



Mary Dean's CE Primary School

Dear Parents and Carers,

Finally, it feels as if Spring is in the air... let's hope it lasts.

Class Photos

Your child should have brought home a proof of their class photograph. If you wish to purchase one of these pictures, please return the form and payment by **Monday 4th April**. Photos will then be delivered to school after the Easter break.

Term Dates

Just some reminders as there are some key dates ahead.

Last day of Spring Term: Friday 8th April

First day of Summer Term: Tuesday 26th April

May Day Bank Holiday: Monday 2nd May

Year 6 SATS Tests: Monday 9th – Thursday 12th May

Year 2 Assessments: Throughout May.

Mid Term Break: Monday 29th May – Wednesday 8th June

Year 1 Phonics Tests: From 9th June

Sports Week: Monday 27th June

NB: No absence will be authorised during SATS periods.

Holiday Absence

There has been a recent increase in requests for holiday absence.

I fully appreciate that some holiday dates have been changed due to the pandemic and that this is unavoidable. However, care should still be taken not to book holidays in term time as they cannot be authorised.

We have deliberately made the break in May an extended one so families can enjoy cheaper prices away from the main school holiday limitations.

The academic year 2021-2022 will be the first in the last 3 years that children will have had the chance to be in school every single day without limit. We need to make the most of every day!

Be a School Governor!

We are seeking a Parent

Representative to join our Board of committed Governors.

It's a great opportunity to be involved in the school and to have a genuine impact on the lives of children.

For more information, please contact the school office on

**773521 or email the Clerk to Governors,
Karenwilliams@marydeans.plymouth.sch.uk**

Have a lovely weekend.

Mrs T Jones Head Teacher



A school family, learning for life in all its fullness

