



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

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Children at St George's take part in a comprehensive PE curriculum which helps them develop their fitness and skills. We are always looking to improve the children's levels of physical activity at school, so on Wednesday 23rd September all the children will be taking part in a Healthy Heart Day. This is a sponsored event involving the children joining in with Healthy Heart activities throughout the day; including Zumba dancing, a skipping workshop, circuit training, making a healthy snack and learning about healthy bodies and minds. Your child will have brought a letter home about this last week - please join Years 1-6 for a 10 minute warm up at 9am on the day, if you can.

With best wishes, Ms Mitchell (Head of School) and Ms Dyson (Executive Headteacher)

School Council...

To help children learn about our British Value of democracy, we elect a school council every year. Those children in Y1-Y6 who wanted to put themselves forward, prepared a short manifesto explaining why they thought that they had the qualities needed to be a school council member. Each class then had an anonymous vote. Well done to all of those who were brave enough to put themselves forward! The school council represent their classmates and bring ideas and questions to Ms Mitchell and Ms Ajmal in order to help them to make our school even better.

Congratulations to the children who were voted in by their classmates:



Year 1 and Year 2: Tallia and Matthias

Year 3 and Year 4: Alexia and Elliot

Year 5 and Year 6: Fatima and Yasir

Parents working alongside children...

Have you ever wondered how children are taught in school? This term, we are offering parents and carers the opportunity to join in a class lesson alongside their child and then have a discussion with the class teacher and a senior leader about what you have seen and how it may be similar or different to your own experience of schooling.

Please check the dates overleaf and look out for a letter about this going home in children's book bags in the coming weeks.



Friends of St George's meeting...

St George's parent group is open to any parents or carers who would like to be involved in helping with school community events. Any parents are welcome to offer their help on an event by event basis; there is no membership or requirement to help every time.



We will be holding a Friends of St George's meeting on Monday 21st September in the school hall to plan for the Family Fancy Dress Disco on Friday 9th October. We are looking for parents to help with asking local businesses for donations for raffle prizes and for parents to help with running stalls at the disco. Please come along to the meeting or speak to Ms Mitchell if you are able to help.

I have received and read the St George's C of E Primary School newsletter of 18.9.26

Name of child _____ Class _____

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

Important dates for your diary...

Wednesday 23rd September – Healthy Heart Day

Thursday 24th September- Non-uniform Day- Children donate £1 to charity and wear their own clothes

Friday 9th October- Family Fancy Dress Disco- 6-7.30pm- tickets on sale soon!

Monday 12th October- Wednesday 14th October- Year 6 residential visit to Sayers Croft

Tuesday 13th October- Parents Working Alongside Children in Year 1 and 2- invitation to be sent out soon

Wednesday 14th October- Parents Working Alongside Children in Year 3 and 4- invitation to be sent out soon

Tuesday 20th October- Parents Working Alongside Children in Year 5 and 6- invitation to be sent out soon

Wednesday 21st October- Parents Working Alongside Children in Nursery and Reception- invitation to be sent out soon

Thursday 22nd October- Non-uniform Day- Children donate £1 to charity and wear their own clothes

Friday 23rd October 9.30am - Eucharist service at St George's Church (Harvest thanksgiving)

Half term- Monday 26th October- Friday 30th October
Tuesday 24th November- School photo day



Person of the Week!

Nursery and Reception- Aizel

Year 1 and 2 – Elian

Year 3 and 4– Elliot

Year 5 and 6 – Jennah



Attendance...

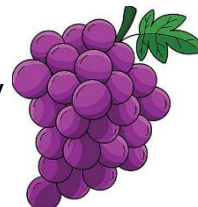
Congratulations to **Nursery and Reception** who have been awarded George, our Attendance Bear, for having the **BEST ATTENDANCE** last week.



Please make sure your child is in school every single day unless they are too unwell to come to school.

Choking Hazards...

A reminder that, if you are including grapes or other healthy snacks that are small in your child's lunch box, please cut the grapes, or other healthy items, into halves or quarters to avoid them being a choking hazard. Thank you.



Work of the Week!

This week's brilliant piece of work displayed in the school is by Aylah in Year 2.

As part of their Maths curriculum, Year 2 have been learning about place value. Aylah has completed some fantastic maths learning in which she has successfully partitioned numbers to 100. She has been able to use her problem solving and reasoning skills to work out missing numbers in part-part-whole models.



Well done, Aylah!

Our Prayer of the week...

God of wisdom,

We thank you for all the gifts that you have given us,

We praise you for giving us life,

We thank you for each new day and each new opportunity as we face fresh challenges.

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 Mitchell or Ms Ajmal.

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

