

St Martin's CE Newsletter

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Matthew 5:16

Dear Parents and Carers

As we come to the end of another busy and rewarding term, we would like to thank you for your continued support. The children have worked incredibly hard and demonstrated resilience, kindness, and enthusiasm in all areas of school life.

A Safe and Restful Break

With the upcoming holiday, we kindly remind all families to encourage children to stay safe—whether they are out in the community, online, or travelling. Please ensure they know where they are going, who they are with, and how to contact an adult if needed.

We hope everyone enjoys a well deserved rest.

Class	Attendance
NBM am	93.3%
NBM pm	92.9%
NBM All Day	73.8%
RAM	87.2%
1LH	89.9%
2EH	96.3%
3DJ	87.7%
4ZT	84.4%
5SD	90.2%
SHJ	94.2%
6CB	94.8%
6SW	90.6%
Whole School	89.7%

Inspired by Martin of Tours, our Christian school warmly embraces all. We see our children as courageous advocates, shaping communities now and for the future. Guided by compassion, trust, prayer and a spirit of generosity, our children flourish and shine as beacons of light, making a positive impact on society.



School Notices:

We've got an exciting way for you to support St Martin's and it won't cost you a single penny extra!

Here's how it works: Every time you shop online whether it's for groceries, gifts, clothes, or even booking a holiday 8,000+ retailers like Tesco, M&S, John Lewis, eBay, Argos, ASOS, Booking.com and many more will donate to us for FREE through easyfundraising! Yep, you heard that right raise money just by shopping like usual!

For the month of October, for everyone who joins via the easyfundraising App, we'll get a £2 bonus for each new supporter! Plus, when more than 10 sign up, we'll unlock more bonus funding! It's quick, it's easy, and it's FREE get the App now at and choose to support St Martin's CE Primary West Drayton once installed <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/easyfundraising-app/> Thanks for your continued support.

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These children have all been awarded for showing the school values or 'Shining Brightly' this week—how can you show the school values and let your light shine?

Class	Beacon of the Week	Value Award for the week
Nursery	Barak	Haadi
Reception	Humaira	Kevin
1LH	Harlie-Jai	
2EH	Deniz & Velosh	Arshan, Eden, Daniel & Akex
3DJ	Archie	Nora
4ZT	Myra & Nellie	Whole Class
5HJ	Demi	Mujtaba
5SD	Mirana	Amir
6CB	Darcey - Mae	Charbel
6SW	Ujwal	Zach

Click on the link for the latest updates at St. Martin's Church

[St Martin's Church News](#)

'To enable spiritual growth and show the love of God to everyone'

Question for thought:

Is doing the wrong thing for the right reason, ever acceptable?

As a family, you can discuss the above question...what do you think?

If you have any safeguarding concerns please ask to speak to one of the following adults: Mr Rowden (Deputy Head, Designated Safeguarding lead), Mrs Coates (Headteacher), Miss Baxter (KS2 Lead) or Miss Higgins (Assistant Headteacher, SENDCo).

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Dear Parents and Carers,

In today's connected world, staying safe online is just as important as staying safe in the real one. As technology evolves, so do the risks—ranging from scams and data theft to accidental misuse of online content. Here are some key reminders to help you protect yourself, your information, and your digital reputation while ensuring you remain on the right side of the law.

Everything posted online can be saved, shared, and resurfaced—even if deleted.

Stay respectful in comments and conversations.

Avoid sharing harmful rumours or unverified information.

Think before posting: *'Would I be comfortable if this were shown publicly?'*

What is illegal online?

Some online activities may feel harmless but can lead to serious consequences. These include:

- Attempting to access accounts or systems without permission.
- Sharing explicit or graphic content.
- Harassment or online bullying.
- Using illegal streaming, downloading, or file-sharing platforms.

If in doubt, check the law or ask a trusted source—ignorance isn't a defence.

A safe online experience isn't just about protecting yourself—it's about respecting others, valuing privacy, and using the internet responsibly. Together, we can keep our digital spaces safe, positive, and lawful.

0 DAYS OFF 190 DAYS ATTENDED	100%	★ PERFECTION ★ "EXCELLENT ACHIEVEMENT"
4 SCHOOL DAYS OFF EACH YEAR	98%	IMPRESSIVE
7 SCHOOL DAYS OFF EACH YEAR	96%	NEARLY THERE
9 SCHOOL DAYS OFF EACH YEAR	95%	CAN BE IMPROVED "INCREASE YOUR CHANCES OF BETTER GRADES"
11 SCHOOL DAYS OFF EACH YEAR	94%	NEEDS TO IMPROVE
20 SCHOOL DAYS OFF EACH YEAR	90%	SERIOUS CONCERNS "CLASSED AS A PERSISTENT ABSENTEE" referred to Education Welfare Service
30 SCHOOL DAYS OFF EACH YEAR	85%	RISK OF PROSECUTION "can be damaging to a student's social, emotional and mental wellbeing"
38 SCHOOL DAYS OFF EACH YEAR	80%	

Diary Dates	
31.03.26	Felix food delivery - details to follow
10.04.26	Felix food delivery - details to follow
13.04.26	Summer Term begins
04.05.26	May Day Bank Holiday—School closed
11.05.26	SATs Week for Year 6
15.05.26	Choir Concert—more details to follow
22.05.26	School closes for half term



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VENUE: Clifton Gardens, UB10 0EJ

WHEN: EVERY THURSDAY (EXL SCHOOL HOLIDAYS)

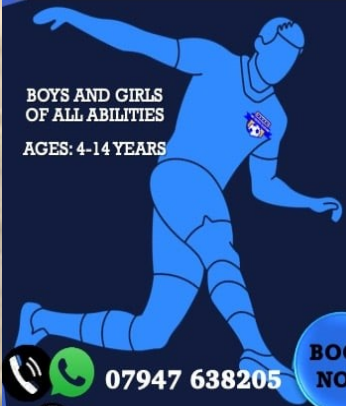
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YEAR 4-YEAR 5: 7pm-8pm YEAR 6-YEAR 7: 7pm-8pm

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WHEN: EVERY MONDAY (EXL SCHOOL HOLIDAYS)

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YEAR 4-YEAR 5: 7pm-8pm YEAR 6-YEAR 7: 7pm-8pm

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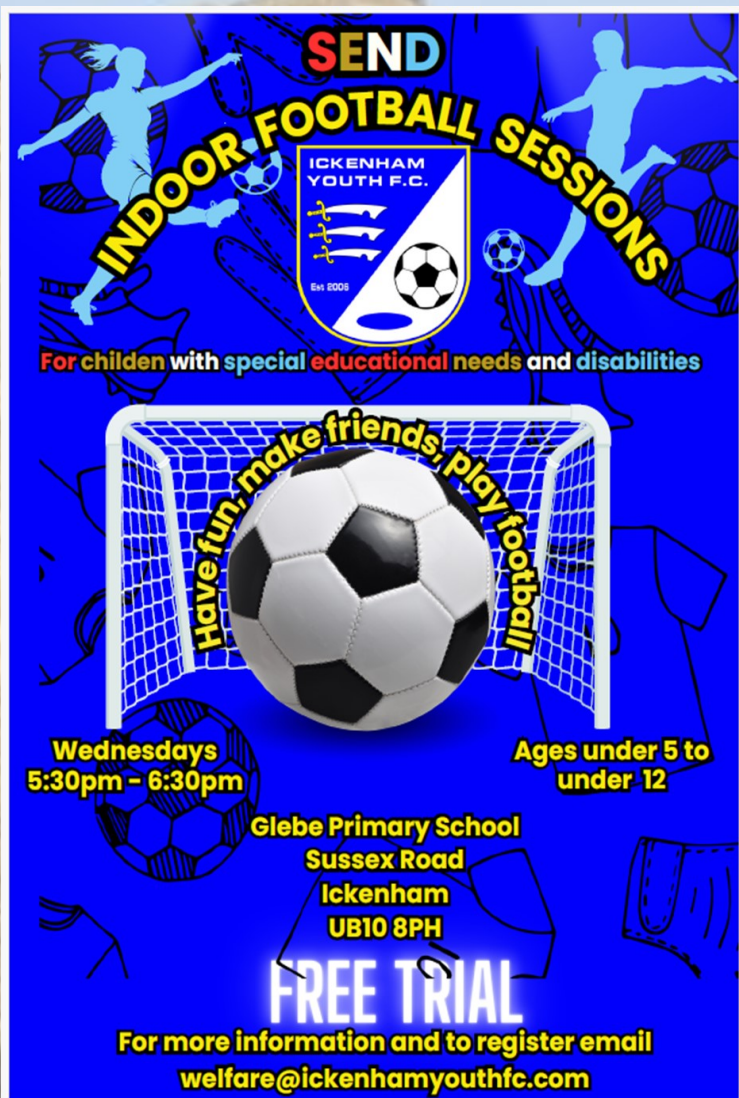
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School Friend Club @ St. Martin's

Promo code: AutumnMember2025

Valid July 30th 2025—October 24th 2025

Annual Family Registration Fee: £25.00

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