

# St Georges Church School and Nursery

## NEWSLETTER

Summer Term 6 2025



Well, what a wonderful term we have had! Which tops off our amazing year...

Term 6 has been brimming with exciting learning, trips and fun!

Who could forget the Y6 performance that we were treated to last week? Watching them on stage was an absolute pleasure. An amazing detective story that kept us on the edge of our seats. Thank you to the team, the class and the parents/carers for making this a wonderful and successful event.

We will be saying goodbye this week to our brilliant year 6 class and we wish them all the best in their new schools.

Our staff that are leaving will also be missed. Saying goodbye this week to some of our dear colleagues: Mrs Thorn, Mrs Neilan, Mrs Collett, Miss Garfield and Mrs Greenhow. You all have great plans ahead of you and we hope to see you some time soon.

Our PTFA have put on some excellent events and even turned up to sports day for a race! Through everything they have done this year, they have raised an incredible £8,500. This will make such a difference to the school and nursery.

We hope the families who attended our first community breakfast yesterday enjoyed the opportunity. It was lovely to see everyone and any feedback is welcome as we are looking into ways to do this a few times over the school year.

I hope everyone enjoys their Summer holiday and I look forward to continuing as Interim Headteacher for St Georges in September.

With best wishes,  
Sarah Starr



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# WHAT A GREAT YEAR WE'VE HAD!



## Acorn Class

Nursery

This year brought plenty of changes, but the children have been absolute stars—adaptable, cheerful, and full of joy. From biking and messy play in the mud kitchen to fruit of the week, imaginative role play, and creative art, they've thrived in every corner.

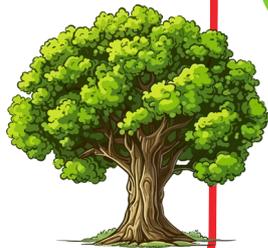
Our visit to Court Farm and stay-and-play sessions with parents added extra sparkle. A brilliant year of growth, giggles, and smiles!

## Beech Class

Year 2

Beech Class have had a fantastic year. We have particularly loved our reading and writing as well as the many projects we have completed along the way.

Some of our highlights include: our class trip to Bristol Zoo Project (where we were very lucky to have all the animals come out to see us!); our flower head art project; designing and making our beach huts out of wood and our class worship all about service.



## Willow Class

Reception

This year has been a joyful journey of discovery and growth. The children explored animals, plants, and nature through forest school and our trip to Court Farm, sparking wonder and curiosity. We shared inspiring stories, dove into brilliant maths, and nurtured their independence and creativity every step of the way.

Watching them flourish has been a privilege—they've truly been amazing to work with.



## Pine Class

Year 1



Wow! What a fantastic year we have had in Pine Class. It has been an absolute pleasure to watch the children grow and change. We have had great fun in our learning including making shades and shelters, exploring St Georges and learning so much about childhood in the Victorian Era.

Some of the children's memories were the trips we have been on and the things we made, especially designing and making a taxi in DT. Forest school is always fun and relaxing, from hunting for mini beasts and planting, to using the environment for art and building dens. Wishing the children every success as they continue on their learning journey in year 2.

## Juniper Class

Year 3



It's been a wonderful year in Year 3! The students have shown great enthusiasm throughout the year, enjoying every project we have learnt about. In history, they explored the Stone Age and Ancient Egypt, learning about early civilizations, tools, and the mysteries of the pyramids. Our study of volcanoes and the eruption of Mount Vesuvius, which destroyed Pompeii, sparked much interest and curiosity.

Academically, the class has made great strides. Writing has improved with better structure and clarity, and students have become more confident in math, particularly with times tables and problem-solving. While challenges arose, the students worked hard and supported each other to overcome them.

The highlight of the year was the students' collaboration on various projects, where creativity and teamwork shone. They also embraced school events, forming strong friendships along the way.

## Cedar Class

Year 5

We have had another fantastic year with a lot of science learning and more practical Designing and technology in particular. We started the year very muddy with the assault course and ended it with our rocket experiment. In between we all grew as learners and got to know each other even better!

Our trip to Bristol aerospace was a particular highlight as well as our music learning throughout the year. They finished the year ready for a new challenge in year 6 where they will continue to grow and shine.



## Aspen Class

Year 4's Journey

We launched the year on river's flow,  
With paddles strong, our teamwork showed.  
Through splashing laughs and daring tries,  
We found our rhythm 'neath the skies.

In maths we journeyed far and wide,  
With chalk and tape laid side by side.  
Straws and pipe cleaners shaped the way,  
To build and learn through hands-on play.

As time turned back, our minds explored  
The Saxons' farms, the Vikings' swords.  
We pieced the past with careful eyes,  
Historians keen, and ever-wise.

Through mountains tall and rivers wild,  
Geography's wonders truly beguiled.  
We traced the land, the peaks, the streams,  
In awe of Earth and all its dreams.

In science too, we ventured deep—  
From teeth to tummies, circuits, sheep!  
We classified, we sparked delight,  
And asked big questions day and night.

With stories read, we felt the thrill—  
Of George's brew and winter's chill.  
Then writing took us far from ground,  
To tales of journeys, lost and found.

So here we stand, a mighty crew,  
With all we've learned and all we do.  
Year 4, a voyage bold and true—  
The future's bright because of you.



## Birch Class

Year 6

What a year we've had! Term 6 kicked off with camp week, with our children enjoying their adventures at Hooke Court or fun activities in school. Our history focus has been on WWI and WWII, and our children's enthusiasm for this topic shone through in their incredible performance: Treachery at Traitor's Quay. The children worked so hard on this and it was brilliant to see their talent and energy shine through.

It truly has been a fantastic year and I would like to thank all children and families for making this whole year so special. Enjoy your summer and good luck Year 6 for your next step!





# School Term Dates 2025/2026

## **Term 1**

Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> September - Inset day (school closed to pupils)

Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> September - Inset day (school closed to pupils)

Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> September - First day of Term 1

Friday 24<sup>th</sup> October - Last day of Term 1

## **Term 2**

Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> November - Inset day (school closed to pupils)

Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> November - First day of Term 2

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December - Last day of Term 2

## **Term 3**

Monday 5<sup>th</sup> January 2026 - Inset day (school closed to pupils)

Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> January - First day of Term 3

Friday 13<sup>th</sup> February - Last day of Term 3

## **Term 4**

Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> February - First day of Term 4

Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> April - Last day of Term 4

## **Term 5**

Monday 20<sup>th</sup> April - Inset day (school closed to pupils)

Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> April - First day of Term 5

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> May - Bank holiday (school closed to pupils)

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May - Last day of Term 5

## **Term 6**

Monday 1<sup>st</sup> June - First day of Term 6

Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> July - Last day of Term 6

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