

St James' Church of England Junior School



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Newsletter

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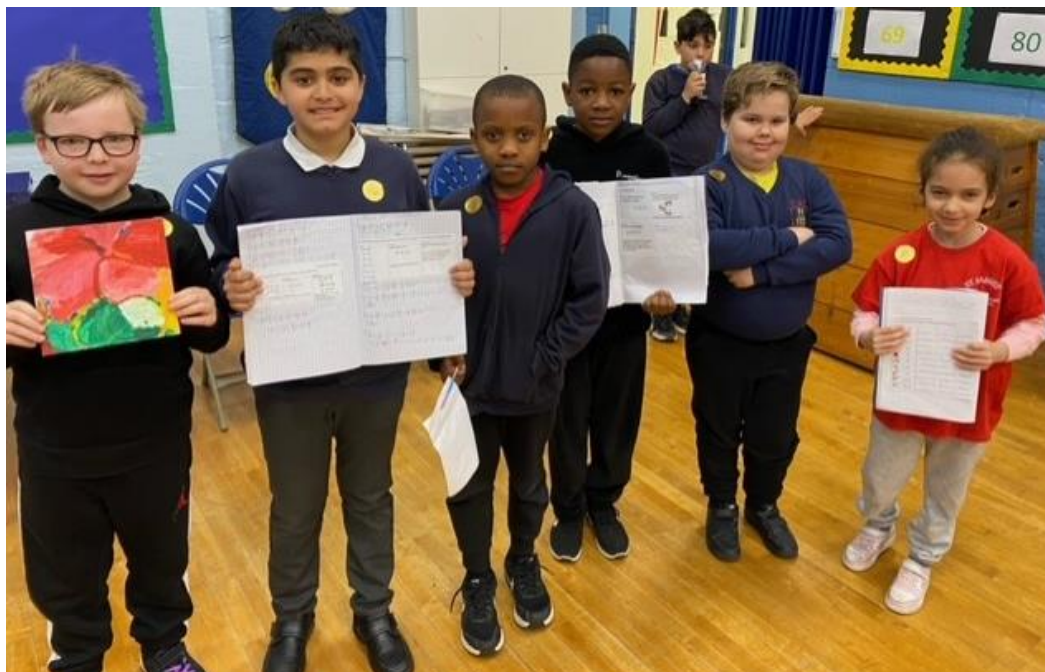
Our Value for the year is **Respect** Our Value for this term is **Perseverance**

Congratulations to our:

Values Cup Winners



Good Work Winners



Congratulations to 5A who win the weekly attendance award again this week with 95.4%

Important Dates & Holidays

Take a look at the school calendar and term dates for 2023-24 and 2024-25 [here](#).

Sunday 21 April		London Marathon – Look out for Miss Tredgett and Mr Hutchinson! Cheer them on!!
Thursday 2 May		School closed all day (Being used as Polling Station)
Friday 3 May		INSET Day (School closed all day)
Monday 6 May		BANK HOLIDAY (School closed)
Wednesday 8 May		Coffee, Chat & Craft
Monday 13 – Thursday 16 May		Year 6 SATs
Friday 17 May	9.15 am	Pentecostal Service at St James' Church
Wednesday 22 May		Year 6 and Class Photographs
Friday 24 May	3.20 pm	End of Term 5 at 3.20 pm
<i>Monday 27 to Friday 31 May – May Half Term (Whitsun)</i>		
Monday 3 June		Start of Term 6
Thursday 6 June		Year 5 and Year 6 Trip to Cadbury's World
Wednesday 12 June		Year 6 Leavers' Service at Gloucester Cathedral
Tuesday 18 June		Year 3 and Year 4 Trip to Cotswold Wildlife Park
Monday 8 – Wednesday 10 July		Year 6 JCA at Croft Farm
Wednesday 17 July		Awards Ceremony at St James' Church
Friday 19 July	1.30 pm	End of Term 6 at 1.30 pm



[Help raise £500 to St James City Farm, if the city farm remains closed the school council will nominate another local charity to receive the donations](#)

We're raising money to St James City Farm, if the city farm remains closed the school council will nominate another local charity to receive the donations. Support this JustGiving Crowdfunding Page.

www.justgiving.com

Clubs

- Table Tennis and Netball Clubs have now finished.
- Activity Club starts on Monday until Monday 20 May. You will have received a letter if your child has a place.
- Basketball for Year 3/4 starts on Monday until Monday 20 May. Texts were sent this week. Everyone who applied got a place.

Trips/Visits

Year 5/6 Trip to Cadbury's World – Please get slips and payment of £1.50 into school asap. Thanks

Year 3/4 Trip to Cotswold Wildlife Park - Please get slips and payment of £5 into school asap. Thanks

Lost the trip letter?

All trip/visit letters are on the website [here](#).

Sports Festival at Gloucester Academy

Some of our students had a great time at Gloucester Academy last week.





Craft, Coffee and Chat



- Enjoy a cup of coffee with other parents.
- Discover low-cost art materials at the Scrap Store.
- Have a go at making something!



Who: For all Hatherley and St James' parents.

When: Wednesday 8th May at 9am—11am.

Where: Meet Mrs Jones and Miss Kirby at 9am by the St James' main gate to walk over to the Gloucestershire Resource Centre together.

Is your child too ill for school?

If in doubt, check with your child's school.

RED 'KEEP OFF'	AMBER 'CONSULT GP OR PHARMACY'	GREEN 'ATTEND'
Chickenpox Consult GP or Pharmacy. Return to school 5 days after onset of rash, when spots have crusted over.	Diarrhoea or Vomiting Only take time off when symptoms are persistent. Consult GP if symptoms persist after 48 hours.	Flu Consult GP or Pharmacy. Often confused with common cold. Return to school 5 days after onset of illness.
High temperature Keep off school until temperature goes away.	Measles Consult GP. Return to school 4 days after rash appears.	Mumps Consult GP. Return to school after swelling appears.
Whooping cough Consult GP. Return to school 5 days after start of antibiotics or 21 days after start of illness.	Coronavirus (COVID-19) Check with latest government/NHS guidance. Contact your child's school if they have symptoms.	Ear infection If associated with a high temperature or severe earache, keep off school until high temperature goes away.
Impetigo Consult GP. Return to school when scabs are dry or 48hrs after start of antibiotics.	Scabies Consult with GP. Return to school after first treatment.	Scarlet fever Consult GP. Return to school 24hrs after start of antibiotics.
Shingles Consult GP. Only stay off if rash is weeping and cannot be covered.	Cold sores No need to keep off school.	Conjunctivitis No need to keep off school.
Common colds Continue to attend and practise good hand hygiene.	Hand, foot and mouth disease Consult GP and Pharmacy. Inform school and continue to attend.	Glandular Fever Consult GP or Pharmacy. Inform school and continue to attend.
Headlice and nits No need to keep off from school.	Period Pains Consult GP or Pharmacy. Inform school and continue to attend.	Ringworm See a Pharmacy unless on scalp, of which case, see GP. Children can attend school once treatment has started.
Slapped cheek syndrome No need to keep off from school.	Sore throat No need to keep off from school.	Tonsillitis Consult GP or Pharmacy. Inform school and continue to attend.
Threadworms No need to keep off from school.	Feeling sick No need to keep off from school.	See more at: https://www.nhs.uk/live-well/is-my-child-too-ill-for-school/