

St Mary's Catholic Primary School



Progression in Prayer

Prayers will be gradually introduced in each year group so that children will be familiar with age- related prayers within each KS and will recite prayers with ease and confidence

Children will be able to recognise, recite and confidently participate in prayer both at school, with family and at Mass. *(see RE action plan)*

EYFS N/R (3-5yrs)	Year 1 /2 (5-7yrs)	Year 3/4 (7-9yrs)	Year 5/6 (9-11yrs)
Prayers: Introduce and become familiar with: The Sign of the Cross The Lord's Prayer Grace before meals Grace after meals Introduce: Hail Mary	Prayers: Increased familiarity with: The Sign of the Cross The Lord's Prayer Grace before meals Grace after meals Hail Mary Introduce: Glory Be	Prayers: To say with increased confidence: The Sign of the Cross The Lord's Prayer Grace before meals Grace after meals Hail Mary Glory Be Introduce: The Apostles' Creed An Act of Contrition Angel of God Come, Holy Spirit The Prayer of St Richard of Chichester	Prayers: To say with increased confidence: The Sign of the Cross The Lord's Prayer Grace before meals Grace after meals Hail Mary Glory Be The Apostles' Creed An Act of Contrition Angel of God Come, Holy Spirit The Prayer of St Richard of Chichester The Benedictus The Angelus

			Hail Holy Queen The Memorare Jesus, Mary and Joseph, I give you Eternal Rest
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Even where prayers are known by heart, there will be circumstances, such as in the celebration of the Sacrament of Penance and Reconciliation, where assistance might be necessary. (RED)