

School Newsletter



Spring Term - Friday 1st May 2026

Headteacher's update

Thank you to everyone who attended parents' evening this week. I hope it gave you a clear picture of your child's progress and an opportunity to celebrate their achievements so far this year.

Please remember that school will be closed on Monday due to the bank holiday, and also on Thursday as the school will be used as a polling station.

Wishing you all a wonderful long weekend.

The value for this half term is **Curiosity**



Weekly Attendance



4LG
6RH



RBS



4RB

Weekly News

The winning house
this week is...

AL-ZAHRAWI

House point winners

Rec Faith

Y1 Ayat F

Y2 Violet

Y3 Leona

Y4 Naomi

Y5 Zaiden

Y6 Talha

In computing, **Year 2** have been using Powerpoint to replicate images of steam engines linked to our history unit on the history of the railway.



Our **Year 3** class had a brilliant gardening session with Jannine from 'School Food Matters', learning about the importance of soil and planting out vegetables in our school garden. We are excited to eat what we grow in our school meals and also share with our community.



Year 4 enjoyed their trip to the Museum of Science and Industry on Tuesday. We all had a go at being ingenious engineers.



This term in Art **Year 2** are learning about different types of patterns. This week we went into the playground to find patterns in our environment.



The **Cricket squad** played their first competitive matches in the Manchester South Dynamo Cricket competition finishing 2nd place with 4/5 wins, missing out on 1st by only 2 runs in the final game.



Accelerated Reader

Top Ten Readers

Name	Class	Word count
Saba	4RB	3,439,582
Sophia	5KS	1,620,231
Hafsa	6RC	1,143,262
Safa R	4LG	1,045,012
Amr H	3RC	943,652
Liban M	6RH	912,490
Ayyan F	6RC	878,559
Atalia	4NA	738,809
Mohammed Al-B	5KS	737,487
Taiya	6RC	728,367

Mental health Awareness Week Parent and Carer Picnic

Wednesday 13th of May

in our school garden
8:45-10:00am

Join us in our beautiful garden to enjoy the birdsong, make nature mandalas, chat with other parents and mindfulness activities...

Book a place on the School Gateway app

mental health MATTERS



Rent a stall for just £15.00 to sell your homemade food, crafts, gifts, jewellery and more. You will keep all the profits you earn!

To book a stall contact:
Miss Marchant - a.marchant@st-margarets.manchester.sch.uk
Lisa (PTA Chair) - l.davieswrk@hotmail.com

Please note that the £15.00 for the stall will need to be paid at time of booking.

Online Safety Tip

Search results are chosen for you
Search engines personalise results based on past activity.



Try this at home: Compare search results on two different devices

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Our **Women only exercise classes** will continue in school on **Fridays from 9am to 10am** with Lindsey. £3 per session. Please use the links below to **pre-book** your sessions. **May booking form**
June/July booking form

Dates for your diary

Monday 4th May	School closed - Bank Holiday Monday
Thursday 7th May	School closed to children due to being used as a polling station
Friday 15th May	Reception trip to Blackpool Zoo Year 6 trip to Longford Park
Monday 18th May	Choir visit to Bridgewater Hall
Tuesday 19th May	Year 3 trip to Biddulph Grange
Wednesday 20th May	VR Workshop for year 4 and 5
Thursday 21st May	Year 5 trip to Jodrell Bank PTA Summer Fayre 3.15
Friday 22nd May	Inset day - School closed
Monday 25th to Friday 29th May	Half term holiday - School closed
Monday 1st June	School opens

Coffee Mornings - Wednesdays at 8.45am in the school hall.

- **6th May - Online Safety with Manchester Adult Education**

Practical sessions. Bring along your devices so that you can set up parental controls and more.

- **13th May - Mental health awareness picnic for parents / carers**



Parent activities and Workshops

- **Tuesdays, 8:45-10:00am. Computer and digital literacy for adults**
- **Fridays, 9:00-10:00am. Low intensity fitness class for women; £3**