

19TH JUNE 2026

THE BIG FUTURE!

There was a real buzz around school yesterday as children discovered who their teachers will be for the next academic year.

Please see below for the teaching staff structure for the 2026–2027 academic year:

Year R – Dover Class : Mrs Buddle and Mrs Vincent

Year 1 – Dover Class : Mr Boot

Year 2 – Dymchurch Class : Miss Burton

Year 3 – Broadstairs Class : Mr Kennington

Year 4 – Walmer Class : Miss Brisley

Year 5 – Folkestone Class : Mrs Thomson

Year 6 – Margate Class : Mrs Little and Mrs Cador

Our wonderful team of teaching assistants will continue to work across the school on a needs basis, with Mrs Goodman, Mrs Smith and Mrs Cawood-Health working mainly with our younger children in EYFS/Key Stage 1 and Mr Vaccaro and Mrs Deans working mainly in Key Stage 2. Miss Crews, as our Pastoral and SEN Support Assistant, and Juliet White, as our Family Liaison Officer, will also work with children across the school on a needs basis.

RESULTS!



EYFS/KS1 SPORTS DAY

Thank you to everyone for coming to our EYFS/KS1 Sports Day on Monday!

We had a great time watching the children as they courageously got stuck into the different events! We hope you all enjoyed the afternoon too!

To the left, you can see the Sports Day scores for EYFS/KS1. We wonder if these will change after the KS2 event on 7th July.

Unfortunately, our camera didn't make it to the event so, if you got any good photos of your child at sports day, we'd love to see these emailed through to us at office@stmartins.kent.sch.uk

1st	Sapphires
2nd	Rubies
3rd	Emeralds
4th	Diamonds

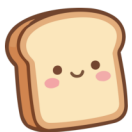




SAFEGUARDING - APPS AND SOCIAL MEDIA

This week, the Government announced future plans to ban social media access for under-16s as part of a wider package of online safety measures aimed at protecting children from harmful content, online bullying and addictive platform features.

While legislation and platform policies can help, parents remain the first line of defence. If your child has a smartphone or tablet, it's important to regularly check the apps they have installed, understand which platforms they're using, and review their online activity through open and ongoing conversations. Social media trends, messaging apps and online communities can change quickly, making regular oversight an essential part of helping children navigate the digital world safely and responsibly.



Our breakfast club runs from 8am in our school hall. As places are limited, please remember to pre-book this provision on the School Gateway App in advance. On arrival, we ask kindly that parents wait to hand their child over to our breakfast club staff, who will mark children in on their register.



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DIARY DATES:

New or changed dates are in blue.

- 23.06.26 10:30am- NELFT Parent Workshop - Starting Primary School (Virtual)
- 24.06.26 No Y4 swimming this week
- 24.06.26 Yoga workshops for children
- 24.06.26-26.06.26 - Y6 Trip to Kingswood
- 29.06.26 Y6 Transition event based at Priory Fields
- 30.06.26 Whole School Transition Afternoon with next year's teacher
- 01.07.26 - Kent Test registration closes (for Y5 parents)
- 02.07.26 - Y6 Transition Day/ Whole School Transition Day
- 06.07.26 Y5 trip to the lunchtime concert at Charlton Church
- 06.07.26 5:30pm- NELFT Parent Workshop - Moving to Secondary School (Virtual)
- 07.07.26 1:30pm - KS2 Sports Day at Vale View
- 07.07.26 6pm Y6 Play Performance
- 10.07.26 Reports home to parents
- 13.07.26 5:30-7pm Y6 Leavers' Disco
- 14.07.26 and 16.07.26 Back up dates for Sports Day
- 15.07.26 Parent Drop In Consultations
- 17.07.26 9:15am Y6 Leavers' Assembly for parents

Further Term dates can be found here:

[Term Dates](#)

ATTENDANCE



Broadstairs Class - 99%



Folkestone Class - 98.7%



Dover Class - 98.1%