



"A place where we aspire to excel in knowledge, faith and love."

ST JAMES' C OF E JUNIOR SCHOOL
NEWSLETTER - 13th November 2020

Something to be proud of

Daisy Class have had a fabulous start to the new term, but there has been one child who has shone out in particular. Ivet has been a model of perseverance, dedication and enthusiasm. She is always engaged in her work, asks inquisitive questions within lessons and is a great role model when on the playground and around the school. Well done, Ivet!



Harvest Festival

A very special thank you to all the children and staff at St. James' Junior School for the abundance of harvest they collected for our Community Food Bank at the church. A vast amount of food was donated. All contributions were gratefully received and will be passed on to St Saviour's church to distribute to people in need.

Thanks and God bless you.

Rev Cornelius Henry, (school chaplain)

Vicar - St. Saviour Church, Forest Gate

Children in Need

We had a very successful non-school uniform day on Friday to raise money for Children in Need. Together, we raised over £210.00! Thank you for all your donations.



Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal

Poppies and other poppy - themed merchandise have been on sale for the children and staff to purchase during their break time. All money raised goes to the Royal British Legion to support veterans and families who have lost loved ones because of war. Last year we raised over £200.00 we hope we can surpass it this year!



PE kits

For health, safety and personal hygiene reasons, all pupils must change for PE lessons. This needs to be a complete change of clothes and footwear. In the cold weather, shorts and T-shirts are not sufficient and pupils are expected to have arms and legs covered. Please provide your child with a winter PE kit that will keep them warm whilst exercising outdoors.

Attendance and Punctuality

The class with the highest attendance, last week, was Clover class with 99.7%. The most punctual pupils, last week, was Sunflower class. Well done to everyone in those classes.



Letters Home

- Parents evening - whole school

Dates for your Diary

Event	Date / Time
Parents Evening Y5 & Y6	Monday, 23 rd November 2020
Parents Evening Y3 & Y4	Tuesday, 24 th November 2020
Parents Evening Y5 & Y6	Wednesday, 25 th November 2020
Parents Evening Y3 & Y4	Thursday, 26 th November 2020
Christmas Jumper Day	Friday, 11 th December 2020
Half Term	Monday, 21 st December - Friday 1 st January 2021

The school's term dates and holiday dates have been published on the school's website:

www.st-james.newham.sch.uk

Here at St James' we aim to be as supportive and approachable as possible, so please do not hesitate to contact us at any time.

Enjoy the weekend.

Mrs Boland-Bourne & Mrs Hall
Co-Headteachers