



Welcome to
St Mary's C of E (VA) Primary School.

This will be your new school very soon . . .

Welcome to Butterfly Class!



Classroom

This is the classroom that you will come into each day to see your friends and to learn.



The classroom is free flow and you are allowed to learn independently, taking responsibility for the activities you do. Sometimes we learn on the carpet or at the tables with a grown up to support us.

When you are on the carpet you will have your very own leaf to sit on and look after.



We have a lovely reading area where you can read independently or with your friends.



We also have toilets and sinks in our classroom for you to use whenever you like.

Decking

We have an outside area where you can continue to do lots of independent learning at all the different areas - play house, role play, reading nook, water trays, sand pit, large construction, music area, chalk boards, writing area and small world.



Playground

This is the playground where you will play with your friends during break and lunch time. You may also do P.E. and experience lots of other activities here.



Adventure playground

Here is our adventure playground where you will develop physically and socially. It has lots of opportunities to climb, complete obstacles and it is great fun!



Outside classroom

This is where we learn in an outside environment. There are seats and a chalk board so we can learn outside in a comfortable setting.



Meadow

This is the meadow where you will do P.E. and play during the Summer. We also run our Golden Mile here.



The school hall



This is the school hall where you will take part in Collective Worship every morning. You will also do P.E. in here when it is too cold to go outside.



You will also eat your lunch here, whether you are packed lunch or school dinners.

Buddy system

At St Mary's we have a brilliant Buddy system in place, this is where you will be paired with a Year 6 pupil and they will help you; eat your lunch, read with you and play with you during your 1st term during playtime and lunch.

St Mary's Church



We often visit St Mary's Church during Easter and Christmas and various other times throughout the year.



School Christian values and vision



At school we follow Christian values including: respect, compassion, perseverance, trust, truthfulness, and friendship. Our school motto is '*Let your light shine as you grow*' and reflects all we do in and outside school.

Forest school



We are lucky enough to participate in Forest school once a week on our school site.



We take part in den building, tree climbing and explore our natural environment. This

enables children to acquire important life skills which cannot be offered in the classroom.



School uniform:

At St Mary's we take pride in our school and wearing our smart purple school uniform:



We hope you are excited about starting school.

We look forward to welcoming you soon!



'Let your light shine as you grow'