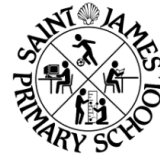


# St James Church of England Primary School

## News Letter 19<sup>th</sup> May

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



### SCHOOL LIFE

It has been a very busy few weeks getting the children in Year 6 ready for their SATs, they did an amazing job and we are all very proud of them! This half-term finishes on

Friday and we are looking forward to the summer term with more trips and enriching activities in the planning stages. Year 4 head off to their residential tomorrow so we are expecting lots of excited children in the morning – please take the luggage to the small hall and handover medication to the staff member. They will have a wonderful time and they will be very tired when they get back on Friday. On Friday afternoon we will be enjoying 3A's Eid al-Adha Assembly – they are all very excited to share this with the school and their parents!



### MALACHI TRUST

We are very lucky to work closely with Malachi Family Support and Harpreet is available to share more about the service if you think it is something you might benefit from. Malachi offer a one-to-one support service for families; they create a safe space for families to express themselves and to promote good mental health and wellbeing. They offer a non-judgemental support service to help begin the process of change with the following challenges – Emotional Wellbeing, School Attendance, Family Relationships, Behaviour, Anxiety & Stress and Self Confidence. Do please get in touch with Mrs Pritchard if you feel you may benefit from this service.

### ATTENDANCE & PUNCTUALITY

Regular school attendance is one of the most important factors in helping children achieve their best. Even missing just a few days can make it harder for them to keep up with learning and friendships.

We understand that sometimes illness or emergencies happen, but where possible, please aim to ensure your child is in school every day and on time. Good attendance builds confidence, supports progress, and sets positive habits for life.

Our whole school attendance for last week was **97%**, this is more in line with the national average.

Attendance Matters



### Congratulations to Classes 2O and 6N who won the attendance bears.

Well done to classes 1C, 2O, 3B, 4C, 4R, 5H, 5M, 6N and 6G for having attendance over 96%.

Parents, please remember to contact school by 10.00am if your child is absent from school. If school is not given a reason, then it is recorded as an unauthorised absence.

*Let Your Light Shine* Matthew 5:16

## STAR OF THE WEEK

Week Beginning – 20.04.26		Week Beginning – 27.04.26	
RM – Jasmeet	RO – Kedus	RM – Josiah	RO – Aminah
1C – Aamani	1L – Nyair	1C – Marie	1L – Amreen
2A – Zidan	2O – Jessie	2A – Elias	2O – Manya
3A – Leon	3B – Amritdeep	3A – Gurkaran	3B – Enaya
4C – Amelia	4R – Darius	4C – Kanika K	4R – Anaya
5H – Tahan	5M – Lulya	5H – Amirah	5M – Jay’ovanni
6G – Mason	6N – Jennah	6G – Ceanna	6N – Musa
Week Beginning – 04.05.26		Week Beginning – 11.05.26	
RM – Noni	RO – Layth	RM – Noni	RO – Remiah
1C – Kashm	1L – Zoya	1C – Janiah	1L – Mandara
2A – Aaravjot	2O – Mahireet	2A – Noah	2O – Nyelle
3A – Aarondeep	3B – Pari	3A – Arshdeep	3B – Jeanelle
4C – Adam S	4R – Sneha	4C – Maryam	4R – Yahya
5H – Ezmai	5M – Adan	5H – Anaijah	5M – Sukhdeep
6G – Hodanhodo	6N – Liyana	6G – Baljot	6N – Millianpreet

## SCHOOL CALENDAR 2025-2026

Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> May	Year 4 Woodlands residential Trip – 2 nights
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> May	Year 4 Woodlands Trip return – collect children early
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> May	Class 3A assembly for parents 2.30pm
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> May	Half-term
Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> June	<b>Inset Day 4 – Staff only</b>
Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> June	Children Return to School
Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> June	Year 4 Triathlon Event
Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 4, 5 & 6 – Hockey Festival
Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 3 Romans Workshop
Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 1 trip to Twycross Zoo
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 1 trip to the Theatre
Tuesday 30 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 6 trip to Safari Park
Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup> July	Year 6 Transition Day – new school
Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> July	House winners – reward trip
Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 Performance for parents 5.00pm
Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 Graduation 9.30
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>End of Term for Children</b>
Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>End of Term for Staff – Inset Day 5</b>