



St Patrick's Catholic Primary School Newsletter

Friday 28th March 2025

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in the world



Dear Parents and Carers,

A reminder that next week is the last week of term and there are no after school enrichment clubs next week. School finishes at the usual time of 3.30pm next Friday 4th April.

Wishing you all a very restful and lovely weekend.

With best wishes, Miss Toop (Head of School) and Ms. Richardson (Executive Headteacher)

Visit to Maitland Park Care Home

This week, children from Year 6 and Year 4 visited Maitland Park Care Home, bringing joy to the elderly residents through conversation, games, and a heartfelt performance of *Diamonds in the Sky*, which was warmly received. They truly embodied our Christian values of 'Compassion' and 'Community', creating a memorable and meaningful experience for all. Well done to our wonderful pupils for their kindness!



Partnership Football Tournament

A huge congratulations to our girls' and boys' football teams for their outstanding performances in this week's partnership football tournament! Both teams played brilliantly, with the girls securing an impressive second place and the boys taking home first place. They represented St. Patrick's with pride, demonstrating excellent teamwork, determination, and sportsmanship throughout. We are incredibly proud of them for being fantastic ambassadors for our school—well done to all!



I have received and read the St Patrick's Primary School newsletter of 28.03.2025

Signed _____ Name of child _____ Class _____

PLEASE RETURN THIS SLIP TO THE SCHOOL OFFICE AND YOUR CHILD MIGHT WIN A PRIZE :)

Important dates for your diary...

Friday 4th April—Last day of term for Easter holidays

Monday 7th April to Monday 21st April—Easter Holidays

Tuesday 22nd April—Children back at school after Easter Holidays

Friday 25th April—Non-Uniform Day

Monday 5th May—Bank Holiday.
School is closed

Friday 23rd May—Non-Uniform Day

Monday 26th May to Friday 30th May—Half term. School is closed

Friday 27th June—Non-Uniform Day

Friday 4th July—Academic Review Day.
Inset Day for pupils

Friday 18th July—Non-Uniform Day

Tuesday 22nd July —Last day of term for Summer holidays

Tuesday 2nd September—First day back at school after Summer holidays—Autumn Term 2025!



Our Prayer of the week...

We are currently in the period of Lent...



As we walk up our mountain this Lent, help us in our prayers,

In the silence of our hearts, to know we are loved.

Help us to see with the eyes of compassion,

So that we become aware of the needs of others.

Amen

Work of the week...

Every week a great piece of children's work is showcased in the school lobby (next to the office).

As part of Year 6's English Curriculum, they have been writing their own stories inspired by 'The Piano' by Adrian Gibbons.

Kyla has used her own imagination to write a fantastic piece of work. She included exciting adjectives, similes and personification to bring her writing to life.

Well done Kyla!



Healthy Snacks at our school



We can bring in a healthy snack to eat during break time. A healthy snack gives our brains fuel to help us concentrate in class.

Our healthy snacks must not contain nuts.



Things you can eat for your break-time snack	Things you cannot eat for your break-time snack
Fruit 	Fruit winders
A PLAIN biscuit 	Biscuits with jam, chocolate or any other extras
Vegetables e.g. carrot sticks 	Crisps

We put our healthy snacks in the snack box as soon as we come into school.



Attendance...

I am delighted to announce that Year 5 are winners with the best attendance this week with 98.61%. As a reward, you will receive some extra play time next week.



Please make sure your child is in school every single day unless they are too unwell to come to school. Every day counts and children who miss school do fall behind in their learning.



Don't let a little worry turn into a big one...

If you or your child are worried about something or have any questions, please phone the school office and book an appointment to see their class teacher, Miss Toop or Ms Fearon.

We are always really pleased to meet with you and chat things through.



Tell your friends about us...

St. Patrick's Catholic Primary School

is **Outstanding** for pupils' personal development and leadership and management.

Ofsted report, "Pupils at St. Patrick's benefit from a **nurturing and inclusive** environment where they feel **safe, happy and valued**. Pupils **flourish** because they are **supported socially and emotionally**. Pupils **work hard** and show **enthusiasm** for their learning."

We currently have pupil vacancies and nursery vacancies. Tell all your friends to visit us!

St. Patrick's Primary School is in the heart Kentish Town. A nurturing and ambitious school, with great pupil outcomes and great pupil behaviour.

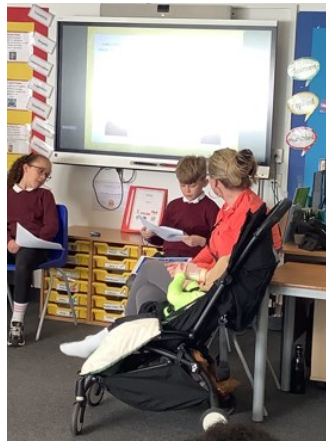
Take a look at our website: www.stpatricks.camden.sch.uk

Why not come for a tour of the school? Just call the school office to arrange this on **0207 267 1200** or email us on admin@stpatricks.camden.sch.uk. We would love to show you around!



Year 4 and Year 1/2 Class Prayers

Thank you to all the parents and family members who joined us for Collective Worship with their child's class this week. Each class led thoughtful and heartfelt prayers, creating a truly reflective and meaningful experience. Your presence and support made the gatherings even more special.



Camden 'Moving On' Secondary School Event

Parents of children in primary school **years 4 and 5** are invited to our **Camden Moving On to Secondary School Event** on **Thursday 5 June 2025**, with timed slots available from 4.15 to 6.45pm.

This **free in-person event** at the Francis Crick Institute, King's Cross, is a great opportunity to:

- Receive advice on how to apply for a Year 7 place for September 2026 from the Camden Admissions Team
- Find out more about what Camden secondary schools have to offer your child
- Speak with headteachers, student ambassadors and staff from Camden secondary schools.

This is a timed ticket event, so please make sure you arrive for the time you have booked.

