



St James' CE Primary School

Newsletter Issue 32

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

Dates for your Diary

Tuesday's:

Music (Y4,5,6) and art club (Y2,3,4)

Wednesday's

Cheer Yr5/6 & Spanish Club – Y1,2,3

All finishing at 4.15pm

Thursday: Athletics KS2

finish at 4.30pm

Cricket & Rounders Club KS2

finish at 4.30pm

Yr4 Swimming every Friday

Collection at Waverley 3.20pm or

collection at St James' 3.40pm

Monday 9th June 2025

A selection of Yr3/4 going to Raglan school for a 'Tag Rugby Session

Thursday 12th June 2025

Yr6 visits to Westminster Abbey for Church Service

Friday 13th June 2025

Yr2 – Park Event at Prince of Wales School

Wednesday 18th June 2025

Class photo's

Thursday 19th June 2025

Enfield Athletics competition at Lea Valley – if your child is attending you will have received a letter

Wednesday 25th June 2025

Year 3 Thames River boat trip – see school money

Wednesday 16th July 2025

Yr2 – Southend Trip

A message from Mrs Everard

Dear all,

Welcome back to the final part of the year, a term when it is full of sporting activities, final trips for the classes and opportunities for the children to really grow and flourish before they move on to their new year group or school for Year 6. It was a lovely return to school this week and I certainly enjoyed seeing all the children's lovely smiling faces, enthusiasm and joy at being back at school and catching up with friends. The children have begun looking at our new value 'Positivity', we have discussed what it means to be positive and how this links to the changes that are about to happen such as: the end of this year group and the start of a new class or school and how being positive, thinking positively helps us manage our feelings.



This week in worship, we looked at the story of Moses in the basket and how this story is full of sadness for his mother but that with hope and positivity, you can find joy in times of challenge. That just as this proverb says - 'a cheerful heart is good medicine'. We looked at how having a positive view on life can change how we tackle dilemmas. We will continue looking at this value over the coming weeks. Our Yr1 ambassadors for respect will be leading a worship for this value later on in the term.

Our prayer this week was:

Dear God, we ask that you help us be positive even when something is challenged. We know that your light guides us and that together as a connected community we can flourish, grow and learn. Amen

This final ½ term is full of challenges and opportunities to succeed and be proud of themselves, next week Yr4 and Yr1 will be challenged in showing their skill in timestables and in phonics - we know that they will flourish and shine as they have worked hard to grow in skills just as our vision reminds us of growing and flourishing as a community. There are many events over the next few weeks - please keep reading the newsletters so that you keep up to date with everything that is going on!

God Bless, Mrs Everard and all the staff at St James'

Mrs Everard

ATTENDANCE

EVERY DAY COUNTS!

YR	Yr1	Yr2	Yr3	Yr4	Yr5	Yr6
93%	95%	90%	89%	97%	97%	94%



Well done to Yr1, Yr4 & Yr5 on being in the

GREEN ZONE! – I hope that we get more classes in the

‘green zone’ as we move further into the summer term. We are thankfully in the better weather, so hopefully a term of wellness and good attendance!

As the weather improves, please remember if your child does suffer from hayfever, please ensure that you have given medication or speak to Ella who can give medication if needed, as our wonderful outside space is full of plants and flowers! Ella - our welfare officer is able to administer medication, if your child is well enough to be in school - please do try to keep children in school.

The school gate opens at **8.40am** – all children **SHOULD** be in class by **8.45am**

Please try hard to be on time for school as we start learning straight away!

This is still a weakness in some families – please work hard to get your children here on time!



celebrate SUCCESS



Well done to Desi – who attended an art club over ½ term and decorated some shells to match our school badge. Congratulations also to Tai – who attended a football tournament during ½ term and his team won and he scored the most goals over the day!



Well done!



Celebration Superstars



Each week we celebrate children for their work in class or around the school as well as someone who has shown our ½ termly value. This term our value is Perseverance

Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3
Well done Kamiyah on starting this ½ term positively and with a great attitude to her learning	Congratulations Jessica D – on being confident and positive in her learning in class and especially in phonics	Well done to Siyar for working hard and wanting to do well by asking questions and pushing himself in his learning	Well done to Tai , for always pushing himself even when challenged to achieve success in his work
<u>Year 4</u>	<u>Year 5</u>	<u>Year 6</u>	
Congratulations to Wisdom for showing his skills and abilities in class, and wanting to improve.	Well done to Sofia for being positive in her learning and for developing skill and knowledge since she joined St James'	Well done to Promise , for always wanting to improve her work, she asks questions and challenges herself even if it is tricky!	
We are so proud of you for your success in class - Congratulations!			





Little WANDler of the week



Congratulations to Natanya (Yr6) and Djennifer (Yr5) and Caterina (Yr2) for their great partnership work through the 'Reading Buddy System'.



Congratulations Samson & Donald (Reception class) on developing their skills in Phonics.
Genevieve (Yr1) for her growing confidence and especially in her blending and decoding in our phonics lesson this week!



Weekly winners

Winners: Ronaldo
2nd Sharkey
3rd Edison
4th Attenborough
Congratulations to **Ronaldo**

Well done!



	Copper	Steel	Chrome	Glass	Tungsten	Aluminium	Kevlar	Carbon Fibre	Titanium	Bronze	Silver	Gold	Platinum	Diamond
Year 1	Dominion		Mia							Praise				
Year 2	Siyar		George		Leonard William					King				



We have now launched numbots in Reception, Yr1 & Yr2

Please help your child log on, develop their skills in maths and gain awards!

Can YOUR child be here next week?

Congratulations to – Praise, Mia, Leonard, King, Praise on achieving your certificates this week!

Congratulations to George & William (Yr2) who are at the top of the leader Board



Please can you provide a house team colour t-shirt for your child in preparation for Sports day
Thank you!



Here are some dates for your diary:

Year 4 timetable check –
Wk beginning 9th June 2025

Year 1 & 2 Phonics Check
Wk beginning 9th June 2025

Well-being Week: 30th June -4th July 2025
Sports Day: Wednesday 2nd July -

Reception &
KS1 9.15am
Ks2 10.45am

Parents/ Carers are welcome to attend sports day.

MATCH RESULTS



The boys had their semi-final match against St Andrews Southgate this week and despite their teamwork and effort we unfortunately lost, St Andrews went on to play St Johns in the final and they won the cup. It was full of amazing skills and goals and I am so proud of the boys for keeping their chins up and not giving up! Well done

Freezywater St. George's Primary School

Summer Fair

SATURDAY 21ST JUNE

HERTFORD ROAD, ENFIELD, EN3 6NR

Bring your family & friends and enjoy all the entertainment!

LOTS OF FUN & GAMES
BBQ + FOOD STALLS
ENTERTAINMENT
FACE PAINTING
BOUNCY CASTLE
AND MUCH MORE!

£1 ENTRY
12PM-2.30PM
CASH ONLY

BELVOIR!
 Property is personal

NO DOGS ALLOWED / UNDER 14'S MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT

Stall hire enquiries or to make a donation for our raffle please contact: st.georges.friends@hotmail.com

Keep Your Child Safe Online

T E C H

TALK Talk to your child about their internet use and safety. Have meaningful conversations about how they use the internet. Praise your child for safe online behaviours. Welcome your child if they want to ask you a question or tell you about a problem, even if they've done something unwise themselves.	EDUCATE Learn as much as you can about games, platforms, parental controls and the benefits and risks of online activity. Teach your child about specific issues and concerns. Teach your child about safe and unsafe relationships and how to repair friendships following disagreements online.	CO-VIEW Co-view your child's online activity at least 1x/week. Interact with your child online. Model appropriate online behaviour. Co-operate with each other to promote the well-being of all.	HOUSE RULES Set clear routines, rules and boundaries ("house rules"). Keep to age ratings and guidance for apps, games and devices. Restrict online activity to daytime and communal areas. Use filters and parental controls. Spend regular screen-free time with your child.
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AGE 11+ for a basic phone or highly restricted smart phone without internet access or social media

AGE 14+ for a smart phone with parental controls

*Agree a contract with your child to encourage responsible phone use.

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