



St George's C of E School

St George's CE Primary

Newsletter 19 – Friday 13th February 2026



What has been happening in school this week:-

-Miss Holt celebrated our Rockstars of the half term this week – well done to all those engaging with Numbots and TT Rockstars – see picture below.

-Nursery have had a lovely, fun-filled week learning about Chinese New Year while continuing their work on Traditional Tales. Wednesday was a real highlight, with the children coming dressed as their favourite characters and filling the classroom with excitement and imagination.

-This week, Year 1 have been working very hard on their handwriting. The children have been focusing on forming their letters correctly, while also making sure that they use the correct posture and pencil grip when writing at their tables. We are very proud of their efforts and can already see improvements in their work! Keep up the good work Year 1!

-Year 2 have completed their moving vehicles as part of their DT unit and they are all so proud of their creations, see social media for pictures.

-Miss Seddon and Year 4 have been busy, busy, busy this week! They have set up a new science investigation and made Miro - inspired sculptures.

- Our Y5 cohort have been busy "buzzing" with DT this week -creating circuits and using them to design cause and effect games. See social media

-Year 6 have been very busy with all things assessments this week and Miss Holt and Miss Fairbank could not be prouder of all the hard work that has paid off this half term. Year 6 Parents' Evening is now live and all assessment progress will be shared as part of this. Well done Year 6!

Diary Dates

Date	Event
4.3.26	YEAR 6 Parents' Evening – further information to follow PLEASE NOTE CHANGE OF DATE
5.3.26	World Book Day – see newsletter for further details.
30.3/31.3	Nursery – Year 5 Parents' Evening – further information to follow
2.4.26	School Closes for the Easter Holidays
20.4.26	School reopens to all pupils
12.5-15.5	Year 6 SATs Week
22.5.26	School closes for May Half Term
1.6.25	School reopens to all pupils
1.6.26	Year 4 multiplication checks to begin
8.6.25	Phonics Screening to begin
9.6.26	Class Photographs

We're rocking all over St George's!

As part of NSPCC Number Day 2026 we launched Times Table Rockstars for all children in Key Stage Two – pictured below are our rockstars of the half term – these are the children that have earned most coins on the platform over the last 30 days.

Children can earn coins by engage with all game types on the TT Rockstars platform – it is important that you encourage your child to engage with this little and often at home to increase Maths reasoning, fluency and problem solving.

Who will be our rockstars next half term?



St George's Rockstars of the half term:-

Name	Year	Coins earned
Rosie	3	16,403
Freddie	4	30,519
Baran	5	16,008
Maddie	5/6	25,946
Dexter	6	22,017



Congratulations to the stars of this week:

Stars of the week are awarded for excellent attitude towards learning, demonstrating outstanding behaviour, displaying compassion and respect towards others:

Nursery –Daisy
Reception –Isabella
Year 1 – Grace
Year 2 –Winnie
Year 3 – Chelsea
Year 4 – Oliver
Year 5 – Finlay
Year 5/6 – Mia H
Year 6 – Logan

Gospel Values Award

Children who demonstrated love and truthfulness within and around school:- Arthur, Nirvana, Ava- Grace, Ellis, Zoe, Mylah, Kye, Esme and Ethan

British Values Award

Children who demonstrated an understanding of Rule of Law including rules we adhere to and why they are important within and around school:- Elliot, Mason, Francesca, Giovanni, Bethan, Reet, Saffy and Whitney

Headteacher's Award

Millie - For settling very well into Nursery and being a cheerful, friendly member of the class.

Evie - For bringing positivity and cheerfulness to our school each day. You are a little sunshine!

Harry – You have been spotted by both Miss Holt and Mr Young over the last few weeks for getting busy, keeping your head down and getting really stuck in! Your wonderful assessment results are testament to all your hard work this half term – well done Harry.

Living Life in All Its Fullness Through History – Year 5 and the Maya

On Monday, our fantastic Year 5 cohort were transported back in time to the incredible world of the **Maya civilization**! Through an exciting drama and role-play workshop, the children explored the hierarchy, culture and traditions of the ancient Maya. They stepped into the shoes of rulers, priests, warriors and farmers, bringing history to life with enthusiasm, confidence and creativity.

The workshop was filled with energy, thoughtful questions and brilliant teamwork. Our pupils not only learned about how Mayan society was organised, but also experienced what daily life might have been like during this fascinating period of history.

It was wonderful to see such engagement and curiosity — they truly embraced the experience, and our workshop leader was incredibly impressed with their knowledge, behaviour and participation. A huge well done to Year 5 for their outstanding attitude and effort today. We certainly saw learning brought to life — a wonderful example of *“life in all its fullness”* from the **Gospel of John 10:10** actioned through History!

👏 Well done, Year 5 — we are so proud of you!



🏆 KS2 Shine at Sports Festivals 🏆

In sporting news this week, our KS2 children had a fantastic time attending both an Athletics Festival and a Gymnastics Festival. The children showed great enthusiasm, determination and teamwork in every event, truly living out our school vision of *“living life in all its fullness.”* They encouraged one another, tried their very best and represented our school beautifully. We are incredibly proud of all their efforts and the positive attitudes they demonstrated throughout both festivals.



All children in Key Stage One can now access Numbots and all children in Key Stage Two have access to Times Table Rockstars. All children have log in details on the inside cover of reading planners and Number Day certificates including specific log in instructions on the reverse. Please see class teachers with any questions/queries. Encourage your child to play little and often, every little helps!



