



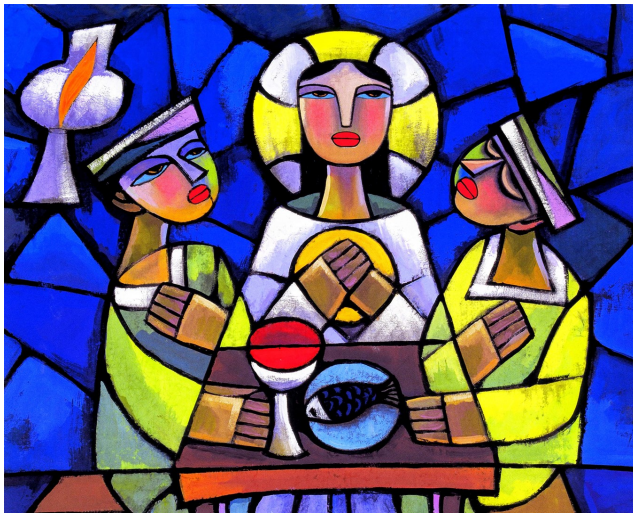
St. Michael's Newsletter

Friday 14th May

Dear parents,

This week in collective worship we have thought about the way that our **friendships** are strengthened by spending time together.

Classes have looked at this picture by the artist He Qi.



He Qi painted a picture to show a time when Jesus went to the house of a family, Martha and Mary, who had shown him **kindness** and **friendship**.

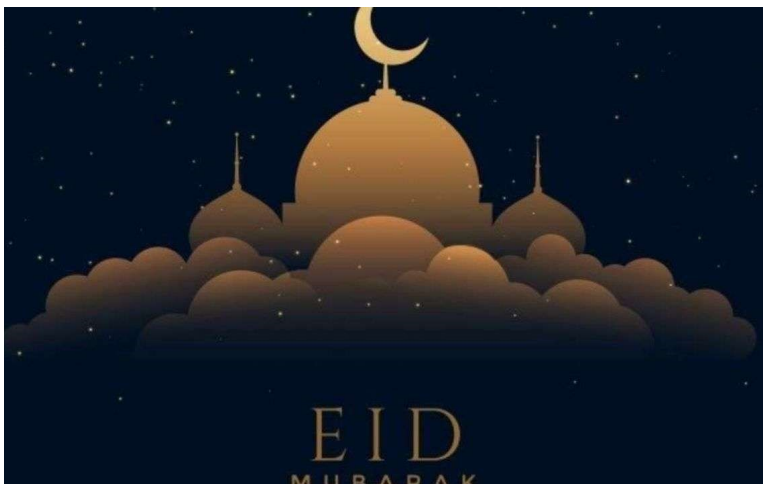
As we move into next week, we will continue to learn from the message of Martha and Mary: we must make time for **friendships** to grow.

Next week, I would like to welcome Jodie Brown, who will become a familiar guest in our collective worships. Jodie is based in the Parish of St. Peter, Hall Green. We very much look forward to meeting Jodie next week.

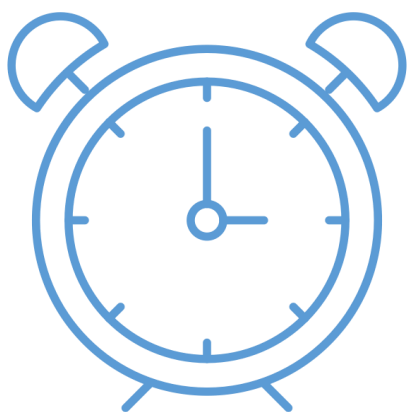
Finally, please read page 2 of this newsletter, which outlines some key changes happening in school.

I hope you have a blessed and restful weekend. I look forward to welcoming you all back on Monday.

Mr. D. Rogers



Eid Mubarak to all families who celebrated yesterday. I hope you have had a great day with your friend and family. May God's blessings be showered on you on.



School Day

The start and end of the school day has been amended slightly. Please ensure your child arrives to school on time. It is really important to ensure children arrive on time so that they are able to take part in all learning.

Children will still enter via **Scholars Close** and line up in the playground. Reception will still enter from the **Piers Road** entrance. Normal Covid-19 protocols will still be in place.

Year Group	Start Time	Collection Time
Year 1	08:40	15:10
Year 2		
Year 3		
Reception	08:45	15:15
Year 4		
Year 5		
Year 6		

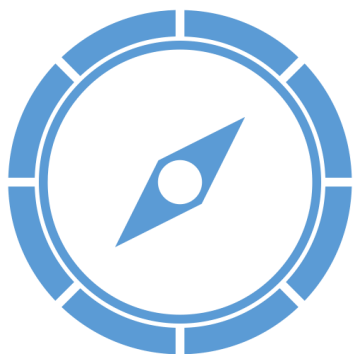
Day	Class
Monday	Year 2
	Year 3
	Year 4
Tuesday	Year 2
	Reception
Wednesday	Year 1
	Year 5
Thursday	Year 6 (Swimming)
	Year 4
	Year 5
Friday	Year 1
	Year 3

PE

Please ensure your child comes to school in their PE kit on the correct day. The blue school jumper should be worn on PE days.



School Trips



From Monday 17th May, there are changes to school's guidance on operating during Covid-19. I am delighted to say that school trips can now take place.

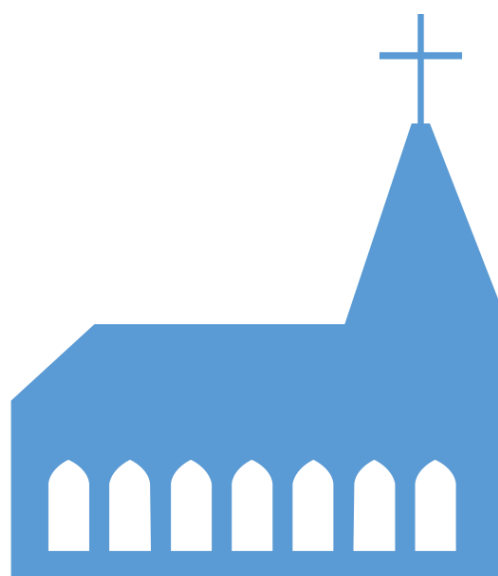
During the second half of the summer term, there will be a whole-school geography fieldtrip taking place to Earlswood. There will be more information about this coming out to you next week.

In addition to a whole-school geography fieldtrip, all year groups will be visiting a place of worship, such as the Church, Mosque or Temple. Mrs. Okolie is working hard to organise this. Look out for more information on this.



Towards the end of the second half of the summer term, we will be holding a wild food day inclusive of Fairtrade. As a school, we will look at the Fairtrade Foundation and how this is one simple way that each global citizen can spark change.

If you can remember pre-Covid-19, we started a whole-school end of year service. This year, to celebrate moving to the next year, and giving thanks for the year we have had, we will be holding this service again. As restrictions start to be lifted, this will either be held virtually or in the school playground (socially distanced).



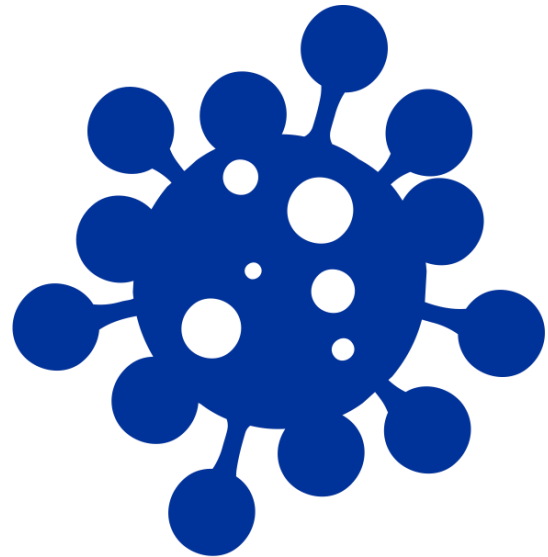
Symptoms

If your child has:

- ⇒ a high temperature
- ⇒ a new continuous cough
- ⇒ a loss or change to their sense of smell or taste

They must isolate **immediately** and not come to school. If any of these symptoms are displayed a test should be booked. Please remember to inform school of these result as soon as possible.

Later flow home testing kits are available for families of primary pupils.



[Click here to order your](#)
[home testing kit](#)

Attendance



Are you on time? EVERY MINUTE COUNTS

MINUTES LATE PER DAY	EQUIVALENT OF MISSING	HOW MANY LESSONS THIS IS MISSED
5 MINUTES	3.4 SCHOOL DAYS A YEAR	17 LESSONS
10 MINUTES	6.9 SCHOOL DAYS A YEAR	35 LESSONS
15 MINUTES	10.3 SCHOOL DAYS A YEAR	51 LESSONS
20 MINUTES	13.8 SCHOOL DAYS A YEAR	69 LESSONS
30 MINUTES	20.7 SCHOOL DAYS A YEAR	104 LESSONS



Yearly Attendance						
Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
91%	96%	95%	94%	95%	95%	95%

Certificate of Achievement



Reception	Duaa has produced outstanding written work all week.
Year 1	Paul has been working really hard to contribute ideas in the classroom.
Year 2	Natalie for being a positive role model and playing with others.
Year 3	Siraj for being a positive contributor to the classroom environment.
Year 4	Denis for making excellent progress in Maths. Outstanding - keep it up.
Year 5	Caleb has been applying mathematical knowledge and vocabulary to his maths work.
Year 6	Mason has produced exemplary vocabulary for his writing work.

St. Michael's Housepoints

Weekly Housepoints



Housepoint Totals

