



# ST MARTINS SCHOOL

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Following the “castles” that students had made that were shared in the newsletter a few weeks ago I wanted to show the shield that Jonathan Newman created for his CID history project.

Really well done , this is a great effort.

**CID projects - Create, Investigate, Develop projects which** are set for everyone so that they can showcase their strengths and improve their knowledge and skills.

This work is **not compulsory** but gives students a chance to show everyone how well you can do. Every term or half term a theme is set for the projects (please see provision map on the website for what's coming up.

[cid-projects-map-2025-2026.pdf](#)

Please congratulate the year 7 rugby team for their efforts on Tuesday against Oswestry School.

This was the teams first rugby fixture. They were down by 4 tries at half time then following the team chat, they scored 3 tries in 5 minutes. The match finished 5-3 to Oswestry. Mr Powell was very proud of their effort and we are too! Next weeks school will be hosting a rugby tournament for year 9, update to follow.



Register for The Wellbeing Hub

SCAN ME



We are pleased to be able to share a fantastic resource to our parents called the Wellbeing Hub—scan the QR code to access information on a variety of topics to support you and your family with mental health, exam stress, social media, staying safe online to name but a few. This week's spotlight is on “**TikTok safety tips**” just put this in the search box for useful information and articles

Have a lovely weekend, Mrs Pope

Parents at St Martins School





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## Online Safety for Parents and Carers, a virtual session starting at 6pm on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> January 2026

This [SWGfL](#) training session provides parents with an insight into popular technologies and how young people utilise them. Demonstrating the massive benefits and potential pitfalls, the interactive presentation provides parents with advice, strategies, and resources to help them understand and engage with their child's online lives in a healthy, positive, and productive way. If you have any questions about online safety for your children, our trainer is here to help.

SWGfL are a charitable trust dedicated to empowering the safe and secure use of technology through innovative services, tools, content and policy, nationally and globally. They are proud to be a world leader in online child safety, a founding member of the UK Council for Child Internet Safety as well as an advisor to Governments and a partner in the UK Safer Internet Centre. Their vision: Everyone should benefit from technology, free from harm.

To join please click on the below link

[6pm on Thursday 22nd January 2026 – Meeting Link](#)

[Subscribe](#) to our free monthly newsletter to receive our latest news, content and tips about Online Safety, Security and Educational Technology.

[Join a meeting without an account in Microsoft Teams - Microsoft Support](#)

## OLIVER TWIST

Unfortunately, all of our school drama costumes and props were destroyed in the recent fire. We are still planning to go ahead with our production of *Oliver Twist* at the end of this term, and we would be incredibly grateful for any help with costumes.

If you have any unwanted old school trousers (ripped ones are absolutely fine) or school shirts, we would be delighted to have them. We are also looking for items such as waistcoats, parasols, handkerchiefs, top hats, baker boy hats, or anything suitable for the Victorian era. Any donations would be very much appreciated.



### Mid Morning Break

Potato Wedges	£1.50
Nacho Pot	£1.30
Sweet Pancakes	90p Each
Waffles	From £1.40
Croissant	£1.60
Choc au pain	£1.60
Hash Brown Bites	£1.40
Popcorn	£1.00
Pizza Bagel	£1.60
Breakfast Sausage wrap	£2.50
Cheese and Tomato Twist	£1.50
Grilled Bacon Bag	£2.00

### Deli Kitchen Hot

Main	£2.70
Jacket Potato with Toppings	£2.70
Pasta/Sauce/Cheese	£2.70
Margherita Slice	£1.65
Topped Slice	£1.95

Panini Selection	From £2.35
Vegetarian Burger	£2.20
Chicken Burger	£2.50
Beef Burger	£2.50
Hot Chicken Wrap	£2.50
Hot Wraps	£2.50
Doner Kebab	£2.50
Garlic/Cheesy Garlic Slice	From £1.15
Loaded Wedges	£1.90
Garlic Cheese Naan	£1.60

Sausage Roll 6"	£2.00
Homemade Sausage Roll	£1.80
Vegetarian Bap/Wrap	£1.90
Chicken wings	£1.75
Chicken Bites	£1.40
Calzone	£2.60
Whole Pizza Puk	From £2.40
Whole Topped Pizza Puk	£2.60

### Deli Kitchen Cold

Classic Sandwiches	£2.40
Deli Sandwiches	From £2.55
Deli Baguettes	From £2.70
Deli Bagels	From £3.00
Wraps	£2.40
Pasta Salads	£1.80
Fruit Pots	£1.15
Fresh Fruit	60p
7oz Fruit Pot	£1.20
Dessert Pots - Large	£1.20
Small Cookie	£1.00
Large Cookie	£1.30
Traybake	£1.30
Premium Cake	£1.40

### Drinks

Water 500ml	£1.00
Fruit Water 500ml	£1.50
Radnor Splash	£1.40
Milkshake	£1.50
Fruit Cuplet	65p
Fruit Ice	£1.00

"Meal" prices are going from £2.60 to **£2.70** for all paid meals. UFSM and FSM are not affected. Please see attached price list of our Deli Kitchen. Menus are also on the website

[The Diner & Free School Meals](#)

## PRIMARY Monthly Art Competition

All classes are invited to make an A4 picture, to be submitted by the 13<sup>th</sup> of each month. Please hand your entry to your class teacher. The theme is to be seasonal, a suggestion for January is a snowman or snow scene, February could be daffodils. The winner from KS1 and KS2 will be featured on the board opposite Mrs Jones office and will get 10 house points and a reward from the trolley!

Please make sure your name and class are on the back of your picture.





## Dates for the diary

19 January—mock exams continue for year 11

28 January—Year 9 DTP boosters

11 February—Moreton Hall careers fair for some yr 11

16-20 February half term

26 February—Year 9 options on line meeting

5 March—year 11 parents evening

12 march—year 8 university trip

23 & 24 March—whole school show Oliver Twist

24 & 26 March—primary parents evenings

30 March—easter holidays begin

30—2 April—Holland trip

13 April—school re opens after easter