

# Newsletter: Week 7

The value we are thinking about this half term is:

## Service

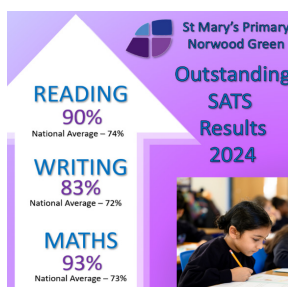
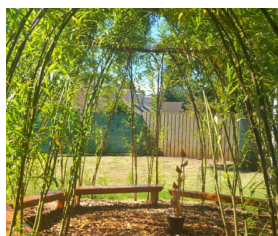
*"Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others, as faithful servants of God's grace in its various forms" Peter 4:10*

## Update from Mrs Blake and Mrs Nettleship

With only two more days left of school next week for this academic year, this will be the last newsletter of this year. As we reach the end of St Mary's another successful school year, I would like to take this opportunity to extend my heartfelt thanks to all of you for your support and involvement in our wonderful school. We bid a fond farewell to our Year 6 children and their families, we are incredibly proud of their achievements and growth over the years. We also say goodbye to staff members who are moving on to new ventures, as well as children who are transferring to different schools. Each of you has contributed to the fabric of our school, and you will be missed.

At St Mary's, we are delighted with the unique selling points that make our learning environment so special. These include our commitment to nurturing each child's individual talents, our strong sense of community, and our innovative approach to teaching and learning. We work hard so that our children not only achieve academic success, but also develop into well-rounded, confident individuals. St. Mary's we are proud of:

- SATS results
- Garden
- Improvements with our curriculum and learning environment
- Forest School



On behalf of the Staff and Governors, we wish you all a restful and enjoyable summer. We look forward to welcoming our returning children and families in the new term, ready for another year of learning and growth.

Mrs Blake and Mrs Nettleship



## Dates/ Information

- **20th July:** St Mary's Summer Fair
- **22nd July:** Year 6 Leavers Service at St Mary's Church-9.00am

### School Houses

The winner of the school house competition is Amazonite with 4088 points. To celebrate this, the children can have a non-uniform day on Monday 22nd July.

### School Hours Change from September

From Thursday 5th September, our school hours will change. The registers will be completed at 8.40am and the children will be dismissed at 3.10pm.

### Our Vision - 'Good Ground Grows Well'

*Through our Christian ethos, we teach children to hear, understand and live the word of God, helping them to give back to the world as global citizens. As every child is uniquely created in God's image, we nurture their individual development through a holistic approach to all aspects of life.*