



# St Mary's and St John's CE School

*"With God, all things are possible" (Matthew 19:26)*

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Dear Parents/Carers,

## **TOPIC BASED HOMEWORK**

Our focus this half term in Literacy is **The Jolly Postman**, and towards the end of the term each class will explore and share a book, linked to the interests of the individual class. The books being shared are on the Curriculum Map for Summer 2.

Our PSED and Understanding the World learning link well together as they explore change, transition, how people can help us and, in turn, how we can help others, as Jesus did. We will be learning about some Bible stories, where Jesus saved people. Our biggest transition will be preparing for Year 1 - developing the children's resilience and stamina, as well as encouraging them to be a good role model to others.

Well done to all of those who submitted their Summer 1 learning. There was some amazing creativity and imagination applied to your learning; I was really impressed! Equally, those that supported a local charity; a fantastic gesture to help others.

As a reminder, you can upload all your pictures and videos from home onto Tapestry, with the title 'Home-learning' and/or send the work in to class so everyone can see the fantastic learning that has taken place. This is a great chance for your child to talk about their learning and use problem solving and reasoning skills to identify solutions to completing their work.

I look forward to seeing all of the creative work and story writing when you upload it to Tapestry or hand in to your class teacher on **Monday 15th July 2019**. Please remember to make sure your child's name is on any home learning that is sent in. I will, as always, upload some of the children's work on to our Twitter account which is @SMSJ\_London

Many thanks,

Miss Corkill

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| <p>Write a list of all the people who help you and how.<br/>Draw your favourite community helper e.g. Nurse/Firefighter/Vet/Police Officer/Paramedic/Nurse/Teacher/Dentist.</p> <p><b>OR</b></p> <p>Create a poster of all the activities your son/daughter has enjoyed whilst being in Reception.</p> | <p>Design a set of postcards (up to 6) featuring summer activities.</p> <p><b>OR</b></p> <p>Explore and use money. Create different combinations of money. Go to the shop with a £1/£2 coin and buy three things - work out the coins you have left. Try this several times.</p> <p>Count the money in your piggy bank or the coins that are in your mum's purse/dad's wallet.<br/>(Tapestry)</p> | <p>Create a map of the road you live on, featuring trees, postboxes, road signs - where the Jolly Postman would know where to deliver the letter; this could be 2d or 3d.</p> <p><b>OR</b></p> <p>Create your own interactive version of The Jolly Postman - you may wish to use the same characters or introduce new ones. This can also feature some 'pop - up' features if you wish. Remember to include letters/postcards/recipes/invitations/flyers or leaflets - all the things a Postman could deliver.</p> |