

Newsletter Autumn Term

Friday 27th September 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

As you will be aware, this week we have had a visit from OFSTED. Unfortunately, at this point, I am not allowed to share with you the outcomes of the inspection but of course I will let you know as soon as the report is published. The children have been amazing all week and we are very proud of them. As a treat today we have had a visit from an ice cream van to congratulate them on their effort and hard work. The inspector also shared some amazing feedback and comments from parents and carers, which left some staff with a tear in their eye (happy tears) so a great big thank you for all your super comments, praise and your continued support.

Have a great weekend,

Mr Blackburn

Exciting News...Mrs Rowbotham:

Yesterday, at 9.54am, Mrs Rowbotham gave birth to a little boy, Harry Thomas. Both are well and healthy. Many congratulations to them and we look forward to meeting baby and seeing Mrs Rowbotham soon.

Snack:

All children in Reception and Key Stage 1 are provided with fruit as a snack daily. Children in Key Stage 2 have been allowed to bring snacks into school but we are having a few problems with these. Therefore, to make it simple and clear to everyone, **from Monday** if Key Stage 2 children want to bring a snack into school it must be **fruit ONLY**. No cereal bars, biscuits, yoghurts etc. Thank you for your cooperation with this and we will continue to review the situation.

Mental Health Day:

On Thursday 10th October is Mental Health Day. In support of this, we are inviting our children to wear something yellow to school. This could be socks, hair bobbles, hats, gloves etc.

<u>Dates for your</u> diaries:

School Closes -Thursday 24th October

School Reopens – Monday 4th November

School Closes – Friday 20th December

School Reopens – Monday 6th January

School Closes – Friday 14th February

School Reopens – Monday 24th February

School Closes – Thursday 3rd April

School Reopens – Tuesday 22nd April

School Closes – Friday 23rd May

School Reopens – Monday 2nd June

School Closes – Friday 18th July



Vision and Values:

Once again, we would like to share our whole school Christian Vision with you, which is achieved by the children showing the school Christian Values in school everyday.

We strive, shine and aspire to be the best we can be along our rainbow path to the future, remembering God's everlasting promise (Genesis 9:16).



Together in love we learn with Respect, Hope, Friendship and Forgiveness.



St John's Stars



Zahra
Ibrahim
<mark>Ayesha</mark>
Hussain
Jackson
Retaj
Inaam
Amiin



Weekly Attendance

96%
95%
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