

Welcome Back!

Welcome back to Spring term, we hope you all had a lovely Christmas and New Year!

This term is our Discover project and we'll be exploring the big question of 'Should we always believe what we see?'

P.E. Days

Your child will continue to have P.E. through MSR on a Tuesday morning. Please ensure a correct and named P.E. kit is in school each week.



Swimming will continue on Wednesday mornings.



Reading

Your child will continue to be given an independent reading book as well as a library book.

Please regularly check and sign your child's planner and encourage your child to read at home.

Mathletics & Reading Eggs
Your child will be set tasks on Mathletics and Reading Eggs which can be accessed at home.



Don't forget to check your child's class webpages on our school website for updates!

<https://stmarys.sch.im/pages/index/view/id/26/Classes>



New Children

We have welcomed a few new children into Year 4 and 5 - Angel and Alexxia in St Philomena, as well as Skye and Alexey in St Veronica.

Our Project in Year 4/5 - Should we always believe what we see?

Our new concepts: Influence Prejudice Fear

This term, our project delves into the world of the Vikings. We will explore their significant impact on life in the Isle of Man and examine whether their fearsome reputation is truly deserved. Our central question is: "Should we always believe what we see?" We will investigate this through the concepts of Prejudice, Fear, and Influence.

Key knowledge:

Primary Source - a original first-hand account of an event, topic or historical time period.

Secondary Source - a second-hand account that interprets primary sources. (They often use primary sources as the basis for their content).

Trips

To extend our new learning, we will take trips to the House of Mannananmand the Manx Museum - dates TBC.