

St Mary's News



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Cashless Payments Survey

Thank you to everyone who returned the questionnaire about online/cashless payments. The final number of people who responded was 98. It was also good to see that 64 of the responses were online which, given that the question was about using an online system, was very encouraging!

The final percentages are below.

I would definitely use an online payment system	71%
I would probably use an online payment system	13%
I might use an online payment system	9%
I probably wouldn't use an online payment system	3%
I definitely wouldn't use an online payment system	3%

As there seem to be large number of families who would use an online payment system, we will get this set up as quickly as possible and I'll let you have the details as soon as it is ready to go live.

Keep Safe

Just a quick reminder about keeping your children safe on the way to school. There are many dangers on our local

streets, whether that is heavy traffic on the Marylebone Road or (potentially) individuals who may be drawn to the organisations that help rough sleepers in our immediate neighbourhood.

Please cross the local roads carefully, using the crossings, and make sure your children are close enough for you to supervise effectively.

If your children are in Year 6 and come to school on their

own, please reinforce these messages when you send them to school and make sure they know what to do if they are approached in the street by someone, or feel uneasy about something.

Newsletter by email

If you used to receive this newsletter by email, but didn't receive it last week or this week, please let us know. One of our email distribution lists was corrupted last week and we've lost the

details of everyone who was on it.

School Website: Year 6 SATs and the 'Pupil Premium.'

We've been updating the information on our school website.

If you want to know how our Year 6 pupils did in the tests at the end of last year, or how we used our 'Pupil Premium' money, look at the 'Parent Information' tab on our website and choose whichever report you're interested in.

What's On This Week

- Thursday: Year 4 and Year 6 swimming day
- Year 3 class assembly at 2.30

School Dates

- Thursday, 10th October: Harvest Service (Church) at 9.30
- Tuesday, 22nd October: School Photographs
- **Friday, 25th October: last day of Term 1**
- **Monday, 4th November: first day of Term 2**

71% of our families would definitely use an online payment system



Peter Hadfield