



Develop Motivate Inspire

# St John's C. of E. Primary School



## School News

17th December 2020

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### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

17<sup>th</sup> December – School Closes

4<sup>th</sup> January – School re-opens

### Save the Children



Save the Children.

Thank you to everyone who donated, we raised £124.82 for this fabulous charity.

### FOSJs Raffle



Congratulations to all our winners. With your continued support, we raised a fabulous £ 355.00



### Thank You

We would like to extend a huge thank you to Church Wigan and Expert Roofing. Expert Roofing have shown true Christmas spirit and donated a selection of toys for our families who deserve some joy during this festive time. Church Wigan have given 'HOPE IN A HAMPER' with lots of food and toys to help bring comfort to some of our families this Christmas time.



On behalf of all the staff, I would like to say a huge thank you to all of our St John's families for all your support throughout this very busy and most unusual Autumn Term.

It has been a term like no other and we have had to adapt and change in so many ways.

Our church school community spirit has been our hope and light during these times. We would especially like to thank all the volunteers who have helped make the toast this term. We would like to wish you all a peaceful, happy and enjoyable Christmas break and look forward to welcoming you all back in the New Year.

I would personally like to thank our whole staff team, volunteers, FOSJ parent group, Local Advisory Committee and Directors for their dedication and commitment to our St John's family. Finally, I would like to say thank you to all the children for their hard work and for making St John's a great place to learn.

We return to school on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> January 2021. Have a very Merry Christmas.

Best wishes,  
Mrs Butcher

### Christian Value

This term we are reflecting on the value of Compassion.

**A prayer from one of our children about Compassion.**

Dear God,  
Help us to all demonstrate compassion and kindness,  
Amen.  
Eddie, Year 2.





## Notices

If any person in your family falls ill with COVID 19 symptoms, receives a positive test result, or your child is required to self-isolate, please alert school as soon as possible via our new covid designated email address - [SJANotifications@questrust.org.uk](mailto:SJANotifications@questrust.org.uk)  
This will then enable us to take the appropriate action and fulfil our contact-tracing obligations. Please continue to use Class Dojo for all other communication with your child's class teacher.

## Reminder

Please inform the class teacher, or the office, if someone other than yourself is going to be collecting your children.

## PHSE

We have reviewed our PSHE and RSE curriculum. All information regarding this can be found on the school website by clicking on the following link:

<https://www.abramsaintjohns.wigan.sch.uk/about-our-school/curriculum/phserse>

## Attendance

Congratulations to Year 5/6, with last week's highest attendance of 99.6%

## Attendance Matters



**The world is run by those who turn up!**  
**Attending school every day = 100% attendance = Zero learning lost**

Attending 4½ days a week = 90% attendance  
= 4 weeks of lost learning per year

**Make every minute of learning count.**



## Gold Book winners



Reception – Jimmy  
Year 1 – Ella  
Year 1/2 – Paige  
Year 2 - Dzuliya  
Year 3 – Kree  
Year 3/4 – Katie  
Year 4/5 – Isobel  
Year 5/6 – George  
Year 6 - Daniel

## Music Star of the Week



Congratulations to Rosie, Year 1, for a brilliant body percussion performance highlighting rhythm and pulse.

## Sports Star of the week



Congratulations to Max, Year 5/6, for his sensational hand, eye coordination throughout the term.

## Eco Award



Congratulations to Freya, Year 4/5, for picking up litter on the playground.

## Ethos Award



Congratulations to Zac, Year 1, for being thoughtful and kind to others.