



Weekly Newsletter Monday 12th October 2026

Message from the Head of School

Parent consultation evenings have now started and will continue throughout this week.

Please ensure that children remain with you at all times while on the school site and stay within the school hall during your visit.

Our Eco Coach Wraparound Care provision will remain open during consultation evenings, and children will be using other areas of the school site supervised by staff.

Please enter through the green gates and make your way to the school hall.

- Classes 3, 4, 5 and 6: Please wait in the area outside of the Year 5 & 6 classrooms until your appointment.
- Classes 1 and 2: Please wait in the Library until your appointment.

Thank you for your cooperation and support.

Best wishes, Mrs Fleming

Good Work Awards—Week commencing Monday 5th October 2026



Congratulations to the following children, who were awarded Good Work Awards for their work during Friday's worship:

Class 1 - Finn & Jaxon

Class 2 - Bella-Rose & Lucas

Class 3 - Bonnie-Rose & Jenson

Class 4 - Jason & Maximus

Class 5 - Archie N. & Eira

Class 6 - Linkin & Oscar

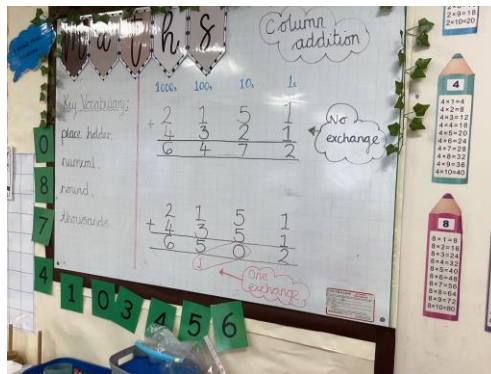
Class 4

Wow! What a great start back to school we have had in year 4. Routines are being established and the children are rising to the challenge.

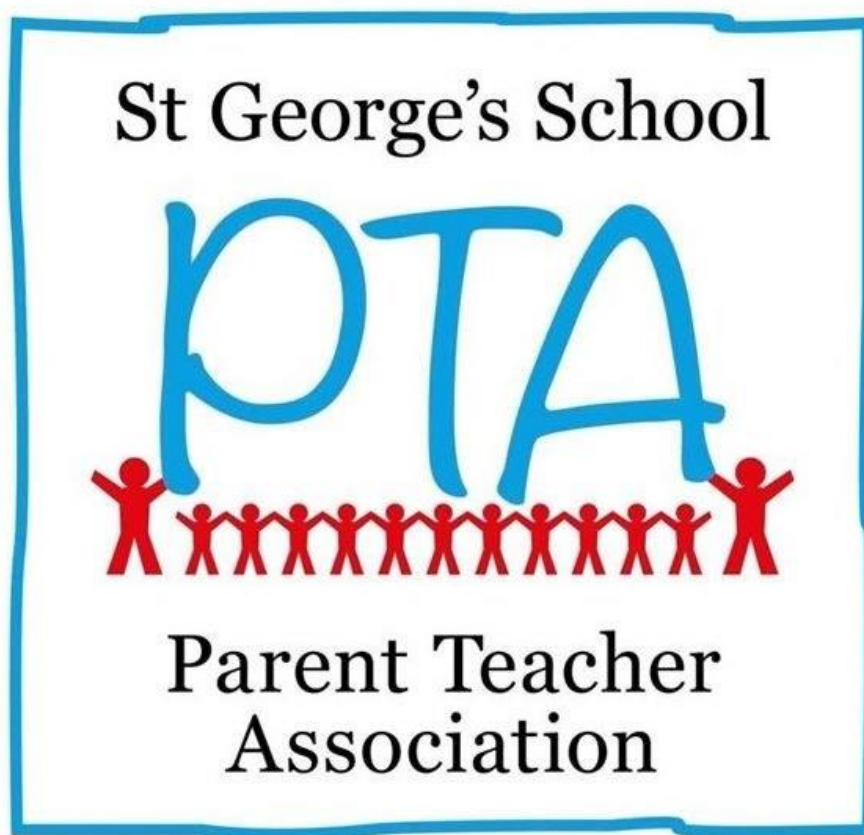
We are loving our geography unit on the rainforest and children have shown super engagement and intrigue. We have even written letters to the President of Brazil, explaining the importance of the rainforest and how we should be protecting it. There are some very convincing arguments! This has linked nicely to our work in Science on classifying and grouping plants and animals. In art, we are using the theme of the rainforest to create our own rainforest mood boards and creating our own colourful batiks.

The class have wowed me in maths with how quickly they are picking up column addition and subtraction. The highlight of our week this week, was looking at animation in Computing. We discussed different ways of bringing 2D images to life and made our own flipbooks which the children begged the teacher to take home. A super start to year 4!









Thank you to everyone who took the time to bake or donate cakes for our sale on 6th October – we raised an impressive £148 which will go towards classroom supplies for the children.

Waitrose have currently got St Georges PTA Stamford as one of their options for token donations – if we win we will receive funds from their community matters scheme – if anyone is able to pop in for their shopping and pop a token in our box we would appreciate it. The more tokens in our box the better chance we stand of receiving a donation from them



Our next events will be 'bags to school' collection in November followed by a dress down day for donations towards the Christmas fayre – dates and more information to follow.

PTA events this term!

Non-uniform day - Friday, November 6th

Children may come to school in their own clothes in exchange for a donation towards our Christmas fair. Full details to follow.

Christmas Fair - Friday, November 27- 3.30pm onwards

Save the date and let us know if you can help out on the day by emailing stgeorgesptastamford@gmail.com

Keeping Children Safe in a Changing Digital World



At St. George's, the safety, privacy, and wellbeing of our pupils is always our highest priority. We are writing to inform you of an important update regarding how we share images and photographs of our students on our school website and official social media channels.

Recent guidance from the National Crime Agency (NCA) and the Internet Watch Foundation (IWF) highlights growing concerns about the misuse of children's images online through artificial intelligence (AI), including the manipulation of ordinary photographs to create harmful content.

In response to this emerging safeguarding risk, and in line with our statutory duties under *Keeping Children Safe in Education*, we will be reviewing how we take and share photographs of pupils.

Wherever possible, we will seek to use images that reduce the likelihood of identification, such as side profiles, photographs taken from behind, wider group shots, or action-focused images showing learning and participation rather than clear facial images.

What this means in practice:

- **Group and Activity Photos:** Moving forward, any photographs shared publicly will be taken from angles, distances, or with digital editing (such as cropping or blurring) that prevents individual pupils' faces from being clearly identifiable.
- **Celebrations and Newsletters:** Photos celebrating student work, sports events, and classroom activities may still be shared internally via secure school platforms (such as Purple Mash, Sway Newsletters), where access is strictly limited to verified parents and staff.
- **Existing Photos:** We are currently auditing our online presence and are in the process of removing or updating older identifiable photographs from our public-facing platforms.
- **Consent Forms:** We are updating our media consent processes. You do not need to take any immediate action regarding existing consent forms, but future permissions will reflect this revised approach to public sharing.

Eco Coach Wraparound Care



🌟🍁 EcoCoach Wraparound Care Update 🍁🌟

🌟 What a fantastic week we've had! 🌟

It's been another brilliant week at EcoCoach Wraparound Care! Our wonderful children have continued to welcome new friends with open arms, creating a kind, friendly and happy space where everyone can feel included.

We've packed the week with creativity, friendship, sports, teamwork, laughter and lots of fun! There really has been something for everyone to enjoy.

🧠🍁 Get Creative!

Our little artists have been busy! We've created colourful pictures for our autumn display, designed movie boxes and theatre tickets, drawn animals, painted pumpkins and even made some fantastic October-themed bracelets.

There have been lots of amazing ideas, and we love seeing the children putting their own creative twists on everything they make!

Game Time!

Chess has made a BIG comeback this week! The children have enjoyed friendly matches, learning new strategies and challenging themselves while having lots of fun.

A huge well done to Soph and Frankie, who have been fantastic role models. They have helped younger children learn how to play, welcomed new friends and shown wonderful kindness and encouragement. ★

Imagination Station!

Our imaginative play has been full of adventures! The children have been caring for their animal toys and Barbies, hosting picnics and tea parties, and becoming doctors and nurses to look after their poorly toys.

It's been wonderful to see their imaginations running wild!

Sports, Skills & Teamwork!

Our sports sessions have been full of energy! The children have enjoyed football, hockey, badminton, golf, running games, gymnastics, dancing and performances on our outdoor stage.

Indoor hockey and badminton have become especially popular, with some fantastic friendly competition and brilliant sportsmanship. We've also loved seeing our older children teaching younger children new skills and encouraging them along the way.

A special well done to Arthur and Luisa for working so hard and developing their new skills this term! 🤝

Miss Ford's Great Pumpkin Challenge!

Calling all EcoCoach artists! 🎃

Miss Ford has challenged everyone to create their own unique pumpkin picture and enter our EcoCoach Pumpkin Competition!

Will yours be spooky, funny, colourful or crazy? We can't wait to see your designs!

🎃 Entries must be in by 19th October!

Let's get creative! ✨

Thursday Smoothies!

Our mission to get everyone loving fruit continues!

After last week's pineapple, mango and strawberry experiment received some... mixed reviews! 😅... we're heading back to the drawing board.

This week, we're GOING BANANAS! 🍌

The children will be experimenting with bananas and other fruits to create their own healthy homemade smoothies. We're excited to see if this week's creation gets a thumbs up!

Looking Ahead

We can't wait for another exciting week at EcoCoach! We have lots more autumn fun planned, including arts and crafts, sports challenges, gymnastics, outdoor adventures, games and plenty of opportunities for friendship and creativity.

We're already excited to see what the children will create, discover and achieve next!

Autumn Weather Reminder

As the weather gets cooler and wetter, please remember to send your child with a suitable jumper or coat each day, so they can continue enjoying our outdoor activities comfortably.

 Please enjoy the attached photographs and take a look at some of the fantastic activities, creations and achievements from this week!

🌟 See you next week, EcoCoach! 🌟





EcoCoach Wraparound Care

Current session options this term:

Breakfast Club

- 7:30–8:50am – £7.25 per session (breakfast included)

After School Options

- 3:30–5:00pm – £9.75 (snack included)
- 4:15–5:00pm – £6.50 (snack included, for children joining after clubs)
- 4:15–6:00pm – £11.75 (snack included)
- 3:30–6:00pm – £13.75 (snack and dinner included)

We continue to offer **15% FSM discounts** and **10% discounts** for NHS, Blue Light, Military, and school staff. Tax-Free Childcare and Universal Credit payments are accepted.

Thank you for your continued support — we look forward to sharing more updates with you soon.

MENU Week 1

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
BreakFast	Choice of Cereal Selection or Toast with Butter, Jam, Marmalade and 1 Fruit	Choice of Bagels or Toast with Butter, Jam, Marmalade and 1 Fruit	Choice of Porridge with Berries, Honey or Cereals including Weetabix, Cornflakes and 1 Fruit	Choice of Crumpets or Toast with Butter, Jam, Marmalade and 1 Fruit	Pancakes with choice of berries, honey and yogurt
TeaTime/Meal	Choice of Tomato Soup with a Bread Roll or a Cheese Sandwich both with 2 Vegetables 1 Fruit	Choice of VE Quorn or Chicken and Salad Wraps with 2 Vegetables 1 Fruit	Choice of Baked Beans or Spaghetti Hoops on Toast with 2 Vegetables 1 Fruit	Choice of Sausage Rolls or VE Rolls with 2 Vegetables, 1 Fruit	Pasta with choice of tomatoes sauce or pesto with 2 Vegetables and 1 Fruit

MENU Week 2

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
BreakFast	Choice of Bagels or Toast with Butter, Jam, Marmalade and 1 Fruit	Choice of Porridge with Berries or Cereals including Weetabix, Cornflakes and 1 Fruit	Choice of Crumpets or Toast with Butter, Jam, Marmalade and 1 Fruit	Choice of Cereal Selection or Toast with Butter, Jam, Marmalade and 1 Fruit	Choice of Scrambled Egg on Toast or Toast with Butter, Jam, Marmalade and yogurt
TeaTime/Meal	Choice of Baked Beans or Spaghetti Hoops on Toast with 2 Vegetables 1 Fruit	Pasta with choice of Tomato Sauce or Pesto with 2 Vegetables and 1 Fruit	Choice of Sausage Rolls or VE Rolls with 2 Vegetables, 1 Fruit	Choice of Tomato Soup with a Bread Roll or a Cheese Sandwich both with 2 Vegetables 1 Fruit	Choice of VE Quorn or Chicken and Salad Wraps with 2 Vegetables 1 Fruit

How to Find EcoCoach CIC Enrichment Clubs



Key Dates



October

01.10.2026 Black History Month

14.10.2026 Parents' evening appointments 3:45 – 6pm

18.10.2026 Healthy Relationships workshops Y2-Y6

19.10.2026 Child Financial Exploitation workshops Y5-Y6

20.10.2026 Flu Vaccinations

22.10.2026 Parents' evening appointments 3:45-6pm

23.10.26 Last day of Term 1

24th-1st November Half Term