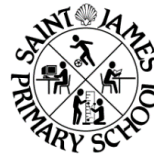


St James Church of England Primary School

News Letter 2nd July 2024

Let all that you do be done in love 1 Corinthians 16:14



SCHOOL

This is coming out a day early so that we are all prepared for transition day – all year 6 children are at their new schools on Wednesday and we wish them lots of luck. This allows us to move up each year group for the day and meet their new teachers and look ahead to September. Reception children will for that day enter school through the main playground and enter the year 1 classrooms. Year 1 will walk further down the playground and go to year 2 classrooms. For year 2 children they need to line up by the first set of doors and we will take them in to the year 3 classrooms and so on. We will all be around in the morning to point you to the right door. Children will have had a practice the day before so they know where to go. Please note that Year 1 and Year 4 have PE on Wednesdays with the Sports Coach – this will be the same for them.

On Friday we have the infant sports morning – all children should come to school in their PE Kit – and bring an extra drink! On Monday we take the Juniors to Holyhead for the morning to take part in sports events – please also send them with an extra drink. Fingers crossed we get dry weather!

New Classes

RO will become 1C with Miss Cort	RM will become 1L with Miss Long
1J will become 2O with Mr Orefice	1M will become 2C with Miss Chanda
2K will become 3M with Mrs McGowan	2O will become 3B with Mrs Begum
3C will become 4R with Miss Robinson	3R will become 4C with Mr Channer
4H will become 5M with Mr Mahmood	4M will become 5H with Mr Hussain
5M will become 6G with Mrs Grewal	5U will become 6N with Miss Newbury



SEPTEMBER

We are ordering every child in the juniors (Year 3-6) a new P.E. T-shirt for September this will go with the usual black shorts or jogging bottoms. The infants will continue to wear a simple yellow T-Shirt until later in the year. It is very important that children are in good routines to remember their P.E. Kit and that they look after it. We are really excited about some competitions that are coming up and the children need to be in uniform when we go out of school.

ATTENDANCE

Whole School attendance for last week was 93%. This is just below our school expectation for good attendance. Thank you to all of you who continue to make it a priority to get children into school every day, so that they can maximize their learning opportunities and have consistent routines.

**MOMENTS
MATTER,
ATTENDANCE
COUNTS.**

Congratulations to Classes 2K & 3R who won the attendance bears

The following classes had attendance of 95% and above:

Class 5U – 96%, Class 6N – 95%

Let Your Light Shine Matthew 5:16

STAR OF THE WEEK

Week Beginning – 17.06.24		Week Beginning – 24.06.24	
RM – Manraj	RO - Manya	RM – Gabriel	RO – Yasin
1J – Nayla	1M – Evalina	1J – Amarah	1M – Arham
2K – Anoop	2O – Ria-Belle	2K – Ce’Janae	2O – Surveen
3C – Nyla	3R – Narla	3C – Kaycie	3R – Hussain
4H – Zonell	4M – Anmol	4H – Ali	4M – Kevin
5U – Samsom	5M – Aarya	5U – Cayden	5M – Gurkirat
6G – Laura	6N – Hilina	6G – Hajira	6N – Anisa

SCHOOL CALENDAR

Wednesday 3 rd July	Transition Day – Year 6 at new schools and all children move up to new classes for the day. Current Year 3 – Will be going to the Theatre in the afternoon – please return slips 😊
Thursday 4th July	General Election – School Closed
Friday 5 th July	Infants Sports Morning – at St James 9.30am – Parents Welcome –weather permitting 😊
Monday 8 th July	Junior Sports Morning – Children walking to Holyhead school – no parents can attend 😊
Tuesday 9 th July	Holyhead Transition Day 2
Thursday 11th July	Year 6 Performance for Parents – Evening
Thursday 18 th July	Graduation for Year 6 – 9:15am
Friday 19 th July	End of term for children Mrs Smith’s Fun Day – Make sure you are in school for our celebration of learning day!

2024-2025 – NEW SCHOOL YEAR

Monday 2 nd September	Teacher Training Day 1 – School Closed to pupils
Tuesday 3 rd September	Teacher Training Day 2 – School Closed to pupils
Wednesday 4th September	Children Year 1 to 6 return to school 8.45am New reception classes half day schedule am or pm (3 days)
Monday 9 th September	Reception classes start school full time 8.45am
Monday 21 st October	Individual and Family Photographs
Friday 25 th October	End of half-term
Monday 4th November	Start of new term - Children return to school 8.45am
Wednesday 6 th November	Year 6 Residential Trip to London - 2 nights
Friday 15 th November	Children in Need – Charity Day
Thursday 28th November	Parents Evening – 4-7pm (No Clubs)
Monday 16th December	Nativity performance for Year 1 Parents – 2.15pm
Tuesday 17th December	Nativity performance for Year 2 Parents – 2.15pm
Friday 20th December	End of term for Christmas Break