



St George's C of E Primary School

Learning for Life



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Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you to our Gardening Volunteers

I would like to extend a very heartfelt **thank you** to a group of parent volunteers who gave up their time on Friday and Monday to tackle the weeding at the front and side of the school. Your efforts are very much appreciated. The area looks so much tidier, neater and more welcoming. Thank you so much!

If you are able to spare some time to support our **Governor-led working party next week** (Tuesday and Wednesday), please contact our Vice Chair, Nigel Rowe nrowe@st-georges-pri.essex.sch.uk.



iSingPop

The children have had a wonderful time with Chris from iSingPop this week, learning seven new songs in preparation for this afternoon's concert at the church. We are very much looking forward to seeing everyone there and showcasing everything we've learned!



Key Stage Two Choir: Bully Bully

This half term, the choir have been learning a new song for a competition. The song is called 'Bully Bully' and was written by the Essex Multi Schools Council. It's all about accepting and celebrating our differences and the impact of bullying. This fits very well with our school values and our message to 'Build each other up' rather than knock each other down. We have personalised the song to our school by adapting some sections, including a St George's rap! On Monday, we recorded a video which has been submitted to the competition. You can watch the video [here](#) or on the [choir page](#) of our school website. This morning, the choir performed the song to the whole school in Celebration Assembly. I have been very impressed with how quickly the children have learned the song, including actions, and the enthusiasm with which they performed! Well done, choir!

Wishing you a lovely half term. We look forward to seeing you all again on Monday 2nd June.

Mrs Keitch



Fantastic Futures Week

Thank you to those of you who have volunteered to support our Fantastic Futures Week in June/July. Last week, you received a Parentmail with details of how to sign up; the link to express your interest is [here](#). We are particularly keen to recruit people to our **Careers Fair on Wednesday 2nd July 1.00-3.00pm**; please consider giving your time if you are able to.

Please note: If you signed up at Parents' Evening, we may have contacted you with a link to a different form. Please check your Parentmail!

**FANTASTIC
FUTURES**

World Bee Day!

This Tuesday was World Bee Day and two of our pupils have been demonstrating their care for these beautiful and vital creatures.



Toby and Crewe from Adventurers found a bee in the local park. Toby went home to collect his insect house, and some sugar water. The boys then made an environment for the bee to regain its strength with flowers, twigs etc.

Well done, boys!

Forest School 'Nightingale' Awards

Wild Wellbeing Group - For a fantastic few weeks at Forest Schools where you have all achieved so much. It has been wonderful to watch you all gain confidence and be involved in so many different activities. Well done to each and every one of you!

Rosie - For being creative with natural materials and coloured wool. You made yourself a bee coloured wand which you then used imaginatively in your play.

Matthew - For your imagination and creativity, using clay and natural materials, such as sticks, to create your own model.

Nola - For being brave when tree climbing and following instructions to climb safely down.

Devas - For being courageous and proud to show off your climbing skills, both in the tree and on the rope ladder. Well done!

