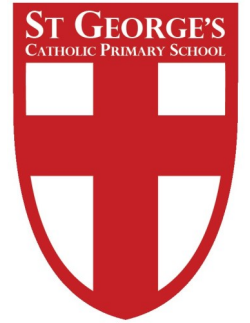




St George's Early Years

Term 2 2024 - 2025



Phonics

Reception: FFT phonics.

Word/sentence reading and writing. Bending and segmenting. Tricky/Red words and digraph sounds.

Nursery: Nursery Rhymes

General sound discrimination:

Rhythm and Rhyme

Alliteration

Introduction of letters and sounds.

Religious Education

- *Local Church*
CELEBRATING. People celebrate in Church.
- *Eucharist*. GATHERING.
Parish family gathers to celebrate Eucharist.
- *Islam*: Prayer Mats
- *Lent/Easter*. GROWING
Looking forward to Easter.

Six Key Areas of Early Mathematics Learning.

Following Mastering Number scheme.

Cardinality and Counting Understanding that the cardinal value of a number refers to the quantity, or 'howmanyness' of things it represents.

Comparison Understanding that comparing numbers involves knowing which numbers are worth more or less than each other.

Composition Understanding that one number can be made up from (composed from) two or more smaller numbers.

Pattern Looking for and finding patterns helps children notice and understand mathematical relationships.

Shape and Space & Measures.

Theme 1: Under the Sea

Exploring ocean life and sea creatures. Making ships and boats for floating and sinking experiments. Creating treasure maps to follow and learning about water safety.

Role play: Under the Sea & Pirate Ship.

Key Texts: The Rainbow Fish.

House for a Hermit Crab.

Pirates Love Underpants.

PE

Wednesday - children to come into school in PE kits. Our PE kit is a white t-shirt, black bottoms (shorts or trousers) and trainers.

Events in Term 2:

- **Parent/Carer Phonic Workshop - 21st Jan**
- Teddy Bears Hospital & Healthworks visits.
- Lunar/Chinese New Year.
- **'All at Sea' themed day - 31st Jan.**
- Teddy Bears picnic.
- **Palm Sunday Assembly - 4th April .**
- **Easter Craft Session - 7th April**

Please bring a coat and water bottle into school everyday.

Theme 2: New Life

Exploring the natural world. We will be planting and growing, and learning about animals and life cycles.

Easter Crafts and Activities.

The Easter Story.

Role play: Garden Centre

Key Texts: Rosie's Walk.

Jack and the Beanstalk.

The very Hungry Caterpillar.

Reading books are to come into school **every day.**

Library Books/Story Sacks and Reading Books will be changed **every Friday.**