



# St James' CE Primary School

## Newsletter Issue 7

### 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**

Autumn 2 : Friendship

Spring 1: Perseverance

Spring 2 : Trust

Summer 1: Courage

Summer 2: Positivity

### Dates for your Diary

#### Monday 30<sup>th</sup> October

Children return at 8.40am

#### Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> November

Parents consultations sessions

**school closes at 1.30pm**

Appointment booking has been sent to you

#### Friday 10<sup>th</sup> November 2023

Remembrance Service at Church @ 9.10am

#### EYFS & KS1 Nativity

4<sup>th</sup> December at 9.30am

5<sup>th</sup> December @ 2.15pm

#### Carol Service @ St James Church

(Yr3,4,5)

Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> December at 6pm - Christmas

Jumpers to be worn

#### Christmas Lunch and Jumper

Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December 2023

#### Christingle Service @ School

Led by Yr6

Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> December @ 9.10am

#### Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> December 2023

School Closes for Christmas Holidays

1.30pm

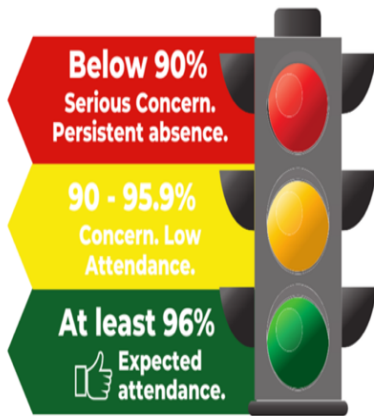
### A message from Mrs Everard

What a fabulous end to our 1<sup>st</sup> half term! This week has been busy and full events, activities, learning and opportunities to develop skills and knowledge, that have seen the children flourish and grow in so many areas! We started off this week, with our girl's football team playing in their 1<sup>st</sup> league matches and they really showed the team commitment and determination to not give up! (See further in the newsletter for the report) We were also treated to Yr6's class assembly on responsibility. Yr6 are our responsibility ambassadors and they used the story of 'The two brothers' to show that responsibility comes with trust and if you promise to do something you must complete it! They did an amazing job of getting our class assemblies off to an amazing start this year and I cannot wait to see Yr5's in November!

I would like to take this opportunity to say a huge thank you if you supported the school by buying a ticket for the film night. I am so thankful to you for purchasing a ticket, standing in the rain to collect the children afterwards (Sorry) but most importantly to the staff for running this event in their own free time, to help the school raise vital money. We were raising money to pay for an ipad and we got just under £500. - so, thank you so much for again helping us flourish!

We finished the week with our special visit from Steve Frew, our GB athlete who showed the children that dreams and ambitions can come true. He led all the children in the sporty exercises and hopefully they have been collecting their sponsorship for taking part. The sponsorship forms need to be back by Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2023 - so the children can be given their reward, a wristband or a signed wristband or a signed photograph as well. I hope that this event has inspired them to be fit and active and that they got you involved too! Wishing you and all your family a lovely half-term holiday. With blessings from all of the St James' family

Mrs Everard



# ATTENDANCE

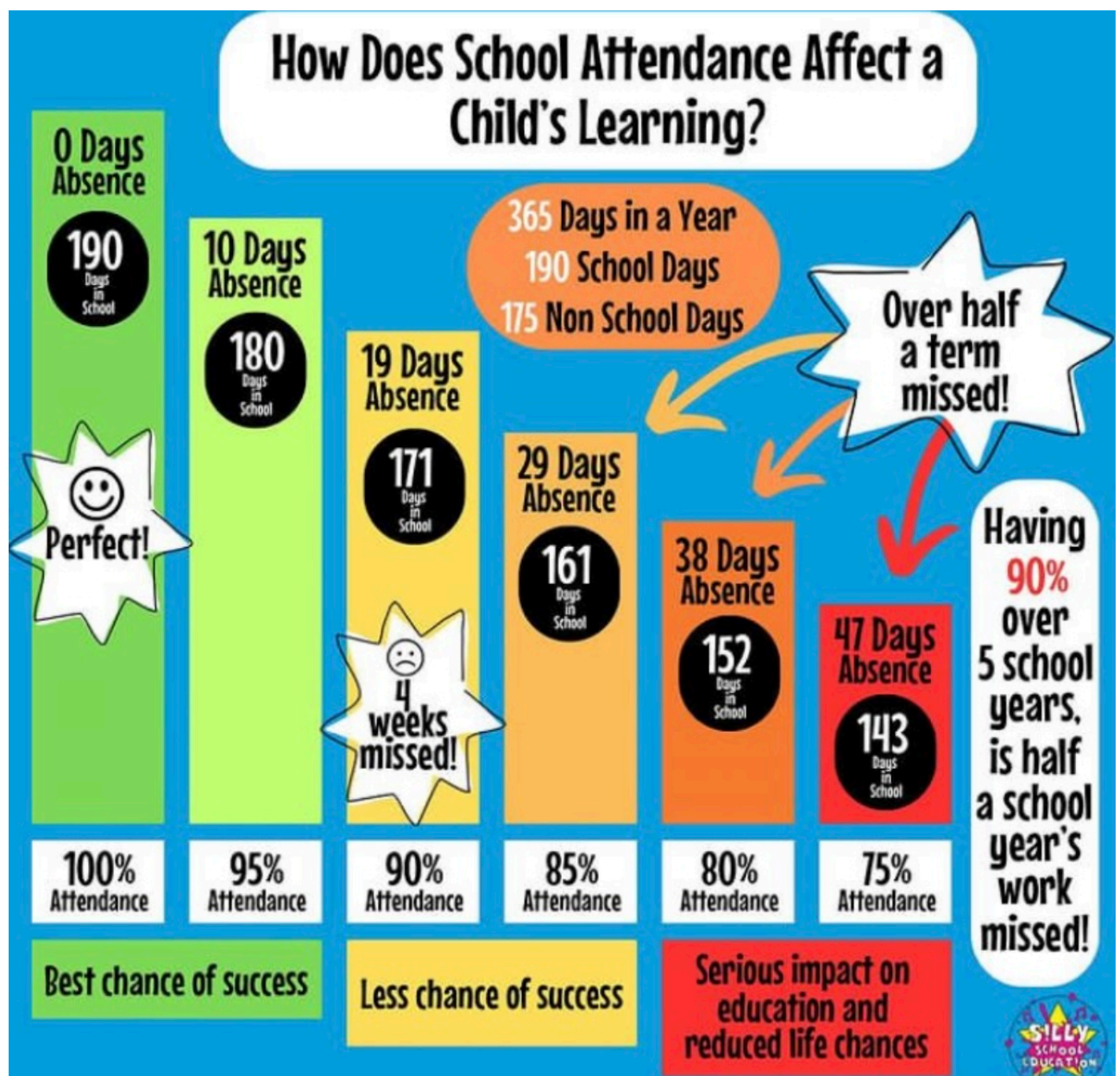
## EVERY DAY COUNTS!

YR	Yr1	Yr2	Yr3	Yr4	Yr5	Yr6
98%	90%	95%	91%	91%	98%	94%

**Well done Reception, Yr2 and Yr5 for being in the Green Zone!**



Please take note of the poster below and ensure that your child is at school - being in school, being with friends, their class, opportunities to learn, develop skills - will improve their chances in later life! As a parent/carer you have the chance to help your child be successful now and, in the future, - so please work with us and send your child to school.







### Diary Dates

<b><u>Mon 30<sup>th</sup> October</u></b>	Reception Class visiting Enfield Highway Library
<b><u>Tues 31<sup>st</sup> October</u></b>	Netball Friendly at FWSG <i>(If your child is attending they will have been given a letter)</i>
<b><u>Wed 1st November</u></b>	No Notices
<b><u>Thurs 2<sup>nd</sup> November</u></b>	School Finishes at 1.30pm Parents' Consultations 2-7pm
<b><u>Fri 3<sup>rd</sup> November</u></b>	Netball Club Yr4/5/6 until 4.30pm Boys Football - Yr4/5/6 until 4.30pm
Sponsorship Forms to be back by Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> November - please send in so that your child can receive their prize!	

### Half Term Winners

**Team Edison!**  
**Congratulations on being  
the winning team!**



Well done Yr6 on your class assembly -  
you told everyone the story of the Two  
sons and how we are all responsible for  
our actions and words!



**Year 6 are**



**Ambassadors**



We hope that yr6 have helped  
you take responsibility just like  
Jesus taught us! Thank you to  
our Yr6 families who came to  
watch - we hope you enjoyed it!





## Celebration Worship



This week our class focus was on: Year 1, Year 3 and Year 5

Year 1 Ernesto & Aidan	Year 3 Elissa & Raphael	Year 5 Tatjana & Majesty
<p><b><u>Ernesto:</u></b> for growing in confidence and skill and contributing to the class learning- We are so proud of you!</p> <p><b><u>Aidan:</u></b> for always following our values and being a great role model to others!</p>	<p><b><u>Elissa:</u></b> for being a superstar mathematician and working hard to challenge herself!</p> <p><b><u>Raphael:</u></b> for always following our values and setting a great example to others - you are always polite and hardworking!</p>	<p><b><u>Majesty:</u></b> for her effort and focus in all areas of her learning - she is always focused and trying her best!</p> <p><b><u>Tatjana:</u></b> for being a superstar values ambassador - she is always setting the right examples in class and around the school!</p>
We are so proud of you for your success in class - Congratulations!		





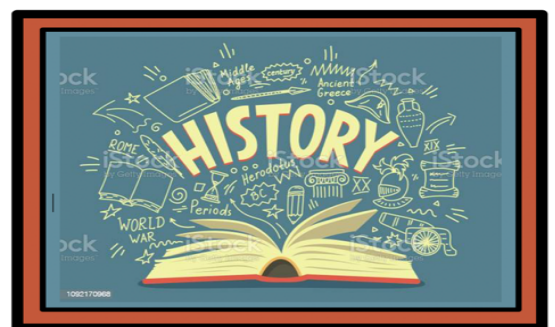
# Sports Award

Vicky - our sports Leader, chooses a child from KS1 & KS2 to award a certificate to. This is to acknowledge children who are flourishing in PE and growing in skill, teamwork and agility.

EYFS/KS1 Award	KS2 Award
<p>Malaika - Yr2</p> <p>For developing skill and confidence in Gymnastics</p>	<p>Tony - Yr3</p> <p>For always giving 100% effort in PE and working hard to improve his skill.</p>



## History Homework Heroes



Congratulations and thank you to Wojciech for creating a rocket at home based around space travel that Yr2 have been looking at. Congratulations and well done also to Adelina, Olivia and Aisha from Yr6 for creating fact chains and a fact box on the slave trade as part of the History Homework Challenge!





This week we are celebrating -  
**George - Yr2**  
for his commitment to practise  
daily and he has been the best in  
Yr2 since the launch last week!



This week - we are also  
celebrating

Epiphany - Yr4  
Eliya- Yr5  
Theo - Yr6

Can **YOU** be here next time?

Sharkey (Blue)

Ronaldo (Red)

Edison (Yellow)

Attenborough (Green)



### House Competition

The challenge is set - Earn points for  
your house whilst learning your tables

**The challenge is on!**



GIRLS FOOTBALL REPORTMatch One:Football Match against Honilands 4-0 loss

Sadly, we lost against Honilands 4-0, they had fantastic players, each of them had great skills and passing. Savannah and Rhoda, our defenders were amazing, although the players had great passing, they scored two amazing

goals, with good dribbling. We played well and Aisha, Emeliya and Peaceabelle all had a shot, but the amazing goalkeeper saved them.

2<sup>nd</sup> Game against Chesterfield 2-1 win

In the 1st half, it was a great kick off, and the ball was moving up and down the pitch by both teams. We had a free kick, so Emeliya took it and the goalkeeper saved it again, she was really good! Then Sofia did a great pass to Peaceabelle and she scored, making 1-0 to us. Jasmine had grown in confidence and had made many saves! the other team got a throw in right opposite the goal - it was an amazing throw and they connected and scored - it was no 1! The game was tense but we persevered and kept on fighting to win the ball, we had a corner and Emeliya did an amazing pass and the fantastic Aisha scored a legendary goal. It was a tough match but we pushed ourselves together as a team. Well done to our amazing defenders Rhoda and Savannah who tackled brilliantly. Also Well done Emeliya, Sofia, Aisha, Peaceabelle, and our amazing goalkeeper Jasmine who made some brilliant saves in both games! We are so proud of ourselves and the team!

## What is on this half term in Enfield?



**During autumn half-term**

*For youngfolk and their families*

***Wednesday 25 October***

***12 noon to 3pm***

**Activities • Crafts • Games**

**Something for everyone!**

*Nibbles plus hot and cold drinks throughout*

**—ABSOLUTELY FREE ADMISSION—**

**Click on the links to see what is available – there are many free events to help you entertain the children**



<https://www.enfield.gov.uk/services/children-and-education/half-term-activities-for-free-school-meal-recipients>



# A GUIDE FOR PARENTS AND CARER'S AFFORDABLE & FREE ACTIVITIES

[https://www.enfield.gov.uk/data/assets/pdf\\_file/0019/5554/local-offer-information-ecyps-guide-to-activities.pdf](https://www.enfield.gov.uk/data/assets/pdf_file/0019/5554/local-offer-information-ecyps-guide-to-activities.pdf)



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## Immunisations For Children Attending School, College or Universities

Vaccines help to protect your child from many serious and potentially deadly diseases. It helps to protect other people in your family and community by helping to stop diseases spreading to people who cannot have the vaccination. They prevent millions of deaths worldwide every year.

**Always** get your vaccine and health information from trusted sources, such as the NHS or World Health Organisation (WHO).

The School Aged Immunisation Service administer vaccinations in schools and hold catch-up clinics for children who have missed any immunisations.

**For Pre-School Boosters** Please contact GP.

**Flu** Year group changes each year depending on NHS requirements.

**HPV and MMR** Year 8 (these are normally done at school).

**MEN ACWY, Diphtheria, Polio, Tetanus** Year 9 (these are normally done at school).

### Important

If your child has started college or university, make sure they have already had:

- **Men ACWY vaccine** Protects against serious infection like meningitis (the GP can give this vaccination)
- **2 doses of MMR vaccine** There are outbreaks of mumps and measles at universities (your GP can provide this vaccination)
- **HPV vaccine** Helps protect against genital warts and cancers caused by the human papilloma virus (HPV) such as cervical cancer.

Before the Enfield Immunisation Team visit your child's school for the different vaccination(s), you will receive a consent form via email to complete.

If your child is of school age, and you would like further information on the vaccinations and/or you need your child to attend the catch-up clinic, please contact **The School Aged Immunisation Service** on 020 8702 3499 or email [beh-tr.enfieldimmunisationteam@nhs.net](mailto:beh-tr.enfieldimmunisationteam@nhs.net).

Until April 2024, there is an NHS Polio Campaign running. This is aiming to catch children up with all of their missed vaccines. If your child is in school and is missing MMR or Pre-School Booster doses, please contact our Polio phone line on 020 8702 6187.

For more information, please visit our website [www.saisenfield.co.uk](http://www.saisenfield.co.uk).