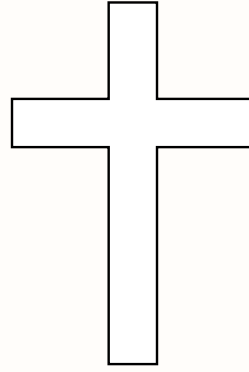


26th September 2025

# Friday News



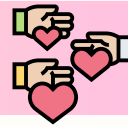
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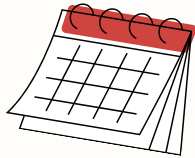


Kind hands



Kind actions

## Upcoming Events



## October

**2nd** - Census day - themed lunch!

- Y6 Students Book club visit to Brunel University
- Year 1 Phonics Coffee Morning for parents (Set A - Purple)
- 1LD Class Worship at 14:50

**3rd** - Year 1 Phonics Coffee Morning for parents (Groups Pink-Grey)

- Uniform Donation Sale - before/after school
- Non-Uniform for 5ST

**7th** - Timetables workshop for Parents

**13th-17th** - Scholastic Book Fair

**27th - 31st** - Half Term!

## November

**3rd** - Training day - school is closed

**4th** - Back to school

**5th** - Bonfire night/Guy Fawkes!



## This week in Worship....

We have been reflecting on why Jesus taught us The Lord's Prayer.

It reminds us that God is our loving Father, that He provides for us, forgives us, and helps us live kindly and safely.

### Matthew 6:9-13

One day, Jesus was sitting with His friends — the disciples — after a long walk. They had seen Jesus do many amazing things: healing people, helping the poor, and teaching crowds about God's love. But there was one thing they still didn't quite understand — how to pray.

So one of them asked, "Jesus, can you teach us how to pray?" Jesus smiled gently. He loved that question. He wanted everyone to know that talking to God didn't have to be complicated or scary. It could be simple, honest, and full of love.

He said, "When you pray, don't worry about using fancy words or trying to impress anyone. Just speak from your heart."



## Share our prayers



Dear God,

Please help us to persevere. When things are hard and we feel like giving up, help us to remember that you are with us. Give us the strength to try again, even when we make mistakes. Help us to be kind to ourselves, and to others when we find something difficult.

Thank you for the people who help us, and who cheer us on.

Amen



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# NEWS



## UPDATE

### THIS WEEK

### This week's attendance for Early years



Nursery	RSH	RCB
82.9%	88%	89.7%

### This week's attendance for Lower School



1KH	1LD	2JB	2MG	3AH	3JO
94.5%	94.5%	90.4%	94.6%	98.2%	90.4%

### This week's attendance for Upper School

4EM	4TF	5FA	5ST	6ES	6JM
88.3%	99.2%	91.3%	100%	97.8%	95.7%

### Class of the Week!

Well done to **4EM** for winning Class of the Week with **1652** positive behaviour points.

Keep up the good work!



### Whole School Attendance

Whole school attendance from the start of the academic year is **93.3%**.

For the week beginning Monday 22nd September 2025, whole school attendance was **93.6%**.

Our school target is **96%**.



### Attendance Award Winners!

Well done to **5ST** for winning the attendance award!

You have won a non-uniform day next Friday, 3<sup>rd</sup> October, for your class!

### Merit Certificate Awards

RSH	Skye	3OJ	Jace
RCB	Archie	4EM	Syeda
1KH	Tanvi	4TH	Jack
1LD	Sidon	5FA	Maria
2JB	Humaira	5ST	Nyra
2MG	Uriel	6ES	Vivienne
3AH	Iramide	6JM	Khalil



# Lunch Menu

## Week 2



Monday

Turkey Pasta Bolognese (GL)  
Veggie Chow Mein Noodles (GL,EG,SO)  
Jacket - Cheese (MI), Beans or Tuna (FI)  
Sandwiches-Egg (GL,SO,EG), Cheese (GL,MI,SO) or Tuna (GL,SO,FI)  
Cheesecake (GL,MI) or Fresh Fruit

Tuesday



Potato Topped Fish Pie (GL,FI)  
Handmade Margherita Pizza with Slaw (GL,MI)  
Jacket Potatoes - Cheese (MI), Beans or Tuna (FI)  
Sandwiches-Egg (GL,SO,EG), Cheese (GL,MI,SO) or Tuna (GL,SO,FI)  
Vegan Fruit Jelly or Fresh Fruit



Wednesday

Roast Chicken with Potatoes & Gravy (SU)  
Butternut Wellington (GL,SU)  
Jacket Potatoes - Cheese (MI), Beans or Tuna (FI)  
Sandwiches-Egg (GL,SO,EG), Cheese (GL,MI,SO) or Tuna (GL,SO,FI)  
Fruity Shortbread (GL) or Fresh Fruit

Thursday

Chicken Fajita with Rice (GL)  
Veggie Curry with Rice  
Jacket Potatoes - Cheese (MI), Beans or Tuna (FI)  
Sandwiches-Egg (GL,SO,EG), Cheese (GL,MI,SO) or Tuna (GL,SO,FI)  
Apple Cake (GL) or Fresh Fruit



Friday

Fish Fingers with Oven Baked Chips (GL,FI)  
Falafel with Oven Baked Chips (GL)  
Jacket Potatoes - Cheese (MI), Beans or Tuna (FI)  
Sandwiches-Egg (GL,SO,EG), Cheese (GL,MI,SO) or Tuna (GL,SO,FI)  
Ice Cream (MI) or Fresh Fruit



## OLF Donations

Thank you to everyone who wore something yellow and donated money yesterday!

Collectively, St Matthew's were able to raise a total of

# £283.55

which will be donated to the Daniella Logan Foundation in support of childhood cancer.

# HELP NEEDED



Calling all parents, carers and friends!

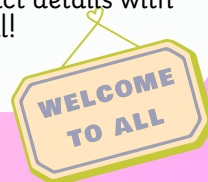
The PTA would love to see some new faces support our children at St Matthew's School.

From organising events like 'Secret Santa' at Christmas, Crazy Hair days, penny challenges and fetes, all these events are important to St Matthew's to ensure that our children receive the best education possible with the aim of raising money beyond the school budget to provide additional resources and services.

Whether it's sharing ideas, helping out at events, or just lending a hand when you can - every contribution is valuable! You decide how involved you want to be!

If you would be interested in helping out occasionally and sparing some time to support events, please leave your name and contact details with Miss Evans at the office, or send us an email!

[stmatthews@fraysacademytrust.org](mailto:stmatthews@fraysacademytrust.org)



## Pre-Loved Uniform Sale!



**When?**  
Friday 3<sup>rd</sup>  
October -  
before and  
after school

There will be a fundraising sale taking place next week of donated uniform and lunch ware - if there is anything you need at bargain prices, please come and take a look!

**Where?**  
Outside the  
school  
office

If you are available during the hours below to support the sale (for any amount of time!), this will be greatly appreciated!

No sign-up required, just stop by!

Morning Support: 08:15-09:15  
Afternoon Support: 15:00 - 16:00

Thank you!



## PARENT'S EVENING

For anyone who was not able to attend Parent's Evening this week, please speak with your child's teacher to arrange a meeting for another time!



# NOTICE BOARD

St Matthews CE Primary School

## Toileting Workshop Coffee Morning

Is your child struggling with toileting issues? Join us for support!

Come learn about establishing a toileting routine and more!

**9:00am**

**THURS 16 OCTOBER 2025**

### Is your child struggling with

- Constipation?
- Bedwetting?
- Soiling?
- Toilet Phobias?
- Wee & poo with holding?

Come and learn about

- **Establishing a toileting routine**
- **Social stories**
- **All things toileting**

Join our SW Hillingdon School Nurse who will be present to answer your questions in a warm, friendly & supportive environment




## OPEN EVENING

**Thursday 2nd October**  
**5.30pm - 8.30pm**

A fantastic opportunity to tour our facilities and meet students and staff

### Headteacher Talks

**5.45pm**    **6.30pm**    **7.15pm**  
No Booking Required

**LOVING - LEARNING - LIVING**



*Don't Forget!*

Upcoming workshops:

Phonics Workshops 3rd Oct

Times tables workshop 7th Oct

Toileting workshop 16th Oct

## EVENING DEVELOPMENT COURSE AT SWAKELEYS SCHOOL UXBRIDGE

**PRO SOCCER COACHING**

**VENUE:** Clifton Gardens, UB10 0EJ

**WHEN:** EVERY THURSDAY (EXL SCHOOL HOLIDAYS)

**REC-YEAR 1 :** 6pm-7pm    **YEAR 2-YEAR 3 :** 6pm-7pm  
**YEAR 4-YEAR 5 :** 7pm-8pm    **YEAR 6-YEAR 7 :** 7pm-8pm

**MEMBERSHIP PRICES**  
**EVERY 4 WEEKS: £36**  
(£9 PER SESSION\*)

BOYS AND GIRLS OF ALL ABILITIES  
AGES: 4-14 YEARS

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MEDALS AND TROPHIES UP FOR GRABS.



**TERM DATES** — **Census Day**

**AT THE PANTRY** — **Thursday October 2nd**

**BURGER OR VEGGIE BURGER**  
with  
**FRIES & CORN ON THE COB**  
and for dessert  
**CHOCOLATE CAKE**

**THE PANTRY**  
**LUNCH TIME**  
**FRESH FOOD**

**The Pantry**

