

## St Jude's Church of England Primary School

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7th Oct 2022

## **Black History Month**







Friday 1<sup>st</sup> October marked the beginning of Black History Month. To commemorate the amazing achievements of the Black community, the theme of this term's whole school **Family Learning Project** is *I can, because of them*. We want to know about people who have succeeded in different areas, because of the foundations set by people from the past. Who has inspired you to be like them and paved the way for you?

Here are some ideas of how you may want to complete your project:

- Computing make a slide or poster celebrating your inspirations achievements
- RE Write a prayer or a poem, which reflects the values of people who inspire us.
- D&T Create an invention that your key figure might use.
- Art Create a portrait or a piece inspired by their achievements
- Music Create a song/rap about your inspirational person
- Food Be an entrepreneur and create your own recipe book

We are also looking out for original ideas too!

Details have been shared on your child's Google Classroom. Please return all projects by Wednesday 19th October

We will be exhibiting all projects in the hall on Friday 21st October 3:30 -4:00

## What have Year 5 been up to?

In music this half term year 5 have been learning to play and sing a song about local communities. We have been using chime bars to create a melodic ostinato, which repeats throughout the verse. We have also been conducting a four beat metre to keep the pulse. This week, we wrote our own lyrics so that they reflect our own local community. We worked in groups to create a performance, which we shared with the class.





## What have Year 5 been up to?

In our RE lessons, we have been learning about local religious communities in Lambeth. This week, we read some fact files about different places of worship and created our own posters to demonstrate our learning. We will present these to the class next week!



## **Friday Stars!**

#### Reception

Reception's Friday Star is Ava. Ava has been so enthusiastic in our phonics lesson this week - telling us our new phonemes, joining in with our blending games and finding new items that start with our phoneme. Well done Ava!

#### Class 1

Class One's Friday Star is Royelle- Mae.
Royelle- Mae has settled into class very
well. She is such a good role model to her
peers. She is always kind and polite and we
are very pleased to have her in our class.
Well done!

#### Class 2

work.

Class Two's Friday Star is Ivy! Ivy has been really pushing herself in lessons to complete mastery challenges and do her absolute best. She has been showing great role model behaviour and we are so proud of her efforts. Well done Ivy—keep up the good

### Class 3

Class Three's Friday Star is Sienna! Sienna has really demonstrated our St Jude's Value of resilience and has been such a have a go hero this week, particularly in maths with our new learning. Great Job Sienna! You've done brilliantly!

## Class 4

Class Four 's Friday Star is Salem. Salem has shown real motivation throughout this week in English for her story writing. She ensured she used inverted commas to show direct speech and was able to explain how to use them to others. Fantastic job Salem, you have shown you are a real author!

## Class 5

Class Five's Friday Star is Adwoa. Adwoa has been working incredibly hard this week. She has shown a fantastic attitude to learning as well as great enthusiasm. Her presentation in her books is amazing and shows how much care she takes with her learning. She has put a smile on our faces with her cheerful attitude. Keep up the great work Adwoa!

#### Class 6

Class Six's Friday Star is Zahara. Zahara has been so motivated in her learning this week, particularly in her maths and writing. She is showing brilliant resilience with more challenging concepts, and always gives

everything 100%.



With 363 points, this week's winners are:

Year 1!

You got most of your dojos for following our carpet rules: crossing your legs, looking at the person talking, and raising your hand to share an idea.

## 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

Amelia, Year 2

For showing great kindness to her friends and helping them when they find things tricky.



#### **Worker of the Week**

Stephanie, Year 6

For being so resilient when learning about long division in maths.



#### **Volunteer Readers**



At Jude's we know that reading little and often has a huge impact on our children's reading ability. Therefore, we would love to invite the adults in our school community to come and listen to children read as volunteer readers. This can be parents or relatives of the children!

If you are interested in volunteering, we ask the following:

- ♦ You can commit to a half term
- ♦ You can commit to the same day and time each week
- ♦ You can complete a DBS check (this can be done through the school office)
- ♦ You may be asked to read with children in any class, reception—Year 6.
- ♦ Contact Miss Douch via the school admin email address to show your interest: admin@st-judes.lambeth.sch.uk

We look forward to welcoming you!

#### **Half Term Activities!**



## **Important Dates**



#### Family Learning Project Exhibition

Friday 21st October — In the school hall, 3.30—4pm.

#### Meet the Teacher—Introductory Talks

Tuesday 11th October, 5pm—Year 6 (please note the change to this date)

Thursday 13th October, 9am—Year 1

Friday 14th October, 9am—Reception

Tuesday 18th October, 5pm—Year 3 (please note the change to this date)

#### **Trips and Visits**

Year 4 Trip to the British Museum—Tuesday 13th October

Year 3 Roman Day in school—Wednesday 19th October

Year 5 Trip to the British Museum—Thursday 20th October

Year 3 Roman Day in school—Wednesday 19th October

Year 3 Trip to London Mithraeum—Friday 21st October

#### Little Wandle Phonics Workshop for Parents—Thursday 20th October, 5.30pm in the school hall

In this workshop, we will be sharing how we teach children to read in school using the Little Wandle Letters and Sounds, a DfE validated programme. It will give parents information on how the programme works, as well as giving them advice and tips on how to support their children at home.

#### Parents' Evening

**Monday 28th November** and **Wednesday 30th November** (information on how to book your meeting will be sent out closer to the time)

#### **Class Assemblies**

Throughout the year we welcome parents to your child's class assembly. These assemblies are a showcase of the children's learning. Please find the dates below; these are subject to change but we will notify you as soon as possible. They will be held in the school hall at 9.05am.

Reception — Tuesday 7th March and Tuesday 4th July

Year 1—Tuesday 21st March and Tuesday 27th June

Year 2— Tuesday 18th October and Tuesday 28th March

Year 3—Tuesday 7th February and Tuesday 23rd May

Year 4—Tuesday 31st January and Tuesday 16th May

Year 5—Tuesday 24th January and Tuesday 13th June

Year 6— Tuesday 15th November and End of Year Production (date TBC)





# Are you a parent?

## Have you heard of Parent View?

Parent View is an online questionnaire for you to give your views about this school at any time of the year.

At the time of an Ofsted inspection, parents are also invited to give inspectors their views using **Parent View**.



It's easy. It's quick. It's time to log on.

https://parentview.ofsted.gov.uk/

Could you be a Parent Ambassador?

# Parent Ambassadors

We are looking for parents and carers to support St Jude's by acting as

Parent Ambassadors, sharing your personal experiences of the St Jude's community.

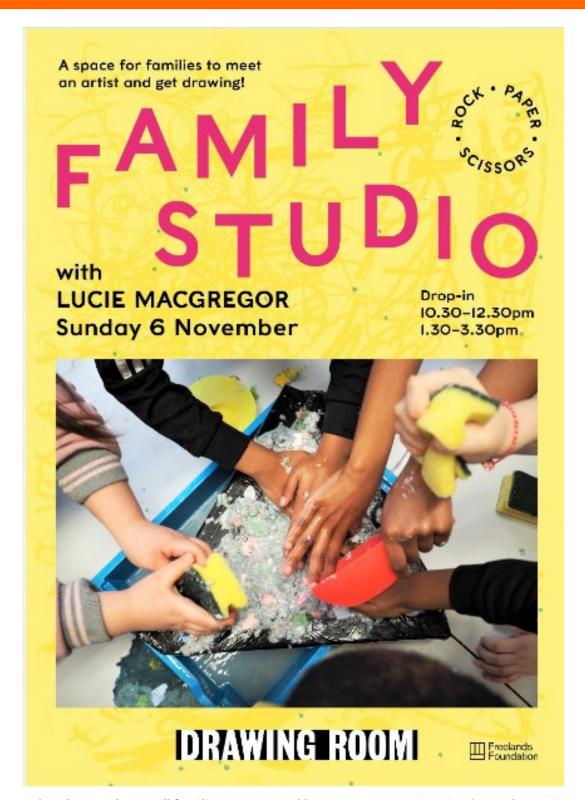
The role would include things such as:

- → Meeting prospective families during Reception school tours
- Acting as a point of contact for new families
- Supporting families whose children transfer from another school

Please email admin@st-judes.lambeth.sch.uk or pop into the office if interested.



#### **Local Events**



Everyone can draw! We welcome all families to come and have a go at some imaginative and experimental ways of drawing in a studio environment. Happening on the first Sunday of every month, next up we have Lucie MacGregor exploring ripping, cutting and pulping drawings to make new forms!

Entry is free! Join us on Sun 6 November, between 10.30-3.30pm at our temporary location:

OKR Arts Club, 765-775 Old Kent Road, SE15 1NZ Bus routes: 21, 53, 172, 453, P12

For more info or to discuss access needs, please contact: <a href="mailto:genevieve@drawingroom.org.uk">genevieve@drawingroom.org.uk</a> / 07438 277 020

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