



St John's Church of England Academy

I Will Shine

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We wore red on Friday this week to show our commitment to 'Showing Racism the Red Card'. Our worship prayer below reminds us that we are all unique and, as Psalm 139:14 says, 'fearfully and wonderfully made'. Every day at St John's, we encourage children to use their gifts and talents to inspire others and to understand that we always learn from our mistakes. Our school values help us to be the best that we can be and we are proud of all the hard work which has been done this half term on our value of Identity. We want all children to know that their lives matter and that we can all have a positive impact on our world.

Father, you created each one of us in your own image.

Yet yours is a world made glorious by its rich diversity.

Give us the patience to build on what unites us, to celebrate our differences and to learn from them.

Give us the courage to offer refuge to those in need, to challenge prejudice and seek justice for all.

Help us see that you created us in your image.

Neighbour or stranger, always our brother or sister.
Amen.

Attendance so far this year

Our school target for attendance is 97%. Well done to Year 1 and Year 3 for achieving the attendance target this week. If you need any support around school attendance, we can help. Please speak to Mrs Stevenson or Mrs Henderson.

Reception	96.6%
Year 1	97.6%
Year 2	95.7%
Year 3	98%
Year 4	94.6%
Year 5	96.8%
Year 6	95.6%

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Dates for your diaries

Monday 21 st October	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Year 6 Health Questionnaire
Tuesday 22 nd October	<ul style="list-style-type: none">9.15: Harvest Service at St Christopher's Church led by Year 6. Everyone is welcome to join us.
Wednesday 23 rd October	
Thursday 24 th October	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Year 3 visit to Compton Verney
Friday 25 th October	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Non-uniform day for Christmas Fair chocolate donations9.00: Celebration Worship – please join us to celebrate together9.45: SEND Parent Workshop about Emotion Coaching
October Half Term Holiday	
Monday 4 th November	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Children start back at school
Tuesday 5 th November	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Year 6 Lego STEM day
Wednesday 6 th November	<ul style="list-style-type: none">3.30: Football match at home vs Corpus Christi
Thursday 7 th November	<ul style="list-style-type: none">9.15 – 10.00: Phonics 'Come and Share' for Reception, Year 1 and Year 2
Friday 8 th November	<ul style="list-style-type: none">9.00: Celebration Worship – please join us to celebrate together
Monday 11 th November	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Remembrance Day11.00: Remembrance Day silenceAnti-bullying week begins
Tuesday 12 th November	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Odd socks day for anti-bullying week
Wednesday 13 th November	<ul style="list-style-type: none">World Kindness Day
Thursday 14 th November	
Friday 15 th November	<ul style="list-style-type: none">9.00: Celebration Worship – please join us to celebrate togetherChildren in Need



Our Harvest service is on Tuesday 22nd October at St Christopher's Church. If you can donate towards Coventry Food Bank, please see details below from the church newsletter. Items can be brought to church on Tuesday or we will collect in school all next week and deliver them to church.

Please make a donation of food or finance to meet the increased demand. Particular needs are cereal, UHT Milk, tinned or dried soup, Instant Mash and tinned tomatoes, fruit juice or squash and biscuits, and they would welcome donations of these items as soon as possible.

You can find a list of all the places to drop off donations on this link to the website <https://coventry.foodbank.org.uk/give-help/donate-food/>

To give money <https://coventryfoodbank.org.uk/give>

We believe this is a great opportunity for the Christian community to respond and we thank you in advance.

St Christopher's Church are collecting items for the Foodbank. If you wish to contribute there is a box in the church for you to put your donations.

To find out what items they urgently need please click [here](#).
Thank you.

