



Friday 10th November 2023

MRS SIMPSON'S NEWS

The latest news from St Mary's CE VC First School

KEY DATES

Monday 13th November - 9am

Linden Class Assembly

Friday 17th November

Children in Need

Monday 20th November

Spirituality Day

Tuesday 28th November

Year R & 4 - T@SM Church visit

Friday 1st December - 3-5pm

St Mary's Christmas Market

Wed 6th December - 9:15am

Christmas Performance

Thurs 7th December - 9:15am

Christmas Performance

Thurs 7th December - 5:30pm

Christmas Performance

Friday 8th December

Christmas Jumper Day

Friday 8th December

Termly Progress Reports

Tues 12th December - 2pm

Christmas Service

Wednesday 13th December

Local Food Links Festive Lunch

Friday 15th December

Last Day, Party Day!

Mon 18th to Fri 29th Dec

Christmas Holidays

Monday 1st January

Bank Holiday

Tuesday 2nd January

First Day of Term

Tuesday 9th January

Year 1 - T@SM Church visit

Thursday 11th Jan - 5:30pm

Hooke Court Info. Evening

Note from Mr Homer

Today we wish a fond farewell to our wonderful Mrs Simpson who is leaving us after dedicating fourteen years to St Mary's. Mrs Simpson has taken up the chance to blend her skills and experience of working with children with her passion for horses, ponies and animals in a therapeutic environment. Mrs Simpson has had an incredible impact on everybody at St Mary's and she will be greatly missed by all of us and her many former pupils and colleagues. We are sure that everybody will join us in wishing Mrs Simpson all the best for their future endeavours.

Note from Mrs Simpson

I would like to take this opportunity to say I shall miss this unique and amazing school with all the wonderful staff and students. It has been a massive part of my life for the last fourteen years and I take away some fantastic memories. My sincere best wishes to all the children for a happy and fulfilled school journey and onwards into their future. Thank you for all your kind messages too.



'For the benefit of the tape'

Mrs Simpson is a fantastic TA because...

- ...she helped me all the times I have fallen over.
- ...she helped me paint my portrait in Willow class.
- ...you helped me in Maths when I was in Willow.
- ...she taught reception to skip - it looked more like The Running Man!
- ...she is really kind and lovely.
- ...she is kind.
- ...she helped us make mothers' and fathers' day cards..
- ...she helped us with leaf paintings.
- ...she showed us what good friendship is.
- ...she cares for all of us.
- ...she fell off a chair getting a book - it was very funny!
- ...she is very funny.
- ...she taught me phonics.
- ...she did fun art with us in Willow class.
- ...she helped me in Maths.
- ...she is good at helping us learn.
- ...she helps us when we fall over.
- ...she always likes my model in Stay and Play club.
- ...she was good at helping me with my writing.
- ...she was fun at Stay and Plan club.
- ...she got her foot stuck in a hole at Princes Plot!
- ...she gave me a teddy to cuddle on my first day, when I was upset.
- ...she cared for me when Wake Up - Shake Up was too loud one morning.
- ...she always chats to me about rugby.
- ...she cared for me when Wake Up - Shake Up was too loud one morning.

ST MARY'S SCHOOL CHARMINSTER

1ST  DEC

CHRISTMAS MARKET

3-5PM

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

CAN YOU HELP RUN ONE OF OUR STALLS?

PLEASE GET IN TOUCH
SCHOOLASSOCIATION@CHARMINSTER.DORSET.SCH.UK

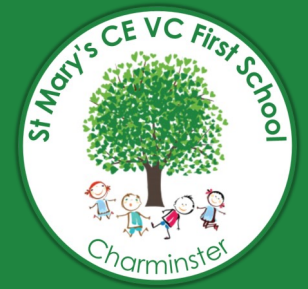


SANTA SLOTS ARE FOR ST MARY'S CHILDREN & SIBLINGS ONLY



SANTA | BRATWURSTS | MULLED WINE

CHILDREN'S CAROLS - CRAFT - GAMES - RAFFLE - STALLS



Are you concerned about a pupil?

If you are worried about a child,
you must share your concern without delay.



Mick Homer

Headteacher

**Designated
Safeguarding Lead**



Lisa Thornicroft

Teacher & SENDCo

**Deputy Designated
Safeguarding Lead**



Karen Bennett

Family Support Advisor

**Deputy Designated
Safeguarding Lead**

Our Safeguarding Governor is Reverend Pene Kennedy

If you are concerned about a child's welfare or worried they are being abused,
you can make a referral directly to:

Dorset's Children's Advice and Duty Service on 01305 228866

**In an emergency, or if you believe a child is at immediate risk of harm,
call the police on 999.**

Click or scan this QR code
to go straight to Dorset
Council's website:

