



St Jude's Church of England Primary School
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A Message from the Headteacher



Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back to another year at St Jude's. I hope you all had a wonderful 6 weeks and that you managed some rest.

It has been so exciting having the children back in school this week. We are looking forward to the many events that we have planned and every member of staff is really enjoying their new year groups.

Please do keep an eye on this Newsletter as it will be a central, weekly means of communication for us going forward this year.

God bless,

Mr Dunford-Crozier



Friday Stars !



Class 2

Class Two's Friday Star is Aniyah! Aniyah has settled so well into Class 2. She has shared ideas and been a wonderful addition to our year group. Well done Aniyah, great work!



Class 4

Class Four's Friday Star is Raheem. Raheem has made a phenomenal start to the year by showing so much motivation in his learning. He is always so eager to put his hand up and share his ideas. Keep up the enthusiasm Raheem, we are very proud of you.



Class 6

Class Six's Friday Star is Kai-Rhys! He has had such a fantastic start to year six. He is always having a go and is motivated to answer questions and to try his hardest. Well done Kai-Rhys, you are working so hard!



Class 1

Class One's Friday Star is JJ!. He has been participating very well during our class discussion on transport.



Class 3

Class Three's Friday Star is Dido! Dido has made such a brilliant start to year 3 and has shown lots of resilience and enthusiasm with her learning. Great job Dido, keep up the good work!



Class 5

Class Five's Friday Star is Daniell! Daniell has had a fantastic start to year 5. He has been focussed and motivated and has shared some brilliant ideas during whole class discussions. Well done Daniell!



Dojo Winners

With 197 points, this week's winners are:

Year 6!

You got most of your dojos for working together well and listening really carefully. What a great start to the new year!

Saints and Workers of the Week



Each week, the staff nominate children to be our Saints and Workers of the Week.

Saints of the Week are children who have worked really hard to live out our Christian school values:

- We work well together
- We are prepared and helpful
- We are resilient
- We are there for one another
- We celebrate each others' success

Workers of the Week are children who have shown huge effort and progress in their learning.

This week we are celebrating:

Saint of the Week

Arelie, Year 3

For showing kindness and looking after someone who was upset in the line on the first day of term.



Worker of the Week

Massine, Year 5

For a brilliant attitude to reading. You have used great vocabulary in lessons, asked super questions and your reading record has been completed everyday.



Important Dates

Autumn term dates

School opens: Monday 5th September

School closes: Friday 21st October

Half term: Monday 24th October — Sunday 30th October

School opens: Monday 31st October

School closes: Friday 16th December, 1.30pm

IMPORTANT
DATES

PE Update

From Monday 12th September, children will come into school in their PE kits on the days they have PE and stay in it for the whole day (with exception to Reception class who will change into their uniform). This is to maximise learning time and ensure they can get straight into their lesson.

It is essential that children wear the correct PE uniform:

- white logo t-shirt
- navy blue logo sweat shirt
- navy blue shorts
- navy blue tracksuit
- plimsolls/trainers



If you need to purchase additional uniform, visit the School Uniform Direct website for more details:

www.schooluniformdirect.co.uk

The days for each year groups' PE are as follows:

Reception: Friday

Year 1: Wednesday and Thursday

Year 2: Monday and Wednesday

Year 3: Tuesday and Thursday

Year 4: Tuesday and Thursday

Year 5: Monday and Thursday

Year 6: Monday and Friday

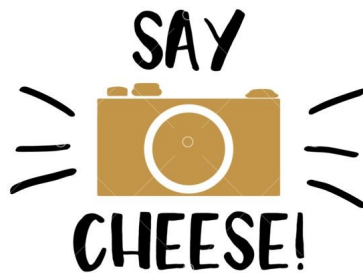
School Photographer

Our school photographers are in on Friday 16th September.

They will be taking photos for the website, including the class photograph. Please ensure that your child is wearing the correct school uniform with the logo on (jumper or /polo shirt/t-shirt).

Photo consent letters have been sent out to all children in years 1-6 today.

Please return these by Wednesday 14th September.



Music Message



Last year we had many children in Key Stage 2 taking part in recorder and ukulele tuition. We are still waiting for some ukuleles and recorders to be returned. If you know your child borrowed a school instrument, please can you return it to the school office as soon as possible ready for this year's tuition to start.

Thank you in advance!

Letters for the autumn term tuition have been sent home with Key Stage 2 children today. Please return your forms by Wednesday 14th September to register your interest.

Message from the PTA

Hello Everyone,

We hope you've had a great summer and welcome to the new Reception families.

The PTA is a group of parents and teachers who work together to raise money for the school that goes towards fun and educational things for the children that are not part of the school's budget. Some of the things we have recently helped pay for include the Nature Garden revamp, a Green screen to grow around the school that absorbs traffic fumes from the road, multiple workshops, the coach for the Year 6 end of school trip and some additional music provision.

This term we will have lots of fun events coming up including our yearly Fun Run so watch this space for the date!

Being a member of the PTA is a lovely way of getting to know people from our school community whilst raising money to enhance our children's time at school. We will get a PTA meeting in the diary soon to catch up and really hope you will come along. We are always looking for new members so hope to see you soon.

**Many thanks,
Your PTA**

Before and After school clubs

KG Doodles are now providing before and after school clubs for every year group in our school.

For more information, please use the details below:

Contact us: 01173322811 / 07542527358

Email us: info@kgdoodles.co.uk

Information about the after-school clubs run by the staff at St Jude's will be shared with you shortly. Watch this space!

Brixton Hill Music Centre

We are thrilled to invite young singers of Lambeth to join us for a special celebration of song at the **Brixton Hill Music Centre**. Our choir offers children from **year 3 to year 7** the opportunity to learn new songs, make new friends and perform in a fun and friendly environment.

We will meet in the playground of:
Richard Atkins Primary School
New Park Road,
Brixton Hill,
London SW2 4JP

At 10am on the 17th September.

Your children will enjoy a choir session with Kirsty Mees, our lead vocal tutor followed by a short presentation in our main hall and canteen at 11.15am.

*all young people must be accompanied by a parent or carer.

Parents and carers can wait in our canteen area where Kirsty and your child will meet you for the presentation and a chat.

Please scan this QR code to sign up -



This link will also take you there:

<https://www.emailmeform.com/builder/form/zcu6EfJ68f>

Omnibus Theatre Young Company

From 10th September

Saturday morning Youth theatre - with 50% off for all new members between the ages of 5-7, and free places for those eligible for free school meals.

Omnibus Young Company is our Saturday morning youth theatre, open to all young people ages 5 - 16.

Join us to explore acting, scriptwriting, directing and stage design and more in these dynamic weekly sessions at the award-winning Omnibus Theatre in Clapham.

These weekly workshops are a great opportunity for young people to make new friends, grow in confidence and develop new skills as they work towards performances in our theatre.

50% off the Autumn term for all new members ages 5-7 with offer code YC22

Bursaries available for those eligible for free school meals.

All sessions at Omnibus Theatre, 1 Clapham Common Northside, SW4 0QW

More information and sign up here - <https://www.omnibus-clapham.org/young-company/>

COMING UP AT
**OMNIBUS
THEATRE**