



Martin News

The newsletter for the Martin School community

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Attendance Awards

Winners of this week's class awards:

Year 1 & Year 2:	2EB with 99.1%
Year 3 & Year 4:	3LR with 99.3%
Year 5 & Year 6:	6LC with 99.0%

Thought for the month

What makes a good friend?



What an unbelievably hot week it has been! I know you will join me in saying an enormous **THANK YOU** to all the staff at the school who have worked so hard to keep the children safe, cool and calm—they are all magnificent!!! Thank you also to the MHSA for providing the children and staff with icepops; they were very much appreciated!

Please find attached the staffing arrangements for next year. I am sad to let you know that a few members of staff will be leaving us at the end of this term. Hannah Paul has been a teacher at the school for seven years and a member of our English team. She has taught many of our children and I know they and their families are so grateful to her for all her support. Hannah is leaving us to pursue other career paths. Rob Shepherd has been a member of the Premises Team for over 16 years and he has provided invaluable support to Tristan and the rest of the team. Rob has been a reliable and efficient member of the team and we wish him every success in his full-time position at another school. Finally, Raj Rawal, one of our wonderful teaching assistants, will be leaving us to focus on her other interests. Raj has also been at the school for over 16 years and she has supported so many of our children, particularly those going through their SATs tests in Year 6. I know you will join me in thanking Hannah, Rob and Raj for all their hard work and commitment to our school.

Have a lovely weekend. **Ziz Chater**

This week's winners



Gold Stars



1BT - Jeanne	5AE - Sophia
1CM - Emma	5GB - Evan
1LK - Theo	5SR - Kaito
2CF - Sasha	6BG - Rayel
2EB - Lamek	6LC - Hector
2OD - Lucas	6WW - Husam
3LR - Millie	
3JL - Rayan	
3RT - Masha	

Rights Respecting



1BT - Kairon	5AE - Flora
1CM - Solomiia	5GB - Louis
1LK - Polina	5SR - Ankush
2CF - Elio	6BG - Cindy
2EB - Lina	6LC - Micah
2OD - Luca	6WW - Mara
3LR - Diego	
3JL - Sylvie	
3RT - Cairo	

Reader of the week



1BT - Parker	3RT - Sophie
1CM - Darcie & Aiden	5GB - Leo
	6BG - Joelle
1LK - Elena	6LC - Halle
2CF - Kiera	6WW - Niamh
2EB - Anaya	
2OD - Orli	
3LR - Arlo	
3JL - Rei	



Secret Superstar awards

Noor in 2CF, Maya in 3JL
and Kyra in 6LC

MHSA
Martin Home School Association

FRIDAY
3rd JULY 2026
3:30 PM - 6PM

Summer Family Fair

MARTIN PRIMARY SCHOOL

Plane Tree Walk, N2 9JP

Entrance Fee
Adult £1
Kids Free

BBQ • Cakes • Face Painting •
Ice Cream Van • Candy Floss • Crafts •
Raffle • Inflatables • Tombola •
Games • School Choir

SPONSORS

TATLERS

Budgens

GRAHAMS
ORGANIC & FREE RANGE

TaxAssist
Accountants

SUMMER TERM 2026

Monday 13th April 2026 to
Monday 20th July 2026

Half term

Monday 25th May to
Friday 29th May 2026

school closed Monday 1st June, Monday 20th
July (staff training) & Monday 4th May
(bank holiday)

AUTUMN TERM 2026

Tuesday 1st September 2026 to
Friday 18th December 2026

Half term

Monday 26th October to
Friday 30th October 2026

school closed Tuesday 1st & Wednesday 2nd
September
(staff training)

SPRING TERM 2027

Tuesday 5th January 2027 to
Thursday 25th March 2027

Half term

Monday 15th February to
Friday 19 February 2026

school closed Monday 4th January
(staff training)

Martin Nursery



We are now inviting applications for children who will be three years old by January 2027 to join our school nursery. Rated '**Outstanding**' by Ofsted, our nursery offers a fun and engaging curriculum, including weekly sessions in our wonderful Forest School. We focus on ensuring that every child enjoys a smooth and happy transition into Reception with the skills and confidence they need to thrive throughout their primary school journey.

We offer morning, afternoon and full-day places with additional wraparound care from **7.30am to 6pm** through LBL, our excellent on-site childcare provider. LBL also runs an on-site holiday club, providing families with access to up to **49 weeks of childcare each year**.

We will be running school tours throughout the term for parents and carers who would like to learn more about the nursery and the rest of the school. If you have friends or family who may be interested, please encourage them to book a visit by **calling 0208 883 1455**.

Dates for your diary



Tuesday 30th June
Wednesday 1st July
Thursday 2nd July

Friday 3rd July

Tuesday 7th July
Wednesday 8th July

Thursday 9th July

Friday 10th July
Tuesday 14th July
Wednesday 15th July

Year 2 trip to Canvey Island
Nursery Celebrations @ 9am and 1pm
Year 6 Secondary Transfer Day
Reception to Year 5 Meet their new teacher day
New Nursery (September 2026) stay and play @ 4-5pm
Walkathon
Reception celebrations at 9.10am
MHSA SUMMER FAIR 3.30pm to 6pm
Annual Reports sent to parents/carers (after school)
Year 6 Leavers' show @ 9.15am to parents & carers
Year 6 Leavers' show @ 6pm to parents & carers
Year 2 celebrations at 9.10am
Year 3 celebrations at 9.10am
Year 2 Jamboree @ 5-7pm
Year 1 celebrations @ 9.10am
Year 4 celebrations @ 9.10am
Year 5 celebrations @ 9.10am

Friday 17th July - Last day of Summer Term @ 2pm

Additional dates can be found on our website at: <https://www.martinprimary.org.uk/diary/>

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