

St. John's CE Primary School

Weekly Bulletin - 28 March 2024



Coming up

Date	Time	Location	Event
Mon 15 Apr 2024	All Day	Both Sites	Whole School INSET DAY
Thu 18 Apr 2024	13.00 - 15.30	WR	Ducklings Forest School
Thu 25 Apr 2024	13.00 - 15.30	WR	Ducklings Forest School
Thu 25 Apr 2024	18.30 - 19.00	Teams	Y6 SATs Information Meeting
Fri 26 Apr 2024	16.45 - 19.45	WR	Whole School PTA Film Night and Second Hand Uniform Sale



INSET Days 2023-2024 **Mon 15 Apr**

INSET Days 2024-2025 **Mon 2 Sept Fri 25 Oct Mon 4 Nov Mon 6 Jan Fri 4 April**

For Action

Who?	When?	What?
Whole School	Easter Holidays	Take photographs and create a collage of your child's sporting activities over the holidays for our Stay Active Book of Excellence . The collage must have a name and class on it and can be handed to your class teacher or to the office.
Ducklings	Thu 18 & 25 Apr	Children to come to school in base layers for forest school afternoon, bring wellies and water proofs. Please sign up if you are able to help: Ducklings Forest School Sign Up
Hawks	Wednesdays until 22 May	Volunteers are required for forest school on Wednesday afternoons, please sign up if you are able to help: Hawks Class Forest School sign up
Y6	ASAP	If you have not already done so make payment for the Y6 Camp . The medical information and consent form is now available on Parentmail, please complete this as soon as possible.
Y5	ASAP	Make payment for the Noah's Ark Trip on Tuesday 21st May
Y5&6	Tue 16 Apr	Trade Topic homework to be handed in on Tuesday 16th April

School News

Click on the news item below to see more on our website

Online Safety

Some St John's parents have now established their own whatsapp group within the smartphonefree childhood project. If you would like to join the conversation with them around this topic then join here - <https://chat.whatsapp.com/Dp8IsJWZeXE9MxQDsWHYIt>

Year Groups

[Guppy Class this week](#)



[World Maths Day](#)

[Group Speaking Competition News](#)

[Easter Competition results](#)

Service Questions



In services this week, we have been helping ourselves and others to 'fly high like an eagle' by reflecting on these questions: Why is Easter a special time of year for Christians? What special things do you do with your family at this time of year? How does it make you feel when you do fun things with your family?

On Monday 25th March all of KS2 attended an Easter service at All Saints Clifton. Click [here](#) for further information and photos.

Today, the children have enjoyed celebrating Easter at the United Reformed Church. We would like to wish everyone a very Happy Easter. We are also thinking of those celebrating other festivals at this time of year. Thinking of all our Muslim families celebrating Eid al-Fitre at this time. "Eid Mubarak!"

PTA Film Night



Get your tickets to watch the movie WISH (2023) on St John's PTA Film Night! **26th April, 4:45pm in WR Hall.** £3.50 per ticket, buy on [Classlist](https://app.classlist.com/events/#/events/view/1102810779) <https://app.classlist.com/events/#/events/view/1102810779>. Tickets are only needed for children, not adults or preschool siblings. There will be pizza, popcorn, a well-stocked bar and 2nd Hand Uniform Sale! This is NOT a drop-and-go event, so a parent or carer must stay throughout to supervise their children.

SEND Coffee Morning	Date for your diary - SEND Coffee Morning, Wednesday 22nd May 9.00 - 10.30am , lead by Bristol Parent Carer Forum.
RWA Activities	Lets make the room bloom, a free event in the Family Activity Space at the RWA, 29th March to 14th April . Click here for other activities being held over the holidays.
Families in Focus March Bulletin	Information and support for Families, Parents/Carers and Young People
Shine Term 5&6	After School Clubs for the next 2 terms are now <u>live</u> . Easter Programme also available.
Guitar and Ukulele Terms 5&6	There are spaces available for after school guitar clubs and lunchtime ukulele in terms 5 & 6. Contact Matt Bee at bristolguitarkids@gmail.com
Eagles Easter Dance Camp	Miss Scarborough and Mrs Cox are running a Dance Holiday Club during Easter half term on Wed 3rd April and Wed 10th April. Please email eaglesdancebristol@gmail.com or sign up here: Booking Form . This holiday club is open to everyone, fully inclusive. The day is filled with fun games, dances, tumbling, stunting, arts and crafts and an EASTER EGG HUNT. School Years 1-6.
Creativity Club Booking	Terms 5 & 6 of Chandos Atelier's after school Creativity Clubs are bookable now - Monday at LRR (Y1&2) and a Thursday at WR (Y3-6). Each week involves a different, curated selection of interesting materials to explore and experiment with. These are process based sessions with the focus on developing skills and encouraging artistic creativity, all led by Emma, a professional maker. www.chandosatelier.co.uk/bookings
Leave of Absence	Leave of Absence Request Form Please note this needs to be completed 2 weeks before your leave. Absence due to visiting a new school should be reported on Parentmail not on this form.
Parentmail	Please report pupil absence due to illness or medical appointment on Parentmail, follow the link for more information and help downloading the App.
Give as you Live online	Support the PTA by using Give as you Live Online, it is a free way to raise money for charity when you shop online. Shop at over 6,000 leading stores via our website, Donation Reminder or App and you'll raise free funds for our school. Go to www.giveasyoulive.com/ . Sign up on the top right of the website and enter St John's School PTA (Clifton) when selecting the charity of choice. For more information click here . Ask friends, family members, and even any businesses you are involved with to shop this way too. We recommend popping a Bookmark on your Bookmarks Bar, or setting Give as You Live as your default homepage so that you don't forget.
Name Tags	For every order of personalised labels for children's clothing and equipment, My Nametags will contribute 20% to the school. Every order placed when clicking on this link and using the School ID of 21484 will be counted in the fundraising total for our school. Follow this link or go to the school website, quick links page and click on the My Namestags link.

