

# ST JOHN'S CE PRIMARY NEWSLETTER Friday 8th April 2022

Our Value this half term is Our Value this half term is Respect and Reverence: Please join us in looking out for any members of our community demonstrating respect and reverence and living out this value.

#### Proverbs 14:26

In the fear of the LORD, there is strong confidence, and his children will have refuge.

This has been a very busy term and the pupils have all worked extremely hard.

On behalf of all the staff, we would like to wish you a Happy Easter and we will see you all back on Monday 25<sup>th</sup> April.

# Goodbye

As we reach the end of the Spring term we will be saying goodbye to Mrs Matthews who has worked at the school for the last 24 years. She will be sadly missed by the staff and pupils and I am sure you will join me in wishing her all the best for the future.

#### Attendance Award!

The winning classes last week 28/3/22 are with % and with %, whole school attendance was %. Please remember that school starts at 8.40am and <u>anyone arriving after 8.50am will be marked as late in the register.</u>

## **PE Uniform**

Please can you ensure that your child wears the appropriate PE uniform on their well-being day.

- Plain t-shirt (House colour)
- Navy blue jogging trousers
- Plain navy tracksuit jacket or school jumper/cardigan
- Plain dark trainers

# **Eco/Geography Day**

On Wednesday 6th April the children took part in an Eco/Geography Day in preparation for Earth Day which is usually celebrated on April 22nd each year, to raise awareness of climate change and what we can do to help the earth. The children in each year group planted a tree in the school ground and took part in various activities to encourage them to think about how we can care and look after the earth. They also had a talk from a lady from the Worcestershire Wildlife Trust.

## **COVID update – April 2022**

In line with latest government announcements with regards to next steps for living with COVID-19 in England the following guidance applies:

- Children and young people who are unwell and have a high temperature should stay at home and avoid contact with other people. They can return to school when they no longer have a high temperature and they are well enough to attend.
- Children and young people under that age of 18 with a positive COVID-19 test result should try to stay at home and avoid contact with other people for 3 days, which is when they are most infectious
   I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your continued support throughout the pandemic in working together to keep everyone safe. Although restrictions have now been lifted, it is important that we maintain a cautious approach to enable us to best look after each other. Thank you for your understanding.

# **Jubilee Celebrations**

Please save the afternoon of 27<sup>th</sup> May in your diaries, as we will be inviting parents into school as part of our Queen's Jubilee celebrations.

# **Termly Newsletter**

Please look out for our termly newsletter sharing the fantastic achievements of our children this term.

## **British Values**

The British Value that we have been thinking about this week is Individual liberty.





