



# NEWS LETTER



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We are pleased to welcome you to the 10<sup>th</sup> edition of the St Mark's C of E all-through school project newsletter, keeping you informed of the progress so far and what is happening next.

## What has been happening on site...

### New sports building

Completion of the external envelope and progression of the internal fit-out.

Commencement of the mechanical & electrical installation is now underway.

### Primary school wing

Completion of the school hall external envelope with scaffold removal, progression and completion of all external works.

Internally, completion of final finishes with lift and installation of all classroom furniture ready for the children to move in to in the new year.

### Secondary school wing

Continuation of external envelope works, comprising window installations, scaffolding and brickwork.

Internally, continuation of forming internal walls and mechanical & electrical installation to all floors.

## What is coming up...

### New sports building

Commencement and progression of the final external cladding.

Internally, continuation of forming

internal walls and mechanical & electrical installations in preparation for final finishes.

### Primary school wing

Completion of the primary school ready for occupation of pupils in the new year.

### Secondary school wing

Continuation and progression of external brickwork in preparation for scaffold removal.

Internally, commencement of final finishes progressively throughout the building.

### Considerate Constructors Scheme

Our project is proudly registered with the Considerate Constructors Scheme.

[www.ccscheme.org.uk](http://www.ccscheme.org.uk)



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Aerial of site November 2021

## Walking and cycling improvements around St Mark's C of E School...

Posters thanking the community for their patience during the walking and cycling improvements delivered in the Autumn are being put up in the area around St Mark's C of E School. The finishing touches will be made to the side road crossings on Howard Road and Shirley Road in the new year with the installation of the textured print. Residents will be informed of the exact dates closer to the time.

More information about walking and cycling improvements to Howard Road and Shirley Road can be viewed on the Connecting Southampton website at [bit.ly/StMarksSchoolATZ](http://bit.ly/StMarksSchoolATZ).

## A Message from the team....



At St Mark's we are very excited to move into the primary wing of the new school in January. We would all like to wish the local community a very merry Christmas and look forward to developing our community links in the new year.

### Stephanie Bryant, Executive Headteacher, St Mark's C of E School

As we reach the end of the second year for the construction of the new St Mark's C of E School, we've been reflecting on all the achievements so far. The positive team ethos has been pivotal to progressing the project to where it is now, even in the midst of a pandemic.

In September we celebrated a major milestone with the completion of the frame with the topping out ceremony with the School, Southampton City Council, The Diocese of Winchester and key stakeholders.

And as we approach the end of 2021, we're nearing the handover of the primary school, where pupils will get to enjoy their new facilities in the new year.

Thank you for all your patience on behalf of the School and Morgan Sindall Construction, and we wish you and your families a happy and safe Christmas.

### The Morgan Sindall St Mark's Project Team

## Foundations to build futures...

We welcomed our first site visit from students studying construction at Redbridge Community School in Southampton as part of our partnership with the school.

During the day students were split into two groups. They spent half their day on-site, with the opportunity to walk around the project. During the other half, they learnt how to work as a team, designing and constructing their own bridge to demolition.

We had a fantastic day with the children and loved how engaged they were throughout the day.



## Contact Us

Please visit our project website where you will be able to contact us direct and find out the latest project news and track progress and activities at [stmarksproject.com](http://stmarksproject.com)

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T: 07977 439288 (project phone and out of hours)

If you notice a security issue out of hours, please call the above.

## Find out more...

### Planning

You can find out more details of the project through this planning link [here](#).

### Receive the newsletter electronically

If you, a friend or neighbour would like to receive this newsletter electronically, you can simply scan the QR code below to register. Alternatively you can visit the project website and click on the news section to register.



## Safety

Safety is our utmost priority, not only for our staff and all those who work for us but for our local community as well.

Social distancing measures, along with additional cleaning facilities and hand sanitisation, continues to be implemented in line with the

Site Operating Procedures. We have been working closely with our supply chain partners to effectively implement the new safety measures and will continue to monitor the situation to maintain everyone's safety and wellbeing.

