ST MARTINS SCHOOL



24 May 2024

Its been a busy half term with many of our students preparing for and taking tests and exams. I would like to thank all our parents and carers for their support during this time. Students are prepared, calm and focused which helps them to do the best they can.

ParentPay

Year 1 Phonics Screening Check

Year 1 pupils will be involved in a Phonics Screening Check week commencing Monday 10th June. Further information about this can be found in the Year 1 section on our website.

KS1 SATs (Year 2)

KS1 tests in 2024 are optional. We have decided to complete them as it gives us useful information about the measurement of pupil attainment and most importantly, it informs classroom practice. These assessments will take place week commencing Monday 17th June.

Year 4 Multiplication Check

This will take place during the first two weeks back after half term. Mr Spelman has sent out a letter with some useful websites if you would like to look at these over half term. The check is not a test and there is no pass mark. Parents/carers will just receive a raw score with the end of year report.

Year 6 SATs results

These will come to school on Tuesday 9 July and will be sent out to parents/carers with end of year reports.

GCSE results

22 August please see website for updated collection details

Congratulations to David Vasse from year 7 who has been selected to represent the North Wales under 12 cricket team—winning his match this month with another fixture in June at Ellesmere College—keep



up the great work!.

On Wednesday it was National Numeracy Day. Pupils checked in to the live stream and completed various activities during the day. Year 3 looked at a world without maths! They thought about how we use maths every day without even realising. They also had a secret code breaking challenge that used emojis as numbers. You can find some videos, games and quizzes from the <u>BBC here</u> if you would like to get involved.

Year 1, as part of the Technology curriculum have been creating a 3D model of a spider out of newspaper. They have worked as a team to fold and roll paper, tape it together and then paint it. Fabulous!

Have a lovely half term, see you all on Monday 3 June, Ms Lovecy



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DATES FOR THE DIARY

27-31 May—half term

13 June—Pizza Express trip year 4

June/July—year 7 careers visit to Aico

17-18 June—Bronze DofE qualifier

20 June—BIG BANG year 7 and 8

24 June—WOW day 3

26 June—year 11 leavers prom

8-12 July—Year 10 work experience

10 and 11 July—Quinta camp for year 6

15 July—Oscars

16 July—SPORTS DAY (date change)

16 July—plant and craft fair

18 July—last day



Lots of activities taking place in and around St Martins and Oswestry over the next few weeks!!!



Ms Alexander's Y7 class maths class have been putting their symmetry skills to the test creating these beautiful Rangoli patterns!