



# Weekly News



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*OUR CORE VISION: READY FOR THE FUTURE—SOCIALY, MORALLY AND ACADEMICALLY - AS WE USE OUR SKILLS TO SERVE OTHERS AND IMPACT POSITIVELY ON OUR COMMUNITY*

## MRS BROWN

Mrs Brown will be taking maternity leave from Friday 30th November. We wish her and her family well at this exciting time and hope they enjoy the special months ahead of them. As a result, Mrs Turnbull has been externally appointed to take the year 1/2DB class full-time from Monday 3rd December. Mrs Turnbull will commence working with the school from next week onwards in order to ensure a smooth transition from one teacher to another and to become frequent with our systems and procedures. We wish her well as she joins our team.

## PARENTS EVENING

Our first Parents Evening of the year will shortly be upon us. This will take place in the usual format on Wednesday 10th October. With appointments from 3.20—9.00pm. There will be no appointments between 5.30-6.15pm. School will be closed during this time to allow staff to have tea. As we outlined in our final Parents Evening from last school year, we will be allocating meetings per child and not per parent. Meaning that we cannot make double appointments to discuss a child separately with each parent. Our tight timetable does not enable this. This first meeting is the chance to see how the children have started the school year and to discuss any initial thoughts you have.

## TANZANIA 'GREAT INVENTIONS' DAY

### Big Question: 'Do we appreciate what we have?'

Our next theme day will happen next Friday 12th October. Miss Purves and Mr Wildey will be contacting families with the details of this in the coming days. Our theme days are a perfect opportunity to enhance our academy's vision of readiness for the future and this latest day will focus upon our partners in Ragata School as we consider how we can design and invent every day items that can aid daily life—something which our friends in Tanzania are extremely good at doing. Mr Wildey will then be taking some of these ideas with him when he visits the school in February. This is essentially a design, technology and vision day supported by pupils the pupils reading, writing and mathematics skills.

## SAFEGUARDING REMINDERS

Remember if you wish to discuss anything regarding safeguarding then please use our email address [safeguarding@stjamesacademy.co.uk](mailto:safeguarding@stjamesacademy.co.uk) or contact Mrs Lloyd our Designated Safeguarding Lead at the academy. You can also contact Mrs Grant, myself (Mr Denton) or Mrs Butterworth with regards to this.

Oct 5	1.30 CHANGE 4 LIFE INTER HOUSE SPORTS Y3
Oct 7	4.00: YOUNG PILGRIM FAMILIES @ ST. JAMES THE GREAT CHURCH
Oct 10	3.20 – 9.00 PARENTS EVENING (Drive Time Break 5.30 – 6.15) ALL SCHOOL
Oct 12	TANZANIA THEME DAY ( GREAT INVENTIONS) - ALL SCHOOL
Oct 17	LONDON RESIDENTIAL Y5
Oct 18	LONDON RESIDENTIAL Y5
Oct 19	1.30 CHANGE 4 LIFE INTER HOUSE SPORTS Y2
Oct 23	PARENT PARTNERSHIP – 'CINEMA NIGHT'
Oct 25	9.30 INFANT HARVEST FESTIVAL (RECEPTION/Y1/Y2)@ ST JAMES THE GREAT CHURCH
Oct 26	9.30 JUNIOR HARVEST FESTIVAL @ ST JAMES THE GREAT CHURCH (Y3/4/5/6)
Oct 26	1.30 CHANGE 4 LIFE INTER HOUSE SPORTS Y1
SCHOOL IS CLOSED AFTER FRIDAY 26TH OCTOBER.	
WE OPEN FOR 2ND HALF-TERM ON MONDAY 5TH NOVEMBER.	
Nov 6	1.30: 6CJ St James Church Hunt
Nov 8	9.00 & 2.15 I CAN HELP.....READ, WRITE INC.... – RECEPTION FAMILIES
Nov 23	CHRISTMAS FAYRE – NON UNIFORM DAY (DONATE AN ITEM)
Nov 27	1.30: 5/6CS St James Church Hunt
Nov 27	PARENT PARTNERSHIP – 'CHRISTMAS FAYRE'
Dec 4	1.30: 5AR St James Church Hunt
Dec 11	2.30: RECEPTION CHRISTMAS CONCERT
Dec 12	2.00: KS1 SHOW PERFORMANCE (Y1/Y2)
Dec 13	2.00: KS1 SHOW PERFORMANCE (Y1/Y2) 6.00: KS1 SHOW PERFORMANCE (Y1/Y2)
Dec 14	CHRISTINGLE AFTERNOON – WHOLE SCHOOL
Dec 17	Year 5 & 6 PARTY



# Attendance Review



100% ATTENDANCE NON-UNIFORM MONDAY WENT TO MRS CLARKE'S CLASS.

## 2017/2018 ATTENDANCE

POS.	CLASS	YEAR	WEEK
1	5AR	99.1%	98.7%
1	5/6CS	99.1%	99.4%
3	RH	98.6%	99.1%
3	6CJ	98.6%	97.7%
5	3SH	98.5%	99.3%
6	1TW	98.2%	97.7%
6	4GE	98.2%	95.7%
8	2MP	98.1%	96%
9	3/4BH	97.9%	95.7%
10	RC	97.8%	100%
11	1/2DB	97.1%	94.3%

SCHOOL ASPIRATIONAL TARGET: 97.3%

### INDIVIDUAL, CLASS AND SCHOOL INDICATORS

97.3%+ MEETING ACADEMY TARGET ASPIRATION

96%+ AT OR ABOVE NATIONAL AVERAGE

BELOW 96% - BELOW NATIONAL AVERAGE

BELOW 94% - CAUSING CONCERN AND LESS CHANCE OF PROGRESS

90% AND BELOW- PERSISTENT ABSENCE—SERIOUS ATTENDANCE CONCERN

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE 18/19

98.3%

PUNCTUALITY FOR AUTUMN

WK 4

98.7%

### LATE ARRIVALS

4 child arrived late for school in Autumn Week 4. Losing 53 minutes of learning. We had 311 children with perfect punctuality last week . Well done! This was fabulous.