



Thank you to everyone for another superb week at St John's. Year 2 enjoyed a trip to Coventry Transport Museum on Wednesday to learn about all kinds of transport for their topic 'Zoom, Soar, Whizz'. They loved the new sensory area at the museum! Reception had their first whole class PE lesson with Mrs Whateley on Friday and looked so smart in their PE kits. They made some brilliant balancing and made different shapes with their bodies. Year 1 are doing very well with their rainbow challenges and they made some beautiful cards for 'Thank a vicar' day. Year 3 have been marvellous mathematicians and have been working very hard to challenge themselves and persevere when faced with a tricky question. Year 4 formed the prayer garden team this week and those children are looking forward to working with Year 1 in our prayer garden area, teaching them about stories from the bible. Year 5 have been enjoying their sessions with the Mental Health in Schools Team this half term, learning lots of ways to practise mindfulness to ease anxiety and how to ask for help if needed, and how to help a friend. Finally, Year 6 have loved their Computing topic all about data and spreadsheets; this week they have been using formulae to calculate. Excellent life skills through Maths and Computing – well done!

## Congratulations to our Maths, Reading, Sports Award and Star of the Week certificate winners!



Congratulations to Norah, Jaxon, Noah, Elias, Alistair, David, Kacey, Olivia, Joshua, Emma, Guinevere, Daniel, Elijah, Dylan, Esme, Rosie, Jessica, Amelia and James. We are very proud of you all!

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Issue 5:  
Friday 13<sup>th</sup>  
October 2023

### Dates for your diaries

Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> October	Year 6 Bike-ability session 6 Poppy and Children in Need merchandise on sale after school from today
Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> October	9.00: Year 4 leading worship – 'Identity' value. All welcome to join us in the hall.
Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> October	Year 3 visit to Compton Verney – Stone Age Settlers
Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> October	3.30: Home football match – St John's vs Hollyfast
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> October	9.00: Celebration Worship – please join us to celebrate together 9.45 – 11.00: PA Christmas Fayre planning meeting – everyone very welcome!
Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> October	
Tuesday 24 <sup>th</sup> October	Flu immunisation day for Reception – Year 6 am: Year 1 walk to Allesley Park for local area Geography study
Wednesday 25 <sup>th</sup> October	3.45 – 6.30: Teaching and Learning Conferences – appointment details coming soon
Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup> October	Whole school RE focus day 'Growing Peace for our Planet' 3.45 – 6.30: Teaching and Learning Conferences – appointment details coming soon
Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> October	9.00: Celebration Worship – please join us to celebrate together PA non-uniform day for donations of chocolate for Christmas Fayre
HALF TERM HOLIDAY	
Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> November	
Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> November	Year 6 Lego STEM day
Wednesday 8 <sup>th</sup> November	
Thursday 9 <sup>th</sup> November	
Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> November	9.00: Celebration Worship – please join us to celebrate together 9.30: SEND and Wellbeing coffee morning Remembrance Day activities
Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> November	Anti-bullying week
Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> November	9.00: Year 5 leading worship – 'Drive' value. All welcome to join us in the hall.
Wednesday 15 <sup>th</sup> November	1.30 – 2.30: Year 1 Come and Share
Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> November	
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> November	Children in Need Governor Visit Day 9.00: Celebration Worship – please join us to celebrate together 9.45: Parent Forum meeting – details to follow

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