

St Mary's Lewisham CE Primary School

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Our Vision

To be a learning community that promotes the unique gifts, wellbeing and potential of every person. Our work is founded on the life and teaching of Jesus Christ, building on His message of equality, peace and justice, guided by His words 'As I have loved you, so you must love one another' (John 13:34).

8 September 2023

Dear Parents & Carers,

THREE IMPORTANT MEETINGS FOR PARENTS/CARERS OF CHILDREN IN YEAR 6

This letter provides some information about three upcoming meetings that we strongly encourage you to attend.

1. Secondary transfer workshop – 15 September 2023

The deadline for choosing a Lewisham secondary school for your child for next year is Monday 31 October 2023. Along with this letter you will receive a booklet with some information about secondary schools and how to apply.

We will be hosting a **secondary transfer workshop** next Friday 15th September @ 9.15am in the Community Hub. At the workshop you will receive help and advice about choosing a secondary school, how the system works and what you should be looking for in a school. Breakfast will be provided.

Sign up using the link below:

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/secondary-school-workshop-for-st-marys-lewisham-ce-primary-school-parents-tickets-653926731457?aff=oddtcreator>

2. Year 6 class parent meeting – 21 September 2023

You are also invited to the **Year 6 Class parent meeting** on Thursday 21st Sept at 5pm. This meeting will be held in class and will provide an opportunity for you to meet your child's new teacher and hear about the teaching and learning planned for the 23/24 academic year including preparation for SATs, as well as how you can support your child's learning at home. We will also be providing some final information about the upcoming PGL School Journey.

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3. Individual parent meetings with Headteacher – 3-5 October 2023

Please also **book an individual meeting with me** in October to discuss your child's secondary school application, their attainment and progress towards their SATs. You can book a meeting using this link: <https://stmaryslewisham.schoolcloud.co.uk/>.

We will allocate the remaining slots to those parents that do not select their preferred date and time, so do sign up to get a time that is convenient for you.

If you require any assistance with booking any of these meetings please speak to a member of the school office team.

Yours sincerely,



Christine Graham
Headteacher