



# St James Catholic Primary School

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"I have loved you with an everlasting love"  
Jeremiah 31:5

## Friday 8<sup>th</sup> February 2019

Diary Dates	
Wed. 13 <sup>th</sup> February	SEND Parent catch up meetings
Fri. 15 <sup>th</sup> February	Fundraising day - Wear something Red Day and Cake sale
	School Disco
<b>18<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup> February</b>	<b>HALF TERM WEEK</b>
Mon. 25 <sup>th</sup> February	Year 3 - Mass
Wed. 27 <sup>th</sup> February	Annual Governors Day in school
Tue. 5 <sup>th</sup> March	<b>PARENTS EVENING 3.30- 6pm</b>
Wed. 13 <sup>th</sup> March	<b>PARENTS EVENING 3.30- 6pm</b>
Thurs. 28 <sup>th</sup> March	Choirs performing at South Cumbria Musical Festival (during the evening)
<b>Fri 29<sup>th</sup> March</b>	<b>End of Term – school closes at 1.30pm</b>

### This week:

ATTENDANCE	
Reception	96.1%
Year 1	95.4%
Year 2	93.3%
Year 3	95.7%
Year 4	97.2%
Year 5	93.2%
Year 6	92.5%

VIPs	
Reception	Toby Bagshaw
Year 1	Freddie Jones
Year 2	Skyla Thompson
Year 3	Maisie Tyson
Year 4	Leah Kelly
Year 5	Maya Hughes
Year 6	Charlie Garnett

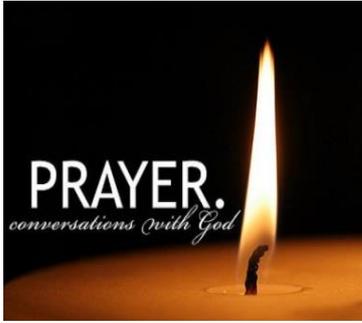
### Certificates:

Freddie Allington  
Charlie Wilson, Samuel Atkinson  
Lexie Sharples, Rio Gerrish  
Isabelle Thompson  
Marni Thompson

### Please remember in your prayers:

All those who have lost someone close to them recently and those who are ill.  
May they know your love close to them at this difficult time.

*If you have anyone you would like us to pray for, please let us know either by phone or email and we will add them to our prayer list.*



## **Next week in school:**

**Fr. Bob is away on holiday for the next two weeks so there will be no Monday masses.**

## **Parent Readers Needed:**

We are currently in need of some parents or grandparents who would be willing to come in to school to listen to some children read. We are sadly now down to one very loyal grandparent who comes in every Friday afternoon and we really need some more helpers!

Reading is such a crucial area of learning and regular practice reading aloud to an adult can make all the difference to children during the early stages of learning to read.

We need helpers in both key stages who would be available during an afternoon once or twice a week for an hour or so.

If you would be willing to help us, please give the school office a ring or email me on [head@stjamesrc.cumbria.sch.uk](mailto:head@stjamesrc.cumbria.sch.uk)

## **SEND Parents' Catch up Meetings:**

As some of you will know, we are holding termly 'catch-up' meetings for parents of children in school who have an EHCP. The purpose of the meetings is just to give parents a chance to have a chat with staff who support their child in school and discuss any concerns or issues that may have arisen.

We have decided to open these meetings up to anyone whose child has a special need even if they do not have an EHCP. If there are any other parents who feel they would benefit from a meeting to discuss their child's needs, please get in touch either by ringing the school office or emailing me on [head@stjamesrc.cumbria.sch.uk](mailto:head@stjamesrc.cumbria.sch.uk)

**The next meetings will be held on Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> February** and will run during the school day. They will be attended by myself as SENCO and either Mrs Varley as KS1 SENCO or Miss Cannon as KS2 SENCO and any other appropriate staff.

**If you have had a letter about attending a meeting for your child, please return the slip to school asap to let me know whether or not you are able to attend.**

**Have a great week everyone!**