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School Terms 2015-2016

Spring 1

Tues 5th Jan 2016

To

Fri 12th Feb 2016

Spring 2

Tues 23rd Feb 2016

To

Thurs 24th Mar 2016
(for Easter Weekend)

Tues 29th March 2016

To

Friday 1st April 2016

Summer 1

Mon 18th April 2016

To

Fri 27th May 2016
(closed 2nd May, for May Day)

Summer 2

Mon 6th June 2016

To

Thurs 21st July 2016

Autumn 1

Tues 6th Sept 2016

To

Fri 21st Oct 2016

Autumn 2

Tues 1st Nov 2016

To

Wed 21st Dec 2016

St James' C.E. Primary School

Issue No 8

Friday 15th January 2016

ATTENDANCE SCORES

WE 08/01/2016

WE 15/01/2016

Reception	94.0%	Reception	91.2%
Year 1	97.8%	Year 1	96.9%
Year 2	94.7%	Year 2	98.0%
Year 3	96.3%	Year 3	98.0%
Year 4	96.2%	Year 4	94.3%
Year 5	94.5%	Year 5	96.3%
Year 6	97.1%	Year 6	98.0%

WELL DONE YR1

WELL DONE YR2, YR3 & YR6

CELEBRATION CERTIFICATES

EXCELLENT WORK

REC	Cerys McIntosh Jimmy O'Brian
YR1	Thomas Dillon Lily-Bella Gallop
YR2	James Abbott Blake Adamson
YR3	Lewis Pickering Tiffany Stanley
YR4	Gwen Tomlinson Matthew Rudd
YR5	James Hobson Lucy Randles
YR6	Lucy Foy-Henderson Owen Footitt

CHURCH VALUES

Harry Pickering
Mia Morgan
McKenzie Parkinson
Bradley Lyon
Miley Brodie
Mia Kearns
Gemma Wright
Daniel Murphy
Matthew Rudd
Ben Longden
Jessica Chappell
Grace Travis
Lucy Travis
Kegan Jones



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Mon 18th Jan	Year 4 Design & Technology Day FS2 Phonics workshop for parents 9am
Tues 19th Jan	Year 4 Swimming FS2 Phonics workshop for parents 3.15pm PTA Meeting 5pm in school
Wed 20th Jan	Year 1 & Year 2 Gymnastics
Thurs 21st Jan	Year 4 Swimming Year 6 Design & Technology Day Year 1 Karate
Fri 22nd Jan	Year 5 Design & Technology Day FS2 Stay and Play
Mon 25th Jan	Year 3 Assembly (parents welcome)
Wed 27th Jan	Year 1 & Year 2 Gym
Thurs 28th Jan	Year 1 Karate

This half term our Church Value is **PEACE**

Question of the week



Our question for this week is:

Are you sure bats are blind?

Please encourage your child to investigate this and talk about it with friends and family. Any interesting facts can be brought into school and shared with class teachers.

Mad Hatter's Tea Party

Your children would like to invite you to a fun-filled evening of family activities on Wednesday 10th February 3.30pm-5.00pm

Every family attending will be entered into a prize draw for a specially themed hamper.

Don't forget we hold a community Eucharist in school every Friday at 9am—everybody welcome.

Help prevent head lice

In an effort to prevent the spread of head lice and stop accidents would parents please make sure that children have their hair tied up at all times.

Thank You for your co-operation in this matter.

Winter Weather

The weather is now turning wintery and cold and school has noticed that we have a few children coming to school with no coats or winter clothes, Could you please make sure that your child has a coat as the children are outside at playtimes and lunch time.

Thank You

New School Governor

St. James' would like to say a huge welcome to our new parent Governor

Mrs Abby Broadbelt

Snack Money

School would like to remind parents that snack prices have increased to 15p per item. If you could please send the correct change into school either weekly or on a daily basis to your child's class teacher.

Thank you for your co-operation.

Year 3 Design & Technology Day

On Tuesday Miss O'Donnell came into our class to help us make a moving head! We had to follow lots of instructions carefully such as, measuring, folding and gluing. We then filled 2 syringes and a tube with water to make the head move. After lunch we decorated our heads into Greek Gods or animals. We had an amazing day!

By Keira Lee, Alexia Cragg & Sam Conway-Henthorn
Year 3

PTFA Meeting

The next PTA Meeting will be held on:

Tuesday 19th January at 5pm in school.

Everybody is welcome to attend and join our PTFA to help arrange lots of fun activities for our children.

Please join us -the more the merrier!

Parents' Comments

We are grateful for your comments

Signed

Date