

Our School Mission is what God sent us into the world to do – to help build His Kingdom through learning, playing and making friends together.

The tools we will use to do this are: Loving, Caring, Sharing, Trusting and Respect

Friday 11th September 2026

Hello!

We hope that you have had a good week. The children have been little superstars this week, settling into school wonderfully and taking everything in their stride, with only a few little wobbles! This week the children met their Unicorn buddies and spent some time with them. Every Imp gets a Unicorn buddy from Year 6 who will help look after them throughout their first year of school. We will do lots of fun things together over this coming year. The Unicorns will welcome their partners to the school on Monday 21st September at 2:30pm, for our Welcome Assembly and you are all invited.

In Daily Reflection this week we have been thinking about the word Trust. Trust is one of our Gospel Values and we spoke about the meaning of this e.g. we trust our friends to be kind. We lit our candles and listened to some music. The children have also started to help set up for reflection in the morning, getting the cloths ready, choosing what goes on our focal point etc.

"Trust God from the bottom of your heart: don't try to figure everything out on your own."
Proverbs 3:5

In RE this week, we thought about our Gospel Values at Stella Maris: love, care, share, trust and respect. See if your child can remember them? We especially focused on love and how we can show love to others. We also went for a walk outside to see what signs of autumn we could find and the children found lots. We took pictures of our findings and put them on our autumn table. We also shared the First Creation story from the Bible and the children helped to make a beautiful collage to show the story. We have put the collage on display in our classroom.

We will be starting PE on Wednesday 16th September. Children should wear plain black tracksuit bottoms or leggings, a plain white t-shirt and a school jumper or cardigan. There should be no logos on the clothing. Children should wear trainers on Wednesdays.

Our project this term is Fairy tales and our learning will be linked around the project. If your child has a fairy tale at home that they would like to bring in to share, they are very welcome to bring them in for us to read together. Please put your child's name in their book as we would not want to misplace it.

Extra Information

-Don't forget to look at the homework grid on the website. We have a homework board in class for the children to display their homework.

-Please can you make sure all clothing, coats, lunchboxes and water bottles are clearly labelled.

-Monday 21st September Imps Welcome Assembly at 2:30pm. It would be lovely to see you all there. Please go via the school office when arriving for assembly.

-On Wednesday 23rd September, we will be holding a Phonics workshop at 2:30pm in the school hall where you can find out all about our phonics scheme and how you can support your children with reading.

-Friday 9th October is Wear Yellow day. The children are invited to wear yellow for a donation of £1. All the money raised will go towards Young Minds Mental Health charity.

-End of term One is Thursday 22nd October at 3:15pm.

Have a wonderful weekend and we will see you on Monday where the children start full time (8:45am-3:15pm).

Mrs Jukes and Mrs Green