



English Martyrs CVA

We grow and learn with the gifts we have been given, following in the footsteps of Jesus



St Thérèse of Lisieux
Catholic Multi Academy Trust

Coming Up

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Saturday 7th May	Gardening Day 10am-12pm	
Monday 9th May	Y6 SATS week	Tennis Club 3.15-4.30pm
Tuesday 10th May	Y2-4 Dancing Club 3.15-4.15pm	Y5&6 Netball 3.15-4.15pm
Wednesday 11th May	Football Club 3.15-4.15pm	Y1-3 Sewing Club 3.15-4.15pm
	Y4/5/6 Coding club 3.15-4.15pm	
Thursday 12th May	Guitar lessons	Y5 Forest School
	Netball Match—selected children	
Friday 13th May	Piano lessons	FEM Quiz and Chips 7pm

Notices

• Lunch ordering

If you forget to complete the lunch ordering form, children can still pick a school lunch each morning.

• Tesco Blue Tokens

Don't forget to ask for a blue token in Tesco and pop it in the English Martyrs box!

• Playgroup

New English Martyrs playgroup starting 10th June at St Joseph's. 9.30-11am

• Music Evening 25th May

Don't forget to let Mrs Chambers know if your child wishes to perform at the Music Evening.



Statement of the week

'I try to stand up for myself and others without hurting others'

Please take time to discuss this statement at home with your child/ren.

FEM News

Cake Raffle - The Elmers won this week!

Quiz and Chips

Tickets available from the school office—you can also pay on Parentpay.

Quiz & Chips
Friday 13th May *Dare your luck!*

English Martyrs - 7.30 start
(doors open at 7pm)

Bar available
Cash only!

Groups up to 6

*Adults only

£5 per person
Includes a portion of chips

Tickets from school office
(asap - limited sitting)



Head Teacher Awards



Congratulations to all the children who received Head Teacher, Virtues, Reading and Sports awards this week.



Birthdays



Happy Birthday to the children who have had birthdays recently.

Y2—Aimee, **Y4**—Mae, Deandre

Y5—Jaden, Przemyslaw

Netball

Well done to our netball team who won their two home matches against Brooke Hill and Oakham C of E!



Young Voices

The children had an amazing time at Young Voices, singing their hearts out and dancing all night on Friday. It was a long day but they were impeccably behaved and we hope they remember the experience for years to come!



Y5 Clarinet lessons

We are very fortunate to have been offered some free clarinet lessons for our Year 5 class from the Northamptonshire Music and Performing Arts Trust, who we have worked closely with for a number of years. The children had their first session today and had a great time, making great progress with a tricky instrument to master!



Good luck Y6!

Good luck to our Y6 children who will be taking their SATS next week. We are incredibly proud of them all, they are amazing!



English Martyrs Day



We had an amazing day celebrating English Martyrs Day on Wednesday. Our families and staff pulled out all the stops to make it a truly special day. It started with Mass in school led by Father Stephen and then the day focussed on family – the children's own unique families, the parish family and being part of a wider global family. Children took part in team building exercises, and they painted pebbles in their house colours which we will display on the school grounds. After school, our heritage event was a huge success with families setting up stalls to celebrate their heritage or culture, with many offering delicious examples of typical dishes as well as showcasing special items and information on their country or involving children in quizzes and games. There were an impressive 17 different countries represented - Australia, Syria, Uruguay, India, Fiji, Chile, Russia, Spain, Uruguay, Philippines, Poland, Scotland, Portugal, Ireland, South Africa, Wales and Ukraine! Everyone had a fantastic afternoon learning about all the different countries and sampling the mouth-watering food on offer. Thank you to everyone involved and for everyone who came into school to share in the celebration. Keep an eye out for an English Martyrs international recipe book coming soon!

