

Our Christian Values

Respect Forgiveness Compassion Friendship Justice Trust

Term Dates

Easter Holiday

3rd April–14th April

Bank Holiday

1st May

8th May

Half Term

29th May–2nd June

Non-Pupil Day

Monday 5th June

Summer Holiday

21st July

Autumn 2023 Term Starts

Tuesday 5th September

It has been lovely to see so many of you coming into school this week for Parents' Evenings and I would like to thank you for doing so. I know that the children get excited when they know their parents are coming into school to talk to their teacher, look at their learning and see their classroom!

Despite the colder weather, the children continue to enjoy their break and lunch times in the playground. We are currently developing our lunch time provision to include a wider variety of activities outside. Children are currently enjoying football, basketball, skittles, skipping, Jenga and more! The School Council have been asked to talk to their respective classes to find out what games and activities they would like to have. If you have any garden activities, books, colouring pads that you no longer use, please do feel free to donate them to us!

Next Friday, 17th March is Red Nose Day. This year, the event focuses on raising money and awareness around the cost of living crisis, as millions of people in the UK and across the world need support now more than ever. To this end, we would like our children to raise money by coming into school dressed in sporty clothes and do as many circuits as they can of our trim trail on the field! If you would like to make a voluntary contribution, please log into your ParentPay account and select Red Nose Day.

Have a good weekend! Alison Bourne

Star Learners

Ruby

EYFS: Sayeed: For taking great responsibility for his learning this week when exploring the provision. He has been very busy in the maths areas this week when exploring 2D and 3D shapes. Keep up the fantastic independent learning. Well done and thank you Sayeed!

Reading Certificates:

Emerald

Year 1: Zara: For remembering her finger spaces when writing independently. You have worked very hard to achieve this target. Keep up the fantastic writing. Well done and thank you, Zara!

Year 2: Ethan: For his consistent positive attitude during learning time. It is a pleasure to have Ethan as part of our class as he is always excited about new learning. Well done and thank you, Ethan!

Reading Certificates: 50: Theo, 75: Zara, 150: Oscar, Otis, 175: Lucia, Fraser, 200: Teertha Sri, Albertine, 225: Kit, 300: Freddie

Sapphire

Year 3: Otto: For working so hard in swimming lessons. Not only have you overcome your initial nerves but you have amazed us all with the progress you have made. Well done and thank you, Otto!

Year 4: Olly: For listening carefully in English and coming up with some super independent writing. Well done and thank you, Olly!

Reading Certificates:

Diamond

Year 4/5: William: For working tirelessly in English this week and really developing his vocabulary and his understanding of punctuation and grammar. Well done and thank you, William!

Year 6: Lukas: For having a fantastic attitude towards his work this week and having a very friendly and happy presence in school. Well done and thank you, Lukas!

Reading Certificates: 25: Nina, Iowa, 100: Alwateen, Talin, Ralph, 275: Kayden, 500: Hollie, Eva

Lunchtime Star

Teertha Sri — For always being polite, kind and friendly. Teertha Sri always eats her lunch and encourages her friends to do the same. She always uses good manners and is extremely helpful in the lunch hall. Well done and Thank you Teertha Sri.

February & March Stay and Play
3.30 - 5.15pm

Places for February & March S&P, must be booked using this link

[CLICK HERE](#)

Each Stay and Play session, must be paid for via ParentPay, at time of booking.

School Meal Bookings

Please ensure all school meals are booked via

[ParentPay](#)

By 3.30pm on the Wednesday before.

Please ensure when entering or exiting the school playgrounds, you ensure the gate is closed. Many thanks

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Church News

St David's Church
Exeter

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**St Michael's Mt
Dinham**

BREAKFAST

**Fridays 9am – 10.30am
at St. Michael's Mt Dinham**

**Drop in for hot
food, drinks,
snacks, and more**



**Meet with others in this
beautiful space**

St. Michael and All Angels' Church, Mt
Dinham, EXETER EX4 4EB



Breakfast at St Michael's Mt Dinham, next door to school, just keeps getting better! If you fancy a slow start with great food and coffee in an amazing space, all free of charge, check it out: Fridays, after the morning school run.

Our After School Club is growing, too, and our next session, Wednesday 15th March is a **Mother's Day Workshop**. Send your kids 3.45-5.15pm to St David's Church EX4 4HR near Exeter College



**Saint David's
Church, Exeter**

Welcome to worship

SUNDAY

9.30am Parish Communion
Worship with hymns and address

4.00pm Thrive
Informal praise and teaching

6.00pm Evening Prayer
A quiet service to end the day

THURSDAY

10.30am Holy Communion
A short service followed by refreshments

Prayers, services and news are available through our Facebook Page
'St David's Church Exeter'
and our website: www.stdavidchurchexeter.org.uk

+May God bless you and give you his peace



**Saint Michael and All Angels,
Mount Dinham**

SERVICE TIMES

SUNDAY 11am

Sung Mass with sermon and Angelus

SUNDAY 6pm (first Sunday of the month)

Choral Evensong and Benediction

TUESDAY 6pm - Sung Vespers

WEDNESDAY 9.30am

Morning Prayer (1662 Prayer Book)

THURSDAY 6pm - Sung Vespers

For prayers and updates please see our Facebook Page:
St Michael and All Angels, Mount Dinham, Exeter

For information about our church, special services and events please
visit our website: www.stmichaelandallangelsmountdinham.org.uk

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St David's Church FRIENDSHIP CAFÉ

**Tuesdays 10.30am – 12noon
at St. David's Church, Exeter**

**All are welcome
Coffee, tea,
Biscuits & cake**



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No charge – donations welcome

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SUNDAYS AT 4PM

ST DAVID'S CHURCH EXETER EX4 4HR

Mother's Day 19th March

9.30am | St David's Church EX4 4HR

11am | St Michael's EX4 4EB

4pm | St David's Church EX4 4HR

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Diary Dates

17 th March	Red Nose Day
30 th March	Easter Service - parents invited
31 st March	Last Day of Term
17 th April	Summer Term
1 st May	May Day Bank Holiday
8 th May	ADDITIONAL Bank Holiday for the King's Coronation
8 th -11 th May	Y6 SATS Week
29 th May - 2 nd June	Half Term
5 th June	Non Pupil Day
20 th June	Sports Day
4 th July	Reserved Sports Day
17 th -19 th July	Y5/6 Dartmoor Residential
20 th July	Y6 Leaver's Assembly in church Y6 parents invited Y6 Leavers BBQ
21 st July	Last day of term for children
24 th July	Non Pupil Day

Term Dates 2023-2024

Non-Pupil Day: 4 th September 2023
AUTUMN Term Commences on 5th September 2023 and Finishes on 15th December 2023
Non-Pupil Day: 20th October 2023
Half Term 23rd - 27th October 2023
Non-Pupil Day: 2 nd January 2024
SPRING Term Commences on 3rd January 2024 and Finishes on 28th March 2024
Half Term 12th - 16th February 2024
SUMMER Term Commences on 15th April 2024 and Finishes on 23rd July 2024
Bank Holiday: 6th May 2024
Half Term 27th May 2024 - 31 st May 2024
Non-Pupil Day: 3 rd June 2024
Non-Pupil Day: 24 th July 2024