



Together in love we learn with

Respect, Hope, Friendship and Forgiveness.

Newsletter Summer Term

Friday 7th June 2024



Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you all had a lovely Spring Bank holiday. This week, in Act of Worship, we have been thinking about Spirituality and getting children to appreciate the world we live in. Over the coming weeks, each class is going to be developing their own spiritual window that the children can use to reflect on the question for the half term as well as any other thoughts they might have. We will also have a whole school question that will be changed and explored weekly. This week's question has been:

'Can you name a hero or an amazing role model in your life? Why are they special and what qualities do they have?'

As a school we have created our own definition of 'Spirituality' in school. It is:

'Spirituality is looking out beyond ourselves. It is an expression of the relationships we form, the creative energy we share and the support we provide for each other. As spiritual learners we are encouraged to develop and appreciate a sense of awe and wonder about the natural world. Everyone should never stop asking questions to learn and explore!'

Thank you in advance for supporting the children with their spiritual development.

Kind regards,
Mr Blackburn.

Sports Day:

Next week we will be sharing details regarding Sports Day with you, which is on **26th June**. This year, how we run the event, will be slightly different for the older children.

Summer Fayre:

The summer fayre will be on **Friday 12th July** (2pm – 4pm). We are looking for volunteers to do henna and face painting on the day. If you can support, please send the office a message.

Dates for your diaries:

Unique Awareness
Day –
Thursday 13th June

Sports Day –
Wednesday 26th
June

Transition Day –
Tuesday 2nd July

Reports –
Thursday 11th July

Summer Fayre –
Friday 12th July

Rainbow Day –
Friday 12th July

Discos –
WC 15th July

School Closes –
Friday 19th July

School Reopens –
Tuesday 3rd
September



'Unique' Raise Awareness Day: Thursday 13th June 2024.

Unique is the charity supporting anyone who has a family member with a rare chromosome or single gene disorder. On **Thursday 13th June 2024** it is Rare Chromosome Disorder Awareness Day (#rarechromoday). This is a day to raise awareness and increase our knowledge of rare chromosomes or single gene disorder. We will be holding a special awareness Act of Worship with the children and inviting all children to come to school in something that is unique to them or something that is either blue or yellow (the colours of the charity). Please note this on this day children should come in **FULL SCHOOL UNIFORM** apart from the special accessory. Accessories could include: hair bobbles, scarves, hats, watches, socks, belts, coat, trainers etc. In exchange of this and to support the charity, which is close to the hearts of one of our families at St John's, we will have buckets for you to put cash donations into. We hope you will join us in supporting this great cause and raising the awareness for our children.

Packed Lunches:

Just a reminder to parents that packed lunches from home should be nut free. We also ask that children don't bring in food with bones as this is a choking hazard. Children should have a healthy packed lunch that contains items such as fruit and vegetables. Items such as chocolate bars shouldn't be in your child's packed lunch. Unfortunately, items that are deemed not appropriate would be removed from their packed lunch.



St John's Stars



	Ayesha
	Eesa
	Hammaad
	Anam
	Faris
	Haaris
	Spencer



Weekly Attendance

	88%
	91%
	93%
	92%
	90%
	94%
	91%