

St Mary's CEVA Primary





Academy Newsletter











"Do Everything in Love" 1 Corinthians 16:14

Friday 30th September 2022





As we launch into Autumn and the colour of the trees change; we are reminded of the call to reflect and consider the actions we have taken and the way we can impact positively on our lives and those around us. This week we have considered our key value of forgiveness. The 25th September was the start of the Jewish New Year, Rosh Hashanah; this festival calls the community reflect, ask for forgiveness for the things they have done and consider how they

can make positive changes for the future. What a fantastic idea! I wonder what you would change?

This week we received a wonderful award from Keltering Football Club. Mr Collins, who leads PE, has developed strong links with the club and the school. Every child will receive a free ticket to attend a match. How exciting!



Mrs Perry took a trip to the Maritime Museum, where our flag of Hope which has been chosen is on display! What a wonderful tribute to the Queen and to our desire to bring Hope to the lives of others.







Open Day for EYFS September 2023

We are pleased to share that we will be holding an open day on 24th November for children joining our school in EYFS September 2023. Two sessions will be held at 2pm and 5pm. If you have a preschool child they are welcome to attend. Please note: there will be a presentation and, in the hall, followed by a walk around the school.

PFA

We would like to say a HUGE thank you to our PFA team and staff for organising a really successful school disco for our children. Lots of fun was had by all and was an absolute joy to see the happiness and excitement on our children's faces.

Parents' Evenings 10th and 13th October 2022

I would like to invite you to attend our Parents' Evening week commencing 10th March. These sessions will be held in person in school on Mon 10th October and virtually on Thurs 13^{th} October to give you the option easiest for you.

Both days can be booked using our online appointment booking system and video appointment system. This allows you to choose your own appointment times with teachers and you will receive an email confirming your appointments.

Appointments can be made from 30th September 10.00am. Should you wish to make any changes after this date please contact the school office.

Please visit https://stmarysprimarykettering.parentseveningsystem.co.uk to book your appointments. (A short guide on how to add appointments is included with this letter.) Login with the following information:

Student's First Name: Student(s) First Name

Student's Surname: Student(s) Last Name

By making a booking for a virtual appointment using this system you are agreeing to the video facility and agree that you will not record the session in any way.

If you do not have access to the internet, please contact the school office who will be happy to arrange a telephone appointment on your behalf.



PARENT

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An opportunity for parents and carers to share new ideas for our school with Ms Starkey!
What's going well? — What could school do better? All reedback and ideas welcome!

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22nd November 2022 at 3:30pm

25th January 2023 at 5:30pm

22nd March 2023 at 1:45pm

23rd May 2023 at 3:30pm



12th July 2023 at 5:30pm







Reading Volunteers needed!!



Help St Mary's pupils achieve! Fuller Street, Kettering, NN16 01H

Help build a foundation, and inculcate the love and joy for reading!

Gain valuable experience, with the chance to make a real difference in our children's lives!

We are seeking: Friendly, approachable volunteers who have a real love for reading, following our school's vision:

("Do everything in love" 1 Corinthians 16:14)

We need volunteers in the afternoons, with days and times to be discussed.

For more information, or if you would like to volunteer, please contact us on 01536 485500 or email us office@stmarysprimarykettering.co.uk







www.northnorthants.gov.uk/admissions



It's time to apply for a Reception place

www.northnorthants.gov.uk/admissions

APPLY FOR A SCHOOL PLACE

Does your child turn 4 on or before 31 August 2022?

DEADLINE:

5 p.m. Saturday 15 January 2022



St Mary's Primary School, Fuller Street in Kettering, are currently offering volunteer opportunities for students in Secondary Education e.g. work experience or students undertaking the Duke of Edinburgh Award, anyone looking to enhance their CV, or anyone who has spare time to share with our school family.

A little bit about us

We are a wonderful, nurturing and caring school where we encourage every child to meet their full potential. Our Christian values are the heartbeat of our loving school. As a fully inclusive school, we acknowledge the uniqueness of every child nurturing everyone to dream big and achieve.

Our school offers the highest educational provision within a creative and stimulating environment. We offer enrichment opportunities to extend, enhance and encourage active learning. Our children learn to love themselves, one another and the world.

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What is Volunteering work?

Volunteer experience involves unpaid work, usually for a non-profit organization, but the experience you gain in this type of work can be valuable in job interviews for a paid position. An effective way to use volunteer experience in a job interview is to connect the skills you learn in the role to the skills you need to succeed in your chosen career.

If you are interested in volunteering at our school, please do not hesitate to get in touch!

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Dates For Your Diary

PE Days

| EYFS | Monday & Thursday |
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| Mrs A Brown | Wednesday & Friday |
| Mrs C Hollingshurst | Tuesday & Friday |
| Mr P Savage | Monday & Thursday |
| Mrs Z Brown | Thursday & Friday |
| Miss A Welch | Tuesday & Wednesday |
| Miss K Perkins | Tuesday & Wednesday |
| Mrs N Heaney | Monday Year 6 swimming &Year 5 PE Tuesday both Year groups PE |
| Mrs S Perry | Monday's swimming Wednesday PE |

27th September Individual and sibling photos

29th September KSI and EYFS Disco taking take place between 5:15pm and 6:15pm

29th September KS2 Disco This event will take place between 6:30pm and 7:30pm

Week beginning 10th October-Parent Consultations

21st October - Flu Immunisations taking place in school

21st October - Parent Forum 1:30pm - 2:00pm

21st October - School closes to pupils for half term

1st November - school reopens to pupils

