



St Jude's Church of England Primary School
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Thought for the Week



Last week we were thinking about our self-worth and that we are all amazing in our own special way.

We listened to a beautiful poem from Psalm 139:1-6,13-16 to help us reflect on this even more!

God you know everything I do
There's nothing that isn't seen by you
You know when I'm happy, or when I am blue
When I sleep in my bed, when I go to the **loo**
You know what I'll say before I even do
There's nothing that isn't seen by **you**.

God you know everything about me
There's nowhere I can go that you won't be
If I climb up a mountain or swim in the **sea**
If I visit the shops, or an art gallery
If I fly in a rocket through the far **galaxy**
There's nowhere I can go that you won't be.

God I know you made me outside and in
In incredible ways, you made everything
My muscles and organs, the bits deep within
The stuff on the outside, my hair and my **skin**
How you came up with it, I can't imagine
God I know you made me outside and **in**

What has Class 3 been up to?

Class 3 had an amazing trip to Southwark Cathedral this week. We were able to take a stroll around the Cathedral. We stopped to reflect when the hourly prayer started – On the day, the Chaplain said a wonderful prayer for St Jude's Primary School and its pupils—we were very impressed!



We then learned lots of information about the Celts and the Roman invasions of Britain (two failed attempts before finally conquering). We did not just hear about life back then; we were invited to dress up and take part in scenarios to help with our understanding.

While we were at Southwark Cathedral we got to see first-hand the ornate stained glass windows - in the rose at the head of the window (shown to the right) the dove of the Holy Spirit is shown surrounded by eight rejoicing angels.



We were also able to learn about the Roman artefacts discovered on the grounds of the Cathedral when work was carried out.

A great surprise was each member of Class 3 being able to make our very own crown of leaves like the Roman Emperors, a nice memento that we were able to take home with us.

Thank you to the volunteers who came with us on the day and made it such a special trip!



Our School's Christian Vision

Last year we thought a lot about our school's Christian vision and what it means to us.

Our Christian vision shapes everything we do at school: our everyday routines, how we speak to and treat each other, how we plan our curriculum, the events we run, our policies - this list is endless!

Last year, the Faith Group were brilliant at thinking further about our vision. We met with Reverend Stephen and considered if our vision still reflected our school, adding to it slightly. We wanted to share this with you again as it is something we are very proud of and believe it really does express our wonderful school community!

Our children

Our St Jude's Family

Happy – Inspired – Loved

Learning in the footsteps of Jesus

The sky is not the limit

Ready for today – prepared for tomorrow



Friday Stars !

Reception

Reception's Friday star is Cassius. Cassius has really impressed us with his eagerness to use the new phonemes learnt during phonics. When he is choosing his learning, he is always thinking about how he can label his drawings. Well done Cassius.



Class 1

Class One's Friday Star is Maya! Maya has been so resilient this week, she has faced any challenge with a 'can do' attitude and it has been amazing to see how hard she has worked in every activity.



Well done Maya, we are so proud of you!

Class 2



Class Two's Friday Star is Isla. Isla is a brilliant role model for our St Jude's values. She is always there for others, always prepared and helpful and always celebrating others. We are so glad to have you in our team, Isla. Thank you!



Class 3

Class Three's Friday Star is Jude! Jude has worked really hard in all of his lessons throughout this week. He has shown such great resilience and fortitude in his attitude and his work, especially maths. Keep up the great work Jude!



Class 4



Class Four's Friday Star is Zaza. For excellent effort in English learning. Zaza has been trying hard to include fronted adverbial and expanded noun phrases in her writing as well as including some creative ideas and amazing illustrations. Well done.

Class 5/6

This week's Friday star is Arelie! Arelie showed such resilience in swimming this week which was so wonderful to see! As well as this, she is incredibly kind, prepared and helpful and a brilliant asset to our class! Amazing job Arelie, well done!



Dojo Winners

With **187 points**, this week's dojo winners are **Reception!**

You got most of your points this week for your brilliant listening and being prepared for learning!



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

Saint of the Week

Esme, Class 1

For being there for others and helping them to face any challenge. She helped during P.E. setting up and tidying up independently and helped her peers to succeed in their balance activities showing them how to do it.



Worker of the Week

Willow, Class 3

She has completed all her work to the best of her ability in all lessons and has shown great resilience.



Cauliflower Christmas Cards

The PTA will be running the **Cauliflower Christmas Card** fundraising project again this year.

Get your children's festive artwork printed onto cards, gift labels, mugs and wrapping paper in time for Christmas! We would like to encourage you all to take part.

Packs will be sent home in the children's school bags this week and the children can complete their artwork at home. So get the paints and coloured pens out this weekend and let them get creative ... the brighter and bolder the better!

Don't forget to order online, and have your children's masterpieces returned to their school teachers by **October 14th!**

There will also be a chance to complete artwork this Friday at 3.30pm at school.



Important Dates

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Class Collective Worship

Throughout the year we welcome parents to see your child's class Collective Worship. These special worships are a showcase of the children's learning and an opportunity for the children to lead worship for our school community. 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: Wednesday 26th March and Wednesday 21st May

Class 1: Wednesday 12th February and Wednesday 18th June

Class 2: Wednesday 27th November and Wednesday 25th June

Class 3: Wednesday 29th January and Wednesday 7th May

Class 4: Wednesday 5th March and Wednesday 2nd July

Class 5/6: Wednesday 20th November and Production (date TBC)

Whole School Events

Black History Month Family Learning Project Exhibition –Friday 18th October, 3.30– 3.45pm in the school hall

Whole School Sport Inspired Athlete's Sponsored Event - Tuesday 5th November—we can't wait to find out who will visit us this year!

Anti-Bullying Week—Monday 11th—Friday 15th November

Autumn Parents/Carers' Evening, - Monday 11th and Tuesday 12th November, 4.00—7pm—more information to follow!

Whole School Pantomime—this year we are watching **Cinderella!** —Tuesday 10th December, 2pm in school

Whole School Christmas Jumper Day—Wednesday 18th December—we can't wait to see them!

Christmas Lunch Day—Wednesday 18th December

Reception Nativity—Wednesday 11th December, 9.30am

Class 1—5/6 Christmas Performance for parents and carers, - Friday 13th December , 9.30am

Trips, Visits and Workshops

Reception, Class 1 and Class 2, Perform Drama Workshop in school—Monday 14th October

Key Stage 2 Author visit— Jennifer Bell—Tuesday 15th October

Class 4 Trip to British Museum - Wednesday 16th October

Class 5/6 Trip to Tower of London : Crime and Punishment Workshop - Friday 18th October

Black History Month 2024

We are very excited to be celebrating **Black History Month** this October. The theme this year is “**Reclaiming Narratives.**” This theme is a commitment to correcting historical inaccuracies and uncovering the untold success stories of Black people around the world. More information on this can be found on [here](#).

At St Jude’s we are incredibly proud of our diverse curriculum that reflects our community. We take the opportunity to share, celebrate and understand the impact of black heritage and culture throughout the year, as well as during Black History Month.

To launch this special month, families are invited to complete our annual Family Learning Project. We are asking you to create a project to celebrate stories of Black heritage. Information will be posted on Google Classroom. On the flyer, you can find some ideas of how you may want to complete your project. We are also looking out for original ideas too!

The deadline is **Wednesday 16th October**. The wonderful projects will be displayed in the hall for an exhibition on **Friday 18th October** in the school hall between **3:30pm and 3:45pm**.

We can’t wait to see what you create!



KG Doodles

CHILDCARE

BREAKFAST & AFTER SCHOOL Club



COME ON IN NOW!

Are you entitled to Zero or Discounted Fees

- On Full Benefits and going back to Work or College - upto 100% fees paid
- Universal Credit claimants - upto 80% fees paid
- University student - Childcare Grant Payment upto 80% fees paid
- Working - Childcare choices & Voucher scheme Tax relief

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Universa
Credit

Childcare Vouchers*

Childcare
Choices

CGPS

VISA



Open Hours:

Monday - Friday

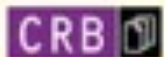
Breakfast 07:45 am - 09:00 am

Afterschool 15:15 pm - 18:00 pm

Breakfast £5.50 / Afterschool £13.00 per session*

Registered & Approved

Ofsted



www.kgdoodles.co.uk
0117-3322-811

* & C's apply for emergency sessions

PTA Events this year!

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PTA Events 2024-25

September

Fri 20th - 3.30pm
Cake & uniform sale
Lead: Cakes - Vanessa (YR,
Y3), Uniform - Marcia (Y3)
Fri 27th - 9am
Meet the PTA



October

Fri 4th - 3.30pm
Christmas card
creation
(Cauliflower
Project Deadline
Oct 14th)



November

Fri 15th 5.30 - 8pm
KS2 Film night
Lead: Anna (YR & Y3)



December

Fri 6th - 3.30pm
Christmas Fair
Lead: Vanessa
(YR&Y3), TBC



January '25

Fri 17th - 3.30pm
Cake & uniform sale
Lead: Cakes - Vanessa
(YR, Y3),
Uniform - Marcia
(Y3)



February

Thurs 6th - 5.30pm
Valentine's Disco
Lead: Nicola (Y3)

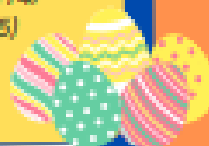


March

Drawing month
TBC

April

Thurs 3rd - 3.30pm
Easter fun & games
Lead: Liz (Y2&Y4)
Jane (Y3&Y5)



May

Sat 10th - 1pm
Fun Run
Lead: TBC



June

Thurs 5th - Quiz Night
Lead: Y6 tbc
Sat 21st - 12 - 3.30pm
Summer Fair
Lead: Liz (Y2&Y4), Vanessa
(YR & Y3)

July

Fri 11th - 3.30pm
Cake / ice lollies
sale

Lead: Cakes - Vanessa (YR,
Y3), Uniform - Marcia (Y3)



JOIN US

We always need help!
Contact your class rep
if you can help or have
an idea for an event
you want to run.

October Half-Term

Monday 28th October – 1st
November 2024.



www.active.lambeth.gov.uk

Brixton Recreation Centre, 27 Brixton Station Road London, SW9 8QQ.

ALL CHILDREN ARE REQUIRED TO HAVE A VALID PAY AS YOU GO MEMBERSHIP TO ATTEND HOLIDAY CLUB.

HOLIDAY CLUB (5-12 years)

Monday – Friday: 09:00 – 17:00

A fun packed, multi activity holiday offering high quality care with an emphasis on FUN. We aim to do more than just keep the children occupied with a wide range of activities that offer something for everyone! Children will also have the option of swimming if they are competent swimmers. Children should wear comfortable clothes and trainers to maximise interaction. Please ensure that your children have a packed lunch full of healthy foods (**not to contain nuts as an ingredient, sugary sweets or fizzy drinks**). Please ensure the children have a reusable bottle.

Due to the play scheme's Ofsted registration, we can only accept children following their 5th birthday from September (children must be born on or before 31/08/2019).

Cost per day.

Standard	£24.55
Concessionary	£20

Cost per week.

Standard	£132.75
Concessionary	£100.00

Early drop off and late pick up collection available (8am – 9am / 5pm – 6pm) for an additional £3.20

Any child dropped off before 9am or collected after 5pm will be subjected to pay £3.20

Intensive crash courses:

Monday – Friday

Sessions are £34.50 for the 5 days.

Our short courses are a great way for children to be introduced to a new activity and help them build confidence in the water. These lessons are also to help children that already swim to improve their skills further with some intensive lessons.

The lessons will run every day at the same time.

Our crash courses are for beginners aged 4 years old and above.

Lessons will run at the following times:

9:30am-10am

10am – 10:30am

~~10:30am~~ – 11am

11am – 11:30am Angelfish (main pool classes)

Family Leisure Zone

Monday – Sunday: 9am – 18:00

Sessions are advised to be booked online or via the app. All sessions last for 60mins.

Filled with brightly coloured tubes, tunnels and slides, our indoor play area gives kids the chance to climb, slide and play for an hour of jam-packed fun. We also have an area especially for children under the age of 5.

Socks will need to be worn, purchase before use through AL app or FLZ reception.

Climbing Walls

Sessions are £8.55 per participant. Trainers must be worn to take part.

Our Climbing walls are now open.

The sessions are 1 hour long with a 15-minute briefing. Come and test your bravery with one of our qualified staff members.

Sessions run from Monday-Friday 10am-5pm.
Saturday Sunday 10am-3pm

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