



DATES

MARCH

Sunday 15th – Holy Communion Mass

Tuesday 17th – Rocksteady Concert at 10am

Thursday 26th – Nursery closes for Easter

Thursday 26th – Easter Assembly for the whole school

Thursday 26th – Easter Rabbit Run (pm)

Friday 27th – **School Closed**

APRIL

Monday 13th – School reopens at 8.50am

Monday 13th – Year 6 Parents Meetings

Sunday 19 – Holy Communion Mass

Thursday 23rd April – St George's Day

MAY

Monday 4th – Bank Holiday

Thursday 7th – Personal Safety Awareness (Y5&6 PM)

Saturday 9th – First Holy Communion

Monday 11th – **YEAR 6 SATS WEEK**

Saturday 16th – First Holy Communion

Friday 22nd – School Closes for half term at 3:30

JUNE

Monday 8th – School reopens at 8:50

Monday 8th – **Year 1 Phonics Screening Week**

Monday 8th – **Year 4**

Multiplication Check Week

Tuesday 9th – Class Photos for Reception and Year 6

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BRITISH SCIENCE WEEK



This week, our school has been buzzing with excitement as we celebrated **British Science Week 2026**, centred around the theme of *curiosity*. The children embraced the spirit of discovery brilliantly, asking thoughtful questions, testing ideas, and exploring the world around them with real enthusiasm. From watching colours separate through **chromatography**, to investigating **floating and sinking**, to learning about **backbones**, and experimenting with **air resistance**, every class threw themselves into hands-on science with energy and wonder.

It has been an amazing week of investigation and experimentation, and the joy on the children's faces said it all. Their curiosity led them

to surprising findings, creative thinking, and plenty of "wow" moments. We are incredibly proud of how engaged and inquisitive they have been, and we hope this week has inspired them to keep exploring, questioning, and discovering long after Science Week has ended.

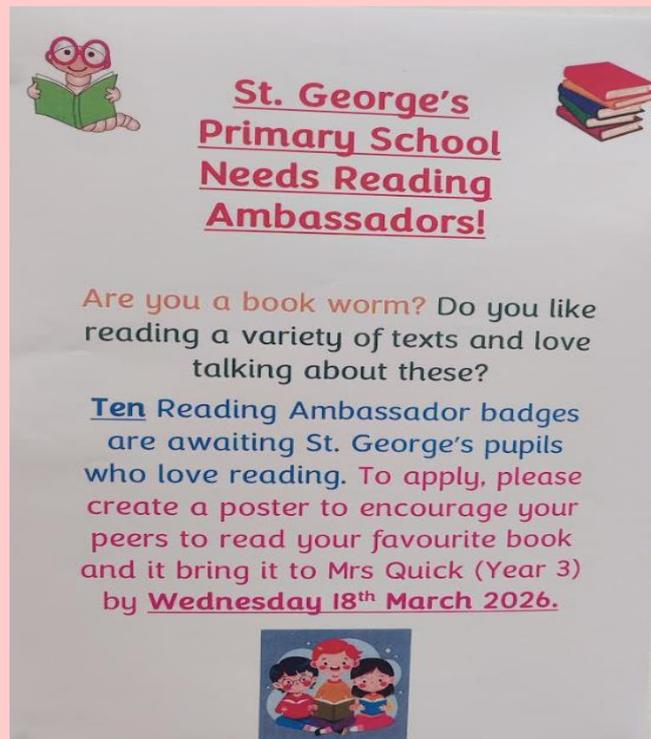


CELEBRATION OF THE WORD

During this week's *Celebration of the Word*, the children explored the theme of kindness, reflecting deeply on the parable of the Good Samaritan. They talked about what it truly means to notice when someone needs help and to respond with compassion, even when it isn't easy or convenient. Through discussion, prayer, and shared examples, the children thought about how they can be more like the Good Samaritan in their own daily lives—showing kindness on the playground, offering help to a friend, or choosing gentle words when others are struggling. It was a thoughtful and inspiring time, reminding us all those small acts of kindness can make a big difference.

READING AMBASSADORS

You may have heard your children talking about the colourful posters around the corridors needing Reading Ambassadors. Our Reading Ambassadors will help promote a love of books across the school by recommending great reads, supporting younger children during reading time and helping to organise special reading events. If your child is passionate about books, enjoys talking about stories and would like to inspire others, we would love them to get involved. Application details can be found on the posters around school—encourage your child to take a look and consider joining our team of reading champions. Thank you to Mrs Quick for organising this.



MOTHERS DAY IN THE EYFS



We would like to extend a heartfelt **thank you** to all our parents and carers who joined us in Nursery and Reception for our Mother's Day celebrations this week. It was truly special to see the children

proudly showing their loved ones around their classrooms, sharing their learning and enjoying time together in school. The joy on their faces said everything — they were so excited to welcome you into their space and celebrate the important people in their lives. Your presence helped make the occasion meaningful and memorable for the children, and we are grateful for the warmth, support, and community spirit you bring to our early years. We hope you enjoyed the activities as much as the children enjoyed sharing them with you.

PARKING

We kindly ask all families to take extra care when parking before and after school. We have received several concerns from local residents about cars blocking driveways and designated parking spaces, which makes it difficult for them to access their homes. Please ensure that you park considerately, leaving enough space for residents to enter and exit their properties safely.

These busy times of day also mean that the roads around school can become congested very quickly. We ask everyone to drive slowly, patiently, and with heightened awareness of children and families crossing the road. A few extra moments of care can make a big difference in keeping our school community safe and maintaining positive relationships with our neighbours.



CLEANER WANTED

We are currently looking to appoint a reliable and hardworking cleaner to join our team and help look after our lovely school. The position is for 12.5 hours per week, carrying out after-school cleaning duties. If you, or someone you know, may be interested in this role and would like more information, please contact the school office for further details.



UNIFORM

When children return after Easter break, we will be in our **summer uniform**. Please check out the school website (PARENTS UNIFORM). Please do not send your children in with trainers, sandals, or shoes that can easily slip off. For health and safety reasons, all shoes should be sturdy to prevent slipping and accidents while the children are out on the field. As usual, all shoes should be black. Thank you.

Years 1-6 Summer Term ONLY

Girls

Simple red gingham dress (not striped)
White socks **OR**
Grey shorts/trousers & white polo

Boys

White polo shirt
Grey shorts.
Grey socks

FOOTBALL

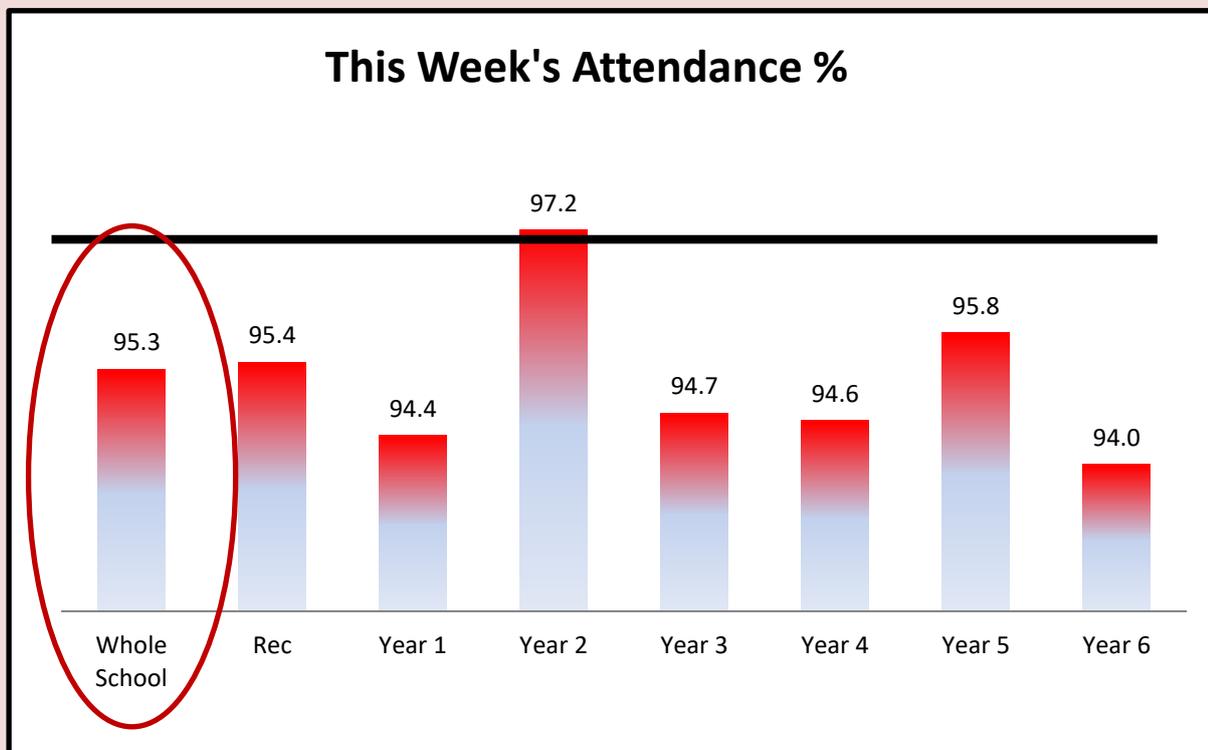
Our football teams have had an eventful week, and we are incredibly proud of their effort, attitude, and sportsmanship. On Tuesday, the boys faced a strong Summerhill side. Although Summerhill were the physically bigger team, our boys showed real determination and teamwork throughout the match. They battled brilliantly from start to finish and were very unlucky to come away with a narrow **1-0 defeat**. Their resilience and positive spirit were a credit to the school.

Unfortunately, Thursday's girls' match against Summerhill had to be postponed due to the bad weather. While the team were disappointed not to play, they are already looking forward to the rearranged fixture and continuing their fantastic progress this season.



ATTENDANCE

As a school, we are below our school target. **The school target is 97% - as represented by the black line.**



Well done to Y2 for getting above our school target for the second week in a row!