





Mary Howard Primary School Summer Term Friday 16th May 2025



It is the smallest of all the seeds, but when it has grown it is the greatest of shrubs and becomes a tree, so that the birds of the air come and make nests in its branches.

Parable of the Mustard Seed-Matthew 13:31-32

Message from Miss Mills

Dear Families

I would like to take a moment to congratulate our Year 6 children on their hard work and dedication during this week's SATs. They have demonstrated remarkable diligence and resilience, and I am incredibly proud of each one of them. To celebrate their efforts, I hope they enjoyed their special treat—a well-deserved trip to Drayton Manor, generously funded by our PTFAs.

I also want to express my heartfelt gratitude to Miss Warner for her exceptional preparation of the children for their SATs. Your dedication is truly appreciated!

I'm pleased to share that the recent film night was a huge success! Thank you to everyone who participated and contributed to making it such a memorable event.

A big thank you to FOMH for their tireless work in organising fantastic events and raising funds to enhance the experiences of our children. Plans are in place, and quotes have been obtained for the new outdoor area, and new Mary Howard sports t-shirts have been ordered. We are still eagerly awaiting the arrival of the new bike rack.

As we approach the end of this swiftly passing term, I encourage everyone to take some time to relax and enjoy the weekend.

In the spirit of our school values, let us reflect on the biblical quote: "For I know the plans I have for you, declares the Lord, plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future." (Jeremiah 29:11). This serves as a reminder of the bright futures that lie ahead for our children.

Warm regards

Rachel Mills

Executive Headteacher

What's coming up this week...

Dates to note...

Monday 19th May

PE Kits

Walk to school Week

Tuesday 20th May

Whole School to Think Tank School Trip - All Day

Wednesday 21st May

Thursday 22nd May

9am Let your light Shine

Friday 23rd May

Class 2 & 3 Swimming lessons MH we will be leaving at 9:05am $\,$

PE Kits

Break up Half Term!

Please access the Schools' website for key events -

Mary Howard- Upcoming Events | Mary Howard CE Primary School

St Andrew's- Upcoming Events | St. Andrew's CE Primary School

(st-andrews-cliftoncampville.staffs.sch.uk)

May

- 19th 23rd May Walk to school week!
- 20th May Trip to the Think Tank
- 22nd May MH Let your light shine worship 9am (please note the change of date)
- Half Term 26th 30th May

June

- 2nd June Inset Day Return to school Tue 3rd June
- 6th June Rock up & Read 8:45 to 9:15am (MH Parents C2 & 3 will need to leave at 9.20 for swimming)
- 11th June Fathers Day Breakfast (further details to follow)
- 12th June Cross Country KS2 @ Richard Crosse
- 13th June Asdad fathers day present shop MH (See events)
- 16-20th June Sports week all pupils to wear PE kit everyday
- 17th June KS2 Athletics competition Tamworth Sports Stadium
- 18th June Spelling Bee Final at Richard Crosse (TBC)
- 23rd June French Cafe- Class 3- all families welcome

July

- 4th July Rock up & Read 8:45 to 9:15am
- 4th July MH Colour Run & Summer Fayre (see events)
- 5th July Tamworth Arts Festival
- 7th July MH Sports day 9:15am
- 9th 11th July Year 5&6 Residential to Laches Wood please ensure all payments are made by Monday 30th June and permission forms complete
- 16th July 9.15am MH Leavers Service
- 18th July Break up for Summer Holiday!

Dinners for Week Commencing 19th May 2025 - Week 3







Mary Howard Events



Runner ticket - £5 each - includes a colour run T-shirt and sunglasses

Powder thrower ticket - £2 each
Free entry to Summer Fayre - no ticket required





Games
Food and drink
and much more!!







Mary Howard - Nominations -Thursday 22nd May - 9am



Class 1

Ruby - Perseverance

Elijah - Love

Class 2

Myra - Love

Arley - Perseverance

Class 3

Thomas - Wisdom

Isla B - Love

Reminders

A polite reminder that children should not be walking between staff cars at any time for health and safety reasons.

Parents should also not be parking within the school gates to drop children off, due to safety of the children and congestion.

Thank You

Year 5 & 6 Residential

Just a quicker reminder that the balance's for the year 5 & 6 residential taking place on July 9th - 11th are due by Monday 30th June on parent pay.

Term Dates 2024-2025

Term Dates 2025-2026

Summer Term 2025

Holiday: Monday 26th May - Friday 30th May

Inset: Monday 2nd June
Term Ends: Friday 18th July
Inset: Monday 21st July

Holiday Monday 21st July - Friday 29th August



Autumn Term 2025

Inset day: Monday 1 September and Tuesday 2 September

Term Starts: Wednesday 3 September

Holiday: Monday 27 October – Friday 31 October

TSSMAT Inset day: Monday 3 November

Term Ends: Friday 19 December

Holiday: Monday 22 December – Friday 2 January

Spring Term 2026

Inset Day: Monday 5 January
Term Starts: Tuesday 6 January

Holiday: Monday 16 February – Friday 20 February

Term Ends: Friday 27 March

Holiday: Monday 30 March - Friday 10 April

Easter Sunday: Sunday 5 April

Summer Term 2026

Term Starts: Monday 13 April

May Day: Monday 4 May

Holiday: Monday 25 May – Friday 29 May

Term Ends: Friday 17 July Inset: Monday 20 July

Holiday: Monday 20 July - Monday 31 August