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# St George's Hanover Square C of E Primary School Newsletter

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Dear Parents and Carers,  
Thank you so much for the amazing effort you all went to this week in helping your child dress up as a word for Word Aware Day. Take a look overleaf at just some of the wonderfully creative Word Aware Day costumes! All the children have their fantastic costume photo displayed in their classroom. We enjoyed celebrating a wealth of English vocabulary and learning lots of new words. Children took part in a special assembly and played word games in class. Best wishes, Ms Barnes (Head of School) and Mr Webb (Executive Headteacher)

## Coffee Mornings

Coffee mornings are a chance for parents and carers to find out more about how to help their child at home. These will be in the school hall with Ms Barnes or Ms Ajmal. Please see this half term's dates below, we look forward to seeing you there.

*Tuesday 11th March at 9.05am - How to read with your child at home*

*Tuesday 25th March at 9.05am - How to manage challenging behaviour*



## Mount street gardens after school

We have had a couple of concerns from residents about children being very noisy - chasing each other shouting and screaming in Mount Street Gardens after school. We are fortunate to have these gardens right next to our school for use and we want children to always show our school in the best light.

Please help us to maintain good relations with our neighbours and promote the school's good reputation in the community by considering any after school play in n Mount Street Gardens.



## Word Aware Day

The children and staff thoroughly enjoyed celebrating vocabulary and learning new words yesterday. It was fantastic to see children teaching each other the definitions of words and being able to put those words in context. We are delighted that Word Aware Day was so successful and that it enabled us to introduce over 100 words to St George's children. We look forward to seeing children applying their new vocabulary knowledge to their reading and writing. Please ask your child to tell you some of the words that they learned yesterday - the more they talk about them, the more they'll remember them!

Children who read regularly learn much more vocabulary than children who don't, so please keep talking to and reading with your children! Thank you for your help with this :)



I have received and read the St George's CE Primary School newsletter of 07.03.25.

Name of child \_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE RETURN THIS SLIP TO THE SCHOOL OFFICE AND YOUR CHILD MIGHT WIN A PRIZE :)

## Important dates for your diary.....



Tuesday 11th March at 9.05am - Coffee morning - How to read with your child at home

Wednesday 19th March at 2.30pm - Spring Term Music Concert in school

Monday 24th March - last week of after-school enrichment clubs

Tuesday 25th March at 9.05am - Coffee morning - How to manage challenging behaviour

Friday 28th March - Non-uniform day - please bring £1 for charity

Friday 28th March - Mothering Sunday Eucharist at 2.15pm at the Grosvenor Chapel

Friday 4th April 2024 - end of the Spring Term

EASTER HOLIDAYS

Tuesday 22nd April - first day of the Summer Term

This week's winners of George the attendance bear are the **Year 1 and 2 class with 96%** - well done!



## Person of the week



Nursery and Reception class - Alaa  
Year 1 and Year 2 class - Pippa  
Year 3 and Year 4 class - Frederica  
Year 5 and Year 6 class - Zak N

## Red Nose Day...

Families at St George's show our Christian Values of **Compassion, Community, Friendship and Respect** by supporting others who are less fortunate than themselves. **Friday 21st March is Red Nose Day** at St George's. Red Nose Day raises money for **Comic Relief**, a charity that raises money to support vulnerable communities in the UK and internationally. Your donations to Comic Relief make a huge difference to the lives of millions of people across the UK and around the world, supporting people to break free from poverty, violence and discrimination. **This year, we are asking the children to bring in a £1 donation to buy a red nose for Comic Relief.** We will have a special **Red Nose Day assembly on March 21st.**



## Work of the week

Year 3 & 4 were asked to write a non-chronological report about the Celts. They researched facts about the Celts including tools and weapons, religion and food.



In her non-chronological report, Jennah was able to use key facts to describe what we have learnt about the Celts and how they changed Britain during the Iron Age. She has used formal language and tone in her report to describe in detail the life of Celts in Britain.

Well done!



*Loving God,  
We pray for people caught up in conflict,  
For those suffering or afraid,  
That you will be close to them and protect them.  
May we walk in your ways so that peace and justice become a reality for all people throughout the world  
Amen*



## Don't let a little worry turn into a big one...

If you or your child are worried about something or have any questions, please phone the school office and book an appointment to see their class teacher, Ms Barnes or Ms Ajmal.

**We are always really pleased to meet with you and chat things through.**



# Word Aware Day 2025



Thank you to all children for your fantastic costumes!



