

St Michael's News

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Spring Term, 20th March 2026



A message from Mrs Gordon:

What a difference a little bit of sunshine makes! It has been so lovely to see the children making the most of the beautiful weather, spending more time outdoors and taking their learning outside.

We've also had a busy and exciting time with school visits. Our trips to St. Michael's church were really special, and gave the children a chance to reflect and learn in a different setting. And of course, our Year 5 residential was a real highlight! The children threw themselves into every activity, showed fantastic teamwork, and were an absolute credit to the school. I think a few of them (and staff!) will be ready for an early night this weekend!

Finally, a very happy Eid to all of our families who are celebrating. We hope you have a wonderful time with loved ones.



Upcoming events:

23rd March - KS1 Easter Assembly

25th March - Y4 Easter Assembly

26th March - Parents Evening

27th March - Y5 Easter Assembly

30th March - KS1 Bonnet workshop

31st March - Y3 & Y6 Easter Assembly

1st April - KS2 Easter crafts workshop

KS1 Bonnet Parade 1pm

1:30 finish for Easter

Clubs

Monday

Y2 - Art club
Y6 - SATs tutoring
KS2 - Chess club

Tuesday

Wednesday

Reception - Fun Friends club
Y2 - Arts & Crafts club
Y1 - Phonics club
Y2 - Creative writing club
Y6 - Running club
Y3 - Health & fitness club
Y3 - DT club
Y5 - Drawing club

Thursday

Y2 - Spanish club
Y5/6 - Mini Vinnies club

Friday

Y5 - LFC Multi Skills club

As Lent draws to a close, we will be completing the Big Lent Walk on Friday 27th March to raise money for CAFOD.

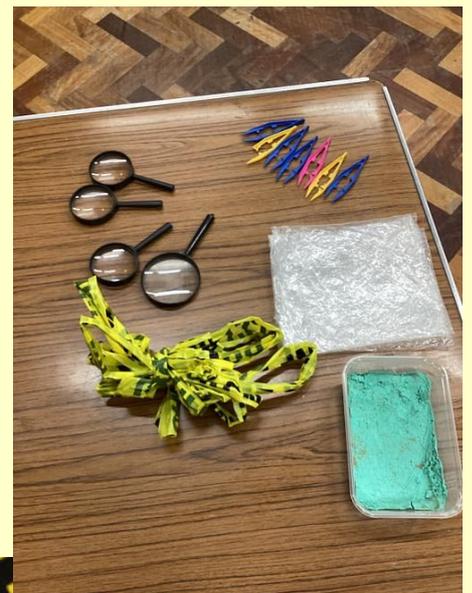
Donations of up to £1 are greatly appreciated.

British Science Week - Forensic Workshops



Last week, the Juniors all took part in a Forensic Science workshop. The children studied and analysed shoe prints, fingerprints and DNA evidence to find the criminal who had stolen money from a safe! The children loved this opportunity and we may have some budding criminal investigators here at St Michaels!!

Thank you to Mrs Forbes for organising this workshop for us all.



Summer Term - Key Dates



- 11th May - Y6 SATs week
- 22nd May - St Michael's Music Festival
- 22nd May - Finish for half term @ 3:20pm
- 22nd June - Aspire & Achieve week
- 2nd July - Children's University Graduation
- 8th July - Picnic Around the World Event
- 10th July - Sports Day (KS1 AM, KS2 PM)
- 16th July - Y6 Prom
- 17th July - Prizegiving Assemblies
- 20th July - Prizegiving Assemblies
- 29th July - Nursery Graduation
- 21st July - Y6 Leavers Assembly
- 21st July - Finish for summer @ 1:30pm

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It's official, we are live on instagram! Come and find us and follow our school page.

Our handle is: [stmichaelsrcps](https://www.instagram.com/stmichaelsrcps)



Food Bank

Opening Times

Monday–Thursday

8:30–9:00

2:45–3:30



Friday

3:00–3:30



Above and Beyond Hot Chocolate Winners

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Weekly Attendance:

R Shining Stars	95.6%
R Superstars	86.6%
Y1 Quick Thinkers	87%
Y1 Record Breakers	96.7%
Y2 Golden Wonder	95.2%
Y2 World Beaters	97.4%

Y3 Heroes	93.2%
Y3 Olympians	95.5%
Y4 Hotshots	93.5%
Y4 Inspirations	97%
Y5 High Achievers	98.9%
Y5 High Flyers	93%
Y6 Whizz Kids	96.2%
Y6 Champions	95.95

Attendance Ladder



Safeguarding:



Mrs Birch

Safeguarding Lead



Miss Sillitoe

Safeguarding Team
Member



Mrs Gordon

Headteacher
Deputy Designated
Safeguarding Lead



Jeanette Riley

Safeguarding
Governor



Sarah Reilly

Co- Designated
Safeguarding Lead

If you have any concerns or questions, please speak to a member of the team

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Term Dates 2025-2026

Autumn Term 2025 Term: Wednesday 3rd September–Friday 19th December

- **Pupils: Autumn Term 1** – Wednesday 3rd September to Wednesday 22nd October
 - **Half term: Thursday 23rd October to Friday 31st October**
 - **Pupils: Autumn Term 2** – Monday 3rd November to Friday 19th December
- Terms ends: Friday 19th December 2025

Spring Term 2026 Term: Monday 5th January – Wednesday 1st April

- **Pupils: Spring Term 1** – Monday 5th January to Friday 13th February
 - **February Half term: Monday 16th February – Friday 20th February**
 - **Pupils: Spring Term 2** – Monday 23rd February to Wednesday 1st April
- Term ends: Wednesday 1st April 2026

Summer Term 2026 Term: Monday 13th April to Tuesday 21st July

- **Pupils: Summer Term 1** – Monday 13th April to Friday 22nd
 - **May Half term: Monday 25th May to Friday 5th June**
 - **Pupils: Summer Term 2** – Monday 8th June to Tuesday 21st July
- Term Ends: Tuesday 21st July



Term Dates 2026-2027

Autumn Term 2026 *Term dates: Wednesday 2nd September - Friday 18th December*

Autumn Term 1

Pupils in school: Wednesday 2nd September to Wednesday 21st October

Half term: Thursday 22nd October to Friday 30th October **Inset day (pupils not in school):**

Tuesday 1st September

Autumn Term 2

Pupils in school: Monday 2nd November to Friday 18th December

Christmas holidays: Monday 21st December to Friday 1st January

Spring Term 2027 *Term dates: Monday 4th January - Thursday 25th March*

Spring Term 1

Pupils in school: Monday 4th January to Thursday 11th February

Inset day (pupils not in school): Friday 12th February

Half term: Monday 15th February to Friday 19th February

Spring Term 2

Pupils in school: Monday 22nd February to Thursday 25th March **Easter Holidays: Friday**

26th March to Tuesday 6th April

Summer Term 2027 *Term dates: Wednesday 7th April - Thursday 22nd July*

Summer Term 1

Pupils in school: Wednesday 7th April to Friday 21st May

Half term: Monday 24th May to Friday 4th June

Summer Term 2

Pupils in school: Monday 7th June to Thursday 22nd July

Staff Inset days (pupils not in school):

Tuesday 1st September 2026

Friday 12th February 2027