successes taking place at St Margaret's. One of the things we have really invested in since our return in September, is our playground and PE equipment. We are ever so keen to ensure that children have the best possible games and play equipment around during their break and lunch time, particularly after last year, so that they can play a variety of games together again. To promote an active lifestyle, they have sectioned areas of the playground so that children can participate in a range of activities and sports during break times and lunchtimes. In addition to this, we have purchased additional sports equipment, two table tennis tables and a range of texts to be stored in our new sheds for those who enjoy a quieter lunchtime outside!

I am overwhelmed by the amount of Harvest donations which you have all provided, a huge thank you for that. I attached a picture below of our harvest display which I would like to thank Mrs Rayner and Mrs Costen for working hard to put together.



I would like to conclude this newsletter with a quote from Colossians 3:12: 'Therefore, as God's chosen people, holy and dearly loved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness and patience'. I would like to pass thanks on behalf of one of our families and our school staff as it has been brought to my attention that our families and school community have donated money to one of our Y5 children and their family who recently lost their Mother. Acts of kindness such as this one make me so proud of our community and incredibly proud to be the Head of School at St Margaret's.

Have a restful half term holiday and I look forward to seeing you all on Monday 8th November.

Yours faithfully,
Miss Sophie Newman
Head of School

LOVE.KINDNESS.JOY.SELF-CONTROL.PATIENCE.

Stars of the week

Well done to the following children for being awarded with Stars of the
Week on the week ending:

22nd October 2021

RR - Leona and Sai Krish
RK - Isabelle and Omotola

1R - Mary and Malachi
1Z - Akshitha and Arian

2R - Maryam and Pranav
2Z - Janelle and Eniara

3R - Estera and Rafael
3Z - Hina and Debo

4R - Valentina and Isaac
4Z - Awura-Adwoa & Ibrahima

5R - Lynn and Joshua
5Z - Sarai and Joshua

6R - Lexi and Alwin
6Z - Sharon and Jason

CWP AWARDS

Eyfs Presentation

Jamal
Reception

Eyfs Progress

Mahmoud
Reception

Ks1 Presentation

Eshanwi
Year 1

Ks1 Progress

Christopher
Year 2

Ks2 Presentation

Camille
Year 3

Ks2 Progress

Jason
Year 6

SECONDARY SCHOOL

You must apply for your child's secondary school place online. You must apply online before:

31st October 2021

The link for this is:

www.eadmissions.org.uk

Or

you can use the link on:

www.lbhd.gov.uk/admissions

NURSE DROP INS

*The next
School Nurse drop in session
is:*

*17th November
9am - 10am*

OCTOBER HALF TERM

The last day of term is on:

22nd October 2021

*Children will come back to school
on :*

8th November 2021.

This half term is for two weeks.

FLU IMMUNISATIONS

Flu immunisations will be on:

8th December 2021

*You have received your letters, please
make sure you complete the form and
return it to the school before:*

22nd November 2021

*There is a section on the letter to fill out
even if you DO NOT want your child to
have the immunisation. Please bring the
slip back either way.*

PE KITS

*All children must bring their PE
kits*

*into school so they will be able to
take part in PE.*



Harvest Festival

Thank you to all our parents who brought any items in for our Harvest Festival.



ANTI-BULLYING WEEK

ODD SOCKS DAY



MONDAY
15TH
NOVEMBER
2021

**Come to school wearing your
odd socks to celebrate what
makes each of us all unique.**



STARTING SCHOOL SEPTEMBER 2022

In Year applications

Parents needing a school place for immediate start, need to apply online using our hub. The link is under the in-year heading on our website – www.lbhd.gov.uk/hub

Parents must follow the process in the e-booklet ‘Finding a school place-1a’.

For 2021 entry, all our booklets & forms have been updated. Please use the most current version which is published on our website.

Parents must apply online BEFORE

15 January 2022

at either:

www.eadmissions.org.uk

or use the link at

www.lbhd.gov.uk/admissions



Apply online now
for a reception school place
www.lbhd.gov.uk/admissions

The closing date for your online application
and the other information we ask for is

15 January 2022



Protecting your child against flu

Flu immunisation in England

Information for parents and carers of preschool and primary school-aged children



Flu  **immunisation**

Helping to protect children, every winter

We have been very busy this week in EYFS learning about how to make healthy food choices based around the story 'The Rascally Cake'. We started our week by making scrumptious carrot cakes. We predicted what might happen to the cake mixture once it baked. We also learnt about the importance of yams in Nigerian Igbo culture. We peeled, chopped and boiled them to taste. To finish off our week we looked at the history of Notting Hill Carnival and the wonderful costumes that are worn each year. We made our very own costume headdress to celebrate BHM.