

St Mary's Church of England Primary School, Dover



Learning for life with God as our guide



Friday, 5th July 2024

Our Christian Values

Peace; Friendship; Respect; Trust; Perseverance



A Message from Ms Comfort

A Grand Day Out!

We did not let the wind and rain dampen our St Mary's CEP spirits today during our annual whole school day trip; we all had a marvellous time at Folkestone Coastal Park. The children loved the large play equipment and the opportunity to dig in the sand at the pirate ship. They all used their observational skills during the scavenger hunt to find natural items for each colour of the rainbow and exercised their sports skills with a range of play activities and games. Lunch was had at the grass amphitheatre followed by an ice lolly and a sing-song!

We did not go on the beach this time as the wind was so strong on the exposed coast we would have been blown off our feet! Much better to stay in the shelter of the park and come back to school a little earlier than planned.



Getting to know you!

All children met with their teacher for next year in their new classroom on Thursday, including our new reception children and our Year 6 leavers. A very successful day and an important part of us all getting ready for next year.

Reception Class 2024

If you have a child born between 1st September 2019 and 31st August 2020 they will be eligible to start school in September 2024. We invite families to book an appointment to come and have a look around our school at a time to suit. Please spread the word to anyone you know with a child of the right age. Our new Reception Class for September 2024 is very nearly full so don't miss out if you would like a space, or know a friend who does.

Ms Helen Comfort – Executive Headteacher

A promotional poster for the 2024 Port of Dover Regatta. The title '2024 PORT OF DOVER REGATTA' is at the top in large, bold letters. Below it, 'Dover Seafront' is written in a purple box. The text 'LIVE MUSIC, MARINE DISPLAYS, ENTERTAINMENT, WIDE RANGE OF STALLS' is in the middle. The date and time '6th JULY 10am-6pm' are prominently displayed. The bottom half features colorful illustrations of a family, a sailboat, and a dragon boat. Logos for 'PORT OF DOVER', 'PORT OF DOVER REGATTA', and 'PORTOFDOVER.COM' are at the bottom.

TIME	MUSIC @ CLOCKTOWER	SHORESIDE	WATERSIDE
10:00 –		Regatta opens	
10:30 –			
11:00 –	Talks Dunlop		Dragon Boat Racing
11:30 –	Golden Wanders		BNLJ
12:00 –		Stalls and Street Entertainment	Dover Lifeguard Swimming Base
12:30 –			
13:00 –			
13:30 –			
14:00 –			
14:30 –	The Native Oysters Band		Dragon Boat Racing
15:00 –			
15:30 –			
16:00 –	Raffle Prizes & Dragon Boat Winner Prizes		
16:30 –			
17:00 –	Samuel Ashton & The Instincts		
17:30 –			
18:00 –			

Have you thought about becoming a parent governor?

Hi, I'm Reverend Melissa and I am chair of governors. Being a school governor is a great way to support the school as they encourage and help pupils grow into the amazing people we know they are. If you would like more information about being a parent governor, or know someone from the community who would like to join our team please contact me through the school office for a chat.



Term 6 2024

Monday 8th July:
Coastal Voice Project - Class 3 & Class 4

Tuesday 9th July:

Wednesday 10th July:
Mini Police Cadets & Mini Medics –
Class 5
Minecraft Coding Club – KS2

Thursday 11th July:

Friday 12th July:
Coastal Voice Project – Class 3 & Class 4

Go with the Flo...



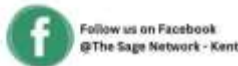
Every Monday from 10 am to 12 pm, come along and join us for gardening, meeting new people and a cup of tea at the Charlton Shopping Centre, High Street in Dover.

Why are we here?

Created through partnership and the knowledge that gardening in all its forms is valuable to everyone's mental and physical health. Vulnerable people and carers are at the centre of what we do.

Please drop in or contact Wendy & Jessica via email at info@the-sage-network.co.uk for more information.

in partnership with



Mrs Debbie Morris – Family Liaison Officer

Thought for the Week

Always be
positive,
enjoy the music
of rain
on a rainy day.

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GOLDEN MANNER POINTS

1st - Reception Class - 82 points

Joint 2nd

Class 1 and Class 4

75 points



Cleaner required

Kent Range 3 (£23,337 full-time annual salary) prorated to 3 days a week

3.15 – 5.30pm Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday - Term time only

We are looking for a trustworthy, reliable, punctual, self-motivated individual to join our friendly school.

Duties will involve maintaining daily cleaning standards within school: dusting, vacuuming, mopping, emptying bins, cleaning corridors, classrooms and toilet areas and all related duties.

St. Mary's Church of England (VA) Primary School is committed to child protection/safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children, we expect all staff and volunteers to share this duty of care. All applicants will be subject to safer recruitment procedures and will require satisfactory references and an enhanced DBS check.

The School will undertake an online check of shortlisted candidates in accordance with the requirements of Keeping Children Safe in Education.

Please note that it is an offence to apply if you are barred from engaging in regulated activity relevant to children.

Please apply through Kent-teach.com using the following link:-

<https://www.kent-teach.com/Recruitment/Vacancy/VacancyDetails.aspx?VacancyId=136144>

For further details, please contact Lorraine Windsor, Business Manager at St. Mary's Church of England (VA) Primary School at the address/telephone number above. Alternatively email:

business.manager@stmarysprimary.net

Closing date: 9am Thursday, 11th July 2024



Lunch Menu – Week 1
Week beginning Monday 8th July 2024

Please follow the link below to register and pay for your child's meals:
<https://chandcoparents.myschoolmealorders.com/login>

£2.67 per day – All meals must be paid in advance

WEEK ONE		WEEK COMMENCING			15/04/2024, 06/05/2024, 17/08/2024, 08/07/2024	
		MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
YOUR MENU THIS WEEK	MAIN MEAL	Margherita Pizza (gluten, milk, soya, may contain egg) (v)	Butter Chicken with Rice (milk)	Sausage Toad & Gravy (egg, gluten, milk, soya) (v)	Beef Bolognese & Pasta (gluten)	Fish Fingers (fish, gluten)
	MAIN MEAL TWO	Salmon Fishcake (fish, salmon) (gluten)	Mac n Cheese (gluten, milk) (v)	Meatfree Mince & Yorkshire (egg, gluten, milk, soya) (v)	Five Bean Chili Nachos (gluten) (v)	Herby Lentil Flatbread (gluten, milk, soya, may contain egg) (v)
	SIDES	Baked Potato Wedges, Baked Beans, Homemade Bread (gluten, milk, soya, may contain egg), Salad	Sweetcorn, Tomato & Garlic Bread (gluten, milk, soya, may contain egg), Salad	Roast Potatoes, Winter veg medley, Crusty bread (gluten, may contain soya), Salad	Sweetcorn, Green Beans, Homemade Bread (gluten, milk, soya, may contain egg), Salad	Chips, Peas, Homemade Bread (gluten, milk, soya, may contain egg), Salad
	DRINKS	Flapjack with Apple (gluten) (v)	Chocolate Biscuit (milk, gluten) (v)	Ice Cream (milk) (v)	Sticky Apple Cake (egg, gluten, milk, soya) (v)	Winter Fruit Strudel & custard (egg, gluten, milk) (v)
	Available: daily	Jacket potatoes with beans, cheese (milk), fresh fruit v-vegetarian vg-vegan				

MENU IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE SHOULD INGREDIENTS BE UNAVAILABLE

As always, please don't hesitate to make contact via email or telephone with any queries, comments or concerns you may have.

Helen Comfort - Executive Headteacher
Matthew Lamprell – Head of School
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<https://www.st-marys-dover.kent.sch.uk/>
<https://www.facebook.com/St-Marys-C-of-E-Primary-School-820857021275490/>
<https://twitter.com/stmarysdover>

HOW TO BUY SCHOOL UNIFORM THIS SUMMER

*BOOK EARLY
BUY EARLY
AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT*

BOOK YOUR APPOINTMENT OR BUY ONLINE BEFORE AUGUST 12TH

After that date uniform may not be with you in time for the new term.

Contact: 01304 206887 or 01304 206888