



Develop Motivate Inspire

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

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Dates for your Diary

17th May - 21st May - Walk to School week
Half term – 31st May – 4th June

Walk to School Week



Next week is 'Walk to School Week'.

During 'Walk to School Week', we would love to increase the percentage of children who are walking to school. Next week each child will be given a digital passport which will be stamped each day they walk to school. This includes if they walk part of the way. All children who collect 4 stamps during 'Walk to School' week will be given 10 Eco dojo points.

Enjoy the fresh air!

Help reduce the traffic around our school!

Maths Challenge



Mr White is extremely excited to be holding a 'Maths Champion' competition in school next week, where all children will have the chance to take part. The winners from each class will then go through to the final for their Key Stage. Class winners and finalist Key Stage winners will be revealed on the upcoming newsletters.

Good luck to all of our magical mathematicians.

Abram Community

As part of our community working together, we would like to make you aware of some information from GMP to help keep Abram a safe place. If you witness any crime (anti-social behaviour, assaults, robbery or damage to property etc.) you can contact Crime Stoppers anonymously or you can call 101. Please see the link below for more information.

<https://crimestoppers-uk.org/give-information/our-guarantee-of-anonymity>

CrimeStoppers.

0800 555 111

100% anonymous. Always.

Friends of St. John's (FOSJs) School Lottery



Win 1 of 5, £100 B&Q Gift Cards

<https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/st-johns-c-of-e-primary-abram>

School Uniform



Last week, the Year 5 children voted for which colour jumper/cardigan they would like for their last year in primary school. The votes were counted and the colour that received the most votes was red.

Jumpers/cardigans can be bought from Slaters. Children will also wear a white polo shirt with their jumper/cardigan.

Eco Council



The Eco Council has achieved Green Flag status for the second time. This is the highest achievement from Eco Schools England.

To achieve this, we have worked on 5 areas of development: healthy living, litter, school grounds, transport and waste. Well done to all the Eco Warriors and to Y3 who are acting as honorary Eco Warriors this year.



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

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.

Absences

If your child is going to be absent from school, could you please ring the office or leave a dojo message.

Teacher Training

Are you interested in becoming a Teacher? Please click the link below to see this great opportunity.

<https://bit.ly/3pUxL6K>

Attendance

Congratulations to Reception, with last week's highest attendance of 99.3%. Well done!

Attendance Matters



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

1 day a week = 40 days / 8 weeks per year
and over 2.5 years of lost learning over 13 years of school.

Make every minute of learning count.

Gold Book winners



Reception – Cole
Year 1 – Summer
Year 1/2 - George
Year 2 – Roxy
Year 3 – Annabelle
Year 3/4 – Nathaniel
Year 4/5 – Lily
Year 5/6 – Harry S
Year 6 – Harry

Music Star of the Week



Congratulations to Sienna, Year 1, for always giving her best in music lessons.

Eco Award



Congratulations to Harry R, Year 2, for bringing in a plant and watering it to help it grow.

Ethos Award



Congratulations to Benji, Year 3, for showing understanding of our Christian Values when sharing ideas for writing prayers.

Christian Value

This term we are reflecting on the value of Justice.



Dear God,

I hope one day there will be justice in the world. I hope you can see us spreading justice in our community. Justice is not just the law but the responsibility of everyone. We know you need justice in life because it brings kindness to the world.
Amen.