

# St James' Church of England Primary School Newsletter Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2023



At St James' Church of England Primary School, we reflect many Christian Values. We also focus on our 'Core Values' of Endurance, Forgiveness, Friendship, Koinonia, Peace, **Thankfulness** and **Trust**.

> Our School Motto is based on Matthew 13 – Parable of the Sower, 'Growing in God's love, learning as we go.'

Dear Parents/ Carers,

The start of the half term has been one which has shown how our school family show our Core Values when supporting each other. Thank you to all our families, staff and children for their continued support in ensuring that school continue to provide all the children to continue to learn and grow throughout school.

Finally, thank you for making sure that the children arrive on time for school at 8.50am. There are just a few children now who need to arrive a few minutes earlier. The school gates close at 8.50am. Have a fantastic weekend.

## Best wishes

## Frances Brady & Gary Lloyd

Headteacher

**Deputy Headteacher** 

Stars of the Week						
<b>R</b> – Jameel	<b>5</b> – Layton					
<b>R</b> – Maddisyn	<b>5</b> – Ayana					
<b>1</b> – Amanah	6 – Mizan					
1 – Eshaal	<b>6</b> – Madeem					
<b>2</b> – Ibrahim	Well done to					
<b>2</b> – Zack	all our winners					
<b>3</b> – Safana	this week.					
<b>3</b> – Maliha	Keep up the					
<b>4</b> – Musab	great work.					
<b>4</b> – Noah						



<u>Values</u>	<u>Kindness</u>			
Golden Tie	<u>Award</u>			
<b>R</b> Zara	<b>R</b> Mahla			
<b>1</b> Hashir	1 Musa			
2 Manaahil	<b>2</b> Georgi			
<b>3</b> Zakariya	<b>3</b> Aayath			
<b>4</b> Tasnim	<b>4</b> Arwa			
<b>5</b> Raahiba	<b>5</b> Hania			
<b>6</b> Aleesa	<b>6</b> Yasaa			
	Saif A Yr4			

The School's Attendance						
Target is 96%						
Class	Attendance					
Reception	93%					
Year 1	98%					
Year 2	96%					
Year 3	97%					
Year 4	92%					
Year 5	92%					
Year 6	100%					
TOTAL	96%					
This week's winner is						
Year 6						

Head Boy & Head Girl, School Council, Sports Council and Eco Council								
Head Boy = Rayan (Year 6)			Head Girl = Emmie (Year 6)					
Deputy Head Boy = Mizan (Year 6) Deputy Hea					<b>Deputy Head</b>	d Girl = Tanisha (Year 6)		
	Year 1	Year 2	Year	3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	
School	Mariyah	Kiera	Sufyaan		Logan	Abbas	Clark, Madison,	
Council	Farhan	Ayan	Haleema		Ameliah	Hamida	Reece, Aatikah	
Sports		Deborah	Lida		Zurarah	Sabbir	Maria	
Council		Riyadh	Ibraheem		Tasnim	Raahiba	Mizan	
Eco		Aliyaah	Emaa	an	Rayn	Qasim	Yasaa	
Council		Manaahil	Ashto	n	Zoey	Lanwe	Madison	
Yr6 Faith	Dance Barbara Ali Las Caira Cufran Blaka Francia Hassa							
Council	Reece, Redwan, Ali, Leo, Caine, Sufyan, Blake, Emmie, Heena							

### Year 6 Jacquard Looms Cards Artwork

Last year, our current Year 6 spent time at Helmshore Textile Museum with artist Simon Watkinson to create a fantastic piece of art using Jacquard Loom Cards. The children designed their unique work and these were then produced onto the cards and displayed. The final piece is now on show in school with the children's initials on their piece. I wonder if people can find their work.



## <u>Curriculum In Action – Year 2 (PE - Gymnastics)</u>

This week, Year 2 have been working hard exploring a variety of ways to travel in Gymnastics. Everybody explored a range of shapes on the mats and on our equipment. Mrs Ashcroft said that the children enjoyed their session, and we have some flourishing gymnasts in the class. Thank you to Mr Marren and Year 5 for working in a variety of classrooms so the class could take part in their gymnastics lessons.



## **Worship and Reflection**

Dear God,

Help us to work together as a team. Help us to remember that sometimes we need our friends to help us to do things better. May we not be afraid to ask for help. Please help us to understand that even when we feel alone you are always on our team. Amen



## Online Safety Tip

WhatsApp is the world's most popular messaging service. It's endto-end encryption only allows messages to be viewed by the sender and any recipients: not even WhatsApp itself can read them. This privacy issue has been in the spotlight recently, as the UK's Online Safety Bill propose to end such encryption on private messaging.



# **Dates for The Diary**

29th September – Yr6

Macmillan Coffee

Afternoon (if hall is available)

12<sup>th</sup> October – Harvest Service (Church am)

20th October - 30th October -HALF TERM

31st October – School Open for Autumn 2

8<sup>th</sup> November – Parents Evening

15<sup>th</sup> November – 17<sup>th</sup> November

- Yr6 ROBINWOOD

17<sup>th</sup> November – Children in Need

8<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas Jumper Day

8<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas Fair **22<sup>nd</sup> December** – School Closes Further dates will continue to be added when planned.

## Picture News & British Value!



## **Staff Shout Out**

Each week we celebrate our amazing staff and the hard work they put in for everybody at school. Our winner this week is.....



## Mrs Jamil

because she continues to always put our children and families first in everything she does.

## **Interactive Newsletter**

Follow the link below to read our interactive weekly newsletter. https://sway.office.com/hoZwyZDrCKvYU7JI?ref=Link



