



# ST MARTINS SCHOOL

30 April 2021

It was lovely to see the school facilities put to good use over the Easter Holidays with NEW SAINTS FC FOUNDATION - FREE EASTER HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES AND FOOD PROGRAMME. More than 25 children attended and took part in a range of activities all organised to ensure they were COVID protocol compliant. Many of the parents commented on how the sessions helped their child overcome their anxieties and helped to introduce some normality into their day. They hope to run a similar programme in the summer—watch this space for further details!



I am planning a week long summer school to run 23-27 August which will be open to all the year 7 children joining us in September, the focus will be to support areas of the curriculum that may have been missed during the lockdowns in the last year and to help with the transition process. And I will share these with our year 6 students over the next few weeks.

**Just a reminder about the new start and finish times for September 2021**

At 3.05 Secondary students will be allowed to walk home or catch a bus. Students being collected by car will be assembled and supervised. They will then be released after the buses have left at 3.20.

	Nursery	Reception	Year 1 and 2	Years 3,4,5,6	Secondary all years
Start time	8.55	8.55	9am	9.10	8.40
Finish time	14.55	15.00	15.05	15.10	3.05

Have a lovely weekend, see you on Tuesday 4 May . Ms Lovecy



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## PE Uniform.

We are still asking students in secondary to come to school in their full PE kit on the days when they have PE. A reminder that this is:

A School PE POLO top and either school shorts/skorts OR PLAIN BLACK leggings or jogging bottoms. No other items are to be worn.

We have a selection of uniform in our inclusion centre that students will be asked to wear if they arrive for school in non uniform. A PLAIN BLACK sweatshirt or St Martins mid layer can be worn over the top.



**From September, the shorts/skorts/midlayer are compulsory items.**

Summer uniform can be worn in primary—either purple gingham dress or tailored grey school shorts. Closed toe school shoes still need to be worn. If the weather looks hot a sunny please use sunscreen and a hat and have a named a bottle of water in school

**FREE PERIODS**

Free Sanitary products are available from Inclusion (Mandi), reception or admin

## Term dates

Please use the following link to see term dates for the rest of this year and for September 2021:

## [TERM DATES](#)

In September, primary, year 7 and year 11 will return to school on FRIDAY 3 SEPTEMBER.

Years 8, 9, 10 will return to school on MONDAY 6 SEPTEMBER

The Department of Education has provided schools with free sanitary products after research showed that some families struggle to purchase products for their daughters who then miss school.



Please remember to return your library books!! We have many books that have been on loan since last year!!