

St Saviour's Church of England Primary School

SUMMER 2 WEEK 5

Let God transform you into a new person by changing the way that you think – Romans 12:2 NLT

Dear Parents and Carers,

This week was a very busy week filled with sports, music and welcoming visitors from abroad!

KS1 Sports Day

On Thursday, KS1 had their sports day on the field. There was lots of excitement from children (and parents!) as they completed a carousel of activities.





Japanese Delegation Visit

On Thursday, St Saviour's were visited by a delegation from Japan. They had seen the BBC footage and wanted to find out more about the work the children had been doing. They joined us for Collective Worship and visited classes. They were incredibly impressed with the achievements of the school community and moved by the passion and empathy of the children.

Music Concert

On Wednesday, our talented musicians performed for their parents and the whole school. We were so proud of the courage that they showed to confidently play in front of us all. They displayed the rewards of having tenacity and it was a real treat for everyone! A huge well done to **Yoko, Toviel, Stella, Frances, Ozan, Ibuki, Ellen, Ada, Amelita, Beckett, Gabriel, Lucas, Josephine, Amelia, Bing, Shiloh, Sofia, Roscoe, Luki, Rodi, Ethan, Sebastian, Hannah and**

Arlo!

<u>Polling Day</u>

After learning about democracy, the different political parties and their manifestos and the voting process, our KS1 & KS2 pupils had an opportunity to vote in our school's polling day. The event was led by our Year 5 & 6 School Council representatives and they ensured that all procedures were followed correctly. We will be announcing our results to the children on Monday 8th July and will see how our votes compared to the nation's!



Transition Days

Today, the children all had the opportunity to meet their new teachers either in person or virtually. It was a lovely afternoon where they found out more about their teachers for September!

Inspired by our talented musicians, I would like to end with a quote which links to our school value of tenacity: **'If you're** *sufficiently tenacious and interested, you can accomplish anything that you want to in this world.'* Yours faithfully,

Miss Cherry



COLLECTIVE WORSHIP

This week in collective worship we looked at our project 'We Cannot Walk Alone. We learnt that the theme for Refugee week 2024 is 'Our Home' and we watched a video from RefugeeWeek which explained that home can be a place of refuge, a feeling or a state of mind. It can be found in smells, tastes and sounds. Home can be more than one place and finding it can be a journey, as it is for so many people who have to leave their countries and rebuild their lives. Sometimes we can find home in a single person. Other times it's in a whole community. And often, it's in a single gesture of care and welcome.

The vision for RefugeeWeek 2024 is "Together we can make our home a more welcoming, safe and sustainable place for all." In Collective worship we found out that we have the opportunity to sponsor another family. Our cultural festival this year will be an opportunity to raise funds and awareness about this issue to our local community. We will display our artwork and writing, and there will be exciting activities to raise money for this family. We also looked at what artwork each year group will be working on.

What does 'home' mean to you? How can you help those in need?

VALUES CARD AWARD



Well done to Evie, Maya, Hannah, Ada & Milo who have collected 5 value cards for consistently showing our school values. Keep up the great work!





STARS OF THE WEEK



Reception Clementine & Imani



Year 1 Arlen & Milo



Year 2 Seth & Sophia



Year 3 Shiloh & Kimaya



Year 4 Bella & Olivier

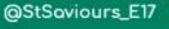


Year 5 Joseph & Ellis



Year 6 Chioma & Matthew





PROGRESS CUP WINNERS

A huge well done to **Suki & Nia** who are this week's Progress Cup winners!



ATTENDANCE AWARDS

Well done to

Y3 Albert Einstein

99.43%

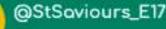
&

Y4 Copernicus 97.92%

who have won the attendance mascots this week.

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YOUNG TRANSFORMER AWARD

This year, Waltham Forest Music Service has been working in partnership with the Royal Opera House to bring to life one of Mozart's most loved operas: The Magic Flute. This one-of-a-kind event will feature more than 700 primary school children from around Waltham Forest and will be a joyous celebration of the massive benefit and huge impact that music has on children's education. The production will feature members of the Little Choir of Joy and other young musicians from around the Borough. Our very own **Sadie Albert** was a part of this event and developed her confidence and creativity through these performances.



CULTURAL FESTIVAL 2024

We continue to be extremely proud of being a School of Sanctuary and the work we do as a community to support those in need, particularly the collaborative achievement in sponsoring a family. We can be particularly proud of this achievement (recognised in the London Faith awards, the BBC and the interview on LBC) as this family has not had to go through a dangerous ordeal to find safety.

The Home Office has approached us to see if we would support another family who are in great need of finding a safe and lasting home and are keen to continue their collaboration with us. We are honored and delighted that the good work we have started can continue. It also means that we can further educate our children about the issues around immigration and trafficking in the hope that their knowledge enables them to be considerate, knowledgeable and compassionate humans.

This brings us to our Cultural Festival which happens every year in the summer. We ask you to join us to fundraise for the resettlement of the new family so we can find a home for them and set it up with their happiness and future prospects in mind. There will be a number of ways in which you can support this initiative and of course your participation is completely voluntary. There is no obligation on you to donate or to raise money for this cause.

Our work is guided by the love we show to others so that each of us can flourish in this life.

We are really excited to share our **Cultural Festival and World Vision** celebration will be held again this year on **Friday 19th July 2024 from 2.30pm**. We look forward to seeing you all there.

ST SAVIOUR'S CULTURAL FESTIVAL & SUMMER FETE

FRIDAY 19TH JULY FROM 2:30PM

SINGING, DANCING, ICE CREAM, GAMES, FACEPAINT, FOOD & DRINK, ART EXHIBITION AND LOTS MORE!

> RAISING MONEY FOR THE SCHOOL OF SANCTUARY REFUGEE PROJECT



CALLING ON ALL BAKERS & FOOD CREATORS

BE PART OF OUR BAKE SALE

We're looking for cake and savoury bake donations to sell at the St Saviours Cultural Festival & Summer Fete on Friday 19th July at 2,30pm

PLEASE DROP OFF HOMEMADE AND SHOP-BOUGHT BAKES AT THE SCHOOL OFFICE BY MIDDAY ON FRIDAY 19TH JULY

PARENT CALENDAR JULY 2024

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
1	2	3 KS2 Sports Day Y3, Y4, Y5 & Y6	4 KSI Sports Day YI & Y2	5	6	7
8 Reception Sports Day	9	10	11 Y6 End of Year Performance - School Hall	12 Y6 Leavers Disco	13	14
15	16	17 Y6 Theatre Trip Lion King	18	19 Cultural Festival 2:30pm	20	21
22	23	24 Ice Cream Van for children End of Term 2pm Finish	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

TERM DATES 2024-2025

St Mary's, St Saviours and St Margaret's Term Dates 2024-25

Autumn Term 2024 First Half (32 Days)

INSET – Monday 2nd, Tuesday 3rd, Wednesday 4th INSET – Monday 2nd, Tuesday 3rd, Wednesday 4th Start – Thursday 5th September 2024 End – Friday 18th October 2024 Half Term: Monday 21st October-25th October Second Half (39 Days) Start – Monday 28th October 2024 End – Thursday 19th December 2024 Holidays: Friday 20th December 2024 to Friday 3rd January 2025

Spring Term 2025 First Half (29 Days)

INSET – Monday 6th January 2025 Start – Tuesday 7th January 2025 End - Friday 14th February 2025 Half Term: Monday 17th February 2025 – Friday 21st February 2025 Second Half (30 Days) Start - Monday 24th February 2025 End - Friday 4th April 2025 Holidays: Monday 7th April to Monday 21st April 2025

Summer Term 2025

First Half (23 Days) Start – Tuesday 22nd April 2025 End - Friday 23rd May 2025 Half Term: Monday 26th May 2025 - Friday 30th May 2025 Holidays May Day Bank Holiday: Monday 5th May 2025 Spring Bank Holiday: Monday 26th May 2025 (during Half Term) Second Half (37 Days) Start - Monday 2nd June 2025 End – Tuesday 22nd July 2025



Term dates for next academic year can also be found on the school website by following this linkhttps://www.stsaviourscofe.org/school/term-dates/



Term Dates 0-0 2023-2024

Autumn Term 2023

First Half (35 Days) INSET – Monday 4th, Tuesday 5th and Wednesday 6th September 2023 Start – Thursday 7th September 2023 End – Friday 20th October 2023 Half Term: Monday 23rd October 2023- Friday 27th October 2023 Second Half (38 Days) Start – Monday 30th October 2023 End – Wednesday 20th December 2023 Holidays: Thursday 21st December 2023 to Friday 5th January 2024

Spring Term 2024

First Half (25 Days) INSET – Monday 8th January 2024 Start – Tuesday 9th January 2024 End - Friday 9th February 2024 Half Term: Monday 12th February 2024 – Friday 16th February 2024 Second Half (29 Days) Start - Monday 19th February 2024 End – Thursday 28th March 2024 Holidays: Friday 29th March to Friday 12th April 2024

Summer Term 2024

First Half (29 Days) Start – Monday 15th April 2024 End - Friday 24th May 2024 Half Term: Monday 27th May 2024 - Friday 31st May 2024 Holidays May Day Bank Holiday: Monday 6th May 2024 Spring Bank Holiday: Monday 27th May 2024 (during Half Term) Second Half (38 Days) Start - Monday 3rd June 2024 End – Wednesday 24th July 2024

This calendar gives a total of 194 (190 pupil days plus 4 inset days – Staff to work twilight sessions to make up 1 inset day).