

Newsletter

25th March 2025



St. Martin's
C. of E. Primary School

Dear Parents, Carers and Friends,

I am a bit out of synch with newsletters due to a busy time in school. Just catching up with some news now!

Sweets at birthdays

We are finding it hard to manage the amount of sweets/cakes that are coming in for children's birthdays and special occasions.

Whilst I understand that it is nice to celebrate these things, we have to be mindful of allergens for some children and I don't want to have the staff put in this situation.

Therefore, we are asking that sweets/ cakes are not brought into school anymore. Thank you for your support.

Attendance

Target for 2024-5	Current % last week	National % last week	Current % to date	National % to date
95%	95.8%	94.9%	93.9%	94.7%

Our overall percentage for the whole year is at 93.9%, which is below where we want to be by the end of the year with our target of 95%. Let's keep going! It was amazing to see that the attendance for last week was 95.8%.

Easter Tombola

Easter is fast approaching and FOSMs are looking to hold their annual Easter Tombola. This is a lucky dip tombola where they will pick a number to win a prize from what has been brought in. **We have a non-uniform day on Friday 28th March where children can bring in a chocolate donation. Then on Wednesday 2nd April, children can bring in £1 to have a go on the lucky dip tombola.** Please see the attached poster for more information. There is information on Class Dojo too.

Easter Service

Our Easter Service will be at St. Martin's-on-the Hill church on Thursday 3rd April. The service will begin at 2.15pm and children can be collected from 3.00pm- 3.20pm. **There is no after school club on this date, so collection needs to be from church please.**

Have a lovely week everyone.

God bless,

Mrs Barber

Headteacher

Serve one another in love
Galatians 5:13