



Year 3

Dear Parents/Carers,

What a busy week! It was lovely communicating the children’s triumphs and achievements during parents evening. We thank you again for your continued support with learning! The children were absolute superstars during the Lent concert and blew us away with their brilliant singing and dancing.


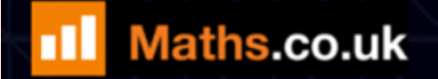

Have a fantastic Easter break!

The Y3 Team

- **Back to school – 13.4.26**

Homework expectations

NO HOMEWORK WILL BE SET OVER THE EASTER HOLIDAYS

<p>Spellings – tested on Friday</p> 	<p>Maths.co.uk - Due by Friday</p> 
<p>Times tables – tested on Friday</p> <p>At least 6 minutes a week on TTRS</p> 	<p>Reading – 15 minutes a day</p> <p>Renaissance</p> <p>RWI –please read the book your child has brought home.</p> <p>Find the link to AR here. Please complete at least one Accelerated Reader quiz per week (dependent on the size of the book).</p>

Handwriting videos for you to practise at home – these link to what we practise in school

Handwriting

Please feel free to scan the QR code to access a handwriting video that has been covered in class.



Prayer Bag

If your child has been given the prayer bag, please bring back by Friday each week

District Farnham Schools Cross Country

Saturday 16th May 2026

Farnham Park

Y3 - Y6 pupils

It would be fantastic to have as many children from St Polycarp's participating in the cross country.

Further information and how to sign up will follow from Mrs Ramsden



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EASTER PAINTING COMPETITION

COMPETITION IS OPEN TO CHILDREN AGED 7-11 YEARS OLD

THEME GUIDE:

- A SCENE RECALLED FROM PALM SUNDAY AND THROUGH THE EASTER SEASON.
- WRITE BIBLE CHAPTER AND VERSE THAT BEST RELATES TO YOUR PAINTING.
- THE COMPETITOR'S ENTRIES WILL BE OF THEIR OWN FREE HAND DRAWING AND COLOURING PRODUCTION.
- THE USE OF PRE-PREPARED TRACINGS SHOULD BE DISCOURAGED.
- THE ENTRIES ARE TO BE SUBMITTED SIZED EITHER A4 OR A3 ON PAPER OR CARD OF A QUALITY AND COLOUR OF CHOICE.
- THE BIBLE CHAPTER AND VERSE CAN BE WRITTEN ON THE PAINTING, ON THE REVERSE OR ON ATTACHMENT.

AN ENTRY WILL ONLY COUNT IF **ALL** OF THE FOLLOWING ARE PRESENTED CLEARLY: **CHILD'S NAME. AGE. DATE OF BIRTH. SCHOOL YEAR GROUP. NAME AND FULL ADDRESS OF SCHOOL. REMEMBER TO ALSO INCLUDE THE BIBLE VERSE!**

INFORMATION:

Submission Deadline

5th April 2026

FREE ENTRY

Prizes

Winner: £30

2nd place: £20

3rd place: £15

Children should bring their Easter scene to school by the deadline and we will organise a collection with Brother Brian McDermid.



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NATIONAL PRAYER COMPOSITION

COMPETITION IS OPEN TO CHILDREN AGED 7-11 YEARS OLD

THEME GUIDE:

- **“A PRAYER FOR EVERYONE WHO WORKS WITH AND CARES FOR YOUNG PEOPLE IN OUR FAITH COMMUNITY.”**
- THE PRAYER SHOULD BE NO MORE THAN 50 WORDS.
- IT MUST HAVE SPIRITUAL CONTENT AND COMPOSITION

AN ENTRY WILL ONLY COUNT IF **ALL** OF THE FOLLOWING ARE PRESENTED CLEARLY ON THE BACK: **CHILD'S NAME. AGE. DATE OF BIRTH. SCHOOL YEAR GROUP. NAME AND FULL ADDRESS OF SCHOOL.**

INFORMATION:

Submission Deadline

5th April 2026

FREE ENTRY



Prizes

Winner: £30
2nd place: £20
3rd place: £15



Children should bring their prayers to school by the deadline and we will organise a collection with **Brother Brian McDermid.**