



St James' CE Primary School

Newsletter Issue 5

Our Vision is:

Within our community we strive to develop **deep roots**, **strong growth** and **freedom to flourish** as a unique and whole child of God.



Deep Roots



Strong Growth



Freedom to Flourish

Our vision is linked to Matthew 13 - The Parable of the Sower - '... but the seed falling on good soil refers to someone who hears the word and understands it.produces a crop, yielding a hundred, sixty or thirty times what was sown.'

Our Values are Kindness and Respect:

Autumn 1 : Responsibility

Spring 1: Perseverance

Summer 1: Courage

Autumn 2 : Friendship

Spring 2 : Trust

Summer 2: Positivity

A message from Mrs Everard

Dear All,

What a lovely week it has been at St James', the children are working hard in class and are showing our vision and values in their actions and words. Mrs Sheehan and myself have really enjoyed being in the classes this week and seeing some of the work that the children are doing. It is always a joy to see children excited about their learning and keen to focus and improve their skills!

This week in worship we have looked at what competitions are and how there are times in life where we take part in all sorts of competitions, not just sporting events. We also discussed the difference between competing against others as well as competing with ourselves and what this means and if this is a challenge. We compared it to trying to do better at something and not giving up.

We studied the following bible quote: 'Command and teach these things. Don't let anyone look down on you because you are young, but set an example for the believers in speech, in conduct, in love, in faith and in purity.' (Timothy 4: 11.) We explored this quote and looked at how God can help us in times of competition and how life is sometimes like a competition - which you may want to discuss at home.

Our prayer this week was:

Dear God,

Give me strength and courage to take part in the many competitions in life, help me to never give up, even when times are difficult, help me encourage others and be proud of my and others achievements. Amen

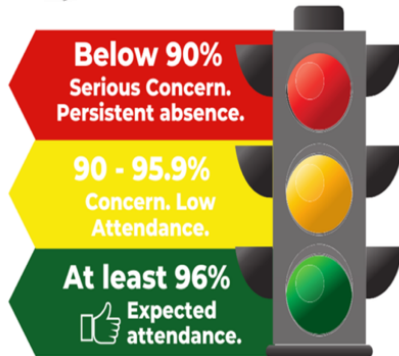
Wishing you a peaceful weekend, God bless and I hope that many of you will be able to attend our Harvest Worship next week - Further details are below

Mrs Everard



Thank You!

Thank you, we have seen a huge improvement in punctuality and it is really making a difference to the start of the day for the children. We really appreciate your focus on this – so please keep it up!



ATTENDANCE
EVERY DAY COUNTS!

YR	Yr1	Yr2	Yr3	Yr4	Yr5	Yr6
90%	92%	85%	91%	95%	99%	98%

Therefore, our winning class is: Year 5

Order of Service for
HARVEST FESTIVAL



Parents Welcome
Please come to our
Harvest Worship

Thursday 13th October 2022 at 9.10am
at St James' Church

Our School Councillors will be performing a poem on Harvest using the ideas from their class at the service. We will be singing and thanking God for our food.

I look forward to welcoming you next Thursday at Church – I hope you will be able to attend.



Celebration Worship



Year 1	Year 2	Year 3
<p>Wojciech & George</p> <p>Wojciech: for being a supportive friend and showing kindness.</p> <p>George: for being a great mathematician and his contribution during our carpet sessions</p>	<p>Destiny & Elissa</p> <p>Destiny: for always being enthusiastic to learn, showing perseverance & responsibility to her learning.</p> <p>Elissa: shows great interest in reading and excellent enthusiasm in phonics</p>	<p>Adetona & Olivia</p> <p>Adetona: for always being focused in all lessons to achieve great results</p> <p>Olivia: for working hard in all areas and showing perseverance and a great attitude to her learning.</p>
Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
<p>Sofia & Isaiah</p> <p>Sofia: for producing an excellent body of work that I used as a good example in class.</p> <p>Isaiah: for making a huge effort in making the right decisions in class and in the line. You are living out our values and vision</p>	<p>Kwame & Kayden</p> <p>Kwame: for working really hard in all lessons and making an effort to do his best.</p> <p>Kayden: for improving his focus in lessons and showing our value of responsibility by working hard in class.</p>	<p>Evangelina I & Rhema-Zoe</p> <p>Evangelina I: For being 'switched on' in lessons, with her hand up and contributing to class work. Her work is showing a great improvement.</p> <p>Rhema-Zoe: for taking on responsibility in her role as a class school councillor and setting an excellent example to others.</p>
We are so proud of you for your success in class - Congratulations!		





House Points Congratulations and well done to all of our children who have been awarded house points for this week. The winning teams are:

1st Place: Blue Team

2nd Place: Green Team

3rd Place: Yellow Team

4th Place: Red Team

This week's winners are:



Year 2

Bryan collected the Certificate for his class



House Points Explained

Each child is in a coloured house and they can earn house points for living out our vision and values in their actions, words and effort. Earning a house point is a great way of adults showing the children that they are doing a brilliant job! It is also about them working as a team and contributing to the success together and not just individually.

<u>Monday 10th</u> <u>October</u>	No messages
<u>Tuesday 11th</u> <u>October</u>	No messages Penny from Safer Streets is here at home time for questions
<u>Wednesday 12th</u> <u>October</u>	Year 5 and 6: Attending a Science Workshop at Bishop Stopford School during the morning
<u>Thursday 13th</u> <u>October</u>	Harvest Service at Church 9.10am Girls football Training until 4.15pm
<u>Friday 14th</u> <u>October</u>	Boys Football Tournament at St Johns Prep NO NETBALL CLUB



The week Beginning 17th October will be our well-being week – I will update you with details next week



A 'School Street' is an area transformed into a pedestrian and cycling zone outside of a school. School Streets operate from Monday to Friday during the school term only at set times for drop-off (morning) and pick-up (afternoon).

School Streets are either operated manually by volunteers who place a physical gate or barrier across the road at the closure times alongside designated closure points, or by an Automatic Number Plate Recognition (ANPR, camera operated) system

We are looking for volunteers to run the safer Streets scheme – if you can volunteer some time please pop into the office or give us a call and let us know.

Penny Swan from the safer Streets team will be available during pick up time on Tuesday 11th October – should you wish to ask questions.

https://letstalk.enfield.gov.uk/schoolstreets?tool=news_feed#tool_tab

Here is the website should you want more information



Ella kindly reminds you that,

School uniform orders are being placed by the school – if you wish to purchase, please log on to schoolmoney.

Uniform can be ordered via schoolmoney – <https://eduspot.co.uk/>

You will need to sign in and go to the shop tab to place an order.

School Uniform Price List

Bag (For PE Kit)	3.99
Book Bag	3.99
Fleece Jacket	14.99
School Woolly Hat	3.99
School Cap	2.99
Showerproof jacket	18.99
Sweatshirt	9.99