



St. Mark's C.E. Primary School

Talbot Village, Bournemouth, Dorset, BH10 4JA

Headteacher: Andrew Bright

Friday 5 June 2026

RECEPTION – PIRATE DAY

Dear Parents and Carers,

As part of our *Understanding The World* early learning goal, which includes learning about our local history, we would like to have a Pirate Day in honour of local legendary pirate Harry Paye.

Our Pirate Day will be on Wednesday 17 June and we ask that children come to school dressed as pirates for the day. This doesn't need to be a bought costume or lots of money spent. For example, a stripy (or plain) t-shirt with jeans or shorts and home-made props would be wonderful.

We will be theming all our learning on pirates for the day; exploring what life was like as a pirate, making crafts and taking part in activities to help the children understand about a small part of our wonderful history.

We are looking forward to seeing all the costumes!

Many thanks,

Mr Vachaarrghhh and Mrs 'Walk-the-Plank' Wells.