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 **English Martyrs' Catholic Primary School Newsletter**

**6th May 2016**

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**SATS Information**

SATs for Year 6 begins on the **9th May and finishes on 12th May**.

This is a very important time for Year 6 and they have been working very hard. Please make sure your child is in school every day. There will be Breakfast club for year 6 pupils that week and it is recommended all Year 6 pupils attend at 8.00am, to enjoy a healthy breakfast and feel relaxed before their tests.

**This is for Yr 6 pupils only, there is no provision for any siblings so please do not send them in to school at 8am**

**Lost Property – School Uniform**

Pupils are removing their coats and jumpers during the lovely sunshine. **Please make sure you label your child’s uniform clearly, so that if misplaced it can be tracked and returned to the child.** If you notice your child has come home with a different child’s clothing i.e jumper or coat please return it to their class teacher. We cannot take responsibility for uniform that has been lost if it is not clearly labelled.

**Safeguarding - School Main Gate**

We take the safety of all our pupils and staff very seriously, we would like to thank the parents/carers for making sure the main school gate is closed behind them when entering or leaving the building. Please make a conscious effort to check the gate and remember to close it securely. It is all our responsibility to ensure everybody is kept safe from our busy roads and possible intruders

**P.E. & Swimming Kit**

Reminder to parents/carers that PE is part of the curriculum and all children must participate.

* Please make sure your child has the correct P.E. kit, plain navy or black shorts/tracksuit bottoms, plain white T-shirt, no logos
* Make sure your children knows the days they have PE (twice a week)
* Kits must be washed
* If there are any concerns with purchasing PE kits please ask to speak to the Head Teacher or Mrs Taylor – PE Leader

Year 4 are going to visit the

Horniman Museum in Forest Hill next week as part of their Rainforest, People and Animals project. Please visit the link below to learn more about the museum and the wonderful exhibitions that are on offer. <http://www.horniman.ac.uk/get_involved/news/underwater-wonders-on-show-in-rainforest-of-the-sea>

**First Holy Communion**

 Pupils in Year 4 will be celebrating their

 Holy Communion in the church on

28th May 2016. Please come and support

the children on this special holy celebration, times will be announced soon.





**Green Fingers!!**

Pupils have begun planting in their year group garden areas and are closely monitoring the growth of their plants. At the end of the summer term, there will be prizes for the best planting area

**Summer School Uniform**

We hope that the sun continues to shine, we remind you about our summer uniform; a blue or yellow summer dress no shorter than knee length and socks, white or grey (no tights), grey shorts for boys. Children can wear plain hat/cap if they wish no colours or logos on the hats/caps and sunglasses are not permitted. Please apply sunscreen to children before school.



#### Worship Together, Aspire Together, Excel Together

#### We will soon be announcing the winners of our school motto poster competition…Watch this space



**Wishing you all a safe and happy weekend, please remember to support your child with their reading and homework.**

**God Bless - Mrs Appah**