



SJRC News

Friday 12th January 2024



Stars and Superheroes of the Week

A massive congratulations to the following children for being awarded Star/ Superhero of the Week today!

Well done to;

Onyinyechi for settling into her new environment and making new friends in **Nursery Class.**

Ava for being a positive role model, being kind to all of her friends and trying her best with her learning in **Peter Class.**

Ava for working extremely hard with her phonics and blending whilst reading in **John Paul Class.**

Sebastian for working hard across all subjects and behaving very well in **Elizabeth Class.**

Leo for being such a superstar and amazing role model! He listens well, is always ready to work, and puts so much effort into work in **Baptist Class.**

Jermaine for being kind and trying hard in his work in **Jerome Class.**

George for coming back to school after the Christmas holidays and putting a great amount of effort into his learning in **McAuley Class.**

David for returning after the break with a very sensible and mature attitude, and working very hard in **Felton Class.**

Damiano for; showing bravery and determination to work even though he had a painful finger, his ongoing support of his peers and doing his best in all work, and **Eli** for always quietly getting on with his work and doing his best in **Joseph Class.**

Joaquin for his hard work in creative writing in **Campion Class.**

Reuben for his positive input during class discussions and a good role model to his peers in **Dempsey Class.**

Taliyah for being motivated, positive and leading by example with her behaviour and willingness to improve. in **Fisher Class.**

We are very proud of you all!



Dates for Your Diary—Spring One

- ⇒ Martin Luther King Jr. Day— Monday 15th January 2024
- ⇒ Energy Saving Week —17th January- 24th January 2024
- ⇒ Joseph Class Assembly 2024— Friday 26th January 2024
- ⇒ National Storytelling Week —27th February- 4th February 2024
- ⇒ Rosa Parks Day— Sunday 4th February 2024
- ⇒ Felton Class Assembly 2024— Friday 2nd February 2024
- ⇒ McAuley Class Assembly 2024— Friday 9th February 2024
- ⇒ Last day of Half- Term— Friday 9th February 2024 (Finish school at 3:15pm)
- ⇒ Chinese New Year — Saturday 10th February 2024

Mr Coffey's Reflection

Firstly, I'd like to wish you all a happy new year, and also to thank you on behalf of the staff for your generosity and kind words as we brought the last term to a close! Miss Quinn got married in December, and will now be known as Mrs Jones. We wish Mr and Mrs Jones a lifetime of happiness!

It has certainly been an exciting start to the new year! We have welcomed Elizabeth Class' new teacher, Mrs Moore, who was immediately a part of the wonderful 1 and 2 phase group's royal tea party, while our Reception children finished off the week as superheroes – the opportunity to say "Good Morning, Batman / Supergirl" for the morning register is always a bonus.

It has been wonderful to welcome all of the children back of course – capes or no capes – to a brand new year, and we can't wait to see the exciting work and progress they make as they continue their learning journey here at St. Joseph's.

EYFS + KS1 News

Take a look at some of the photos from the Year1 /2 Royal Tea Party on Wednesday, and our Reception children who became Superheroes for the day today!



Speech And Language Therapy— Update

If your child has Speech And Language Therapy (SALT) sessions in school, they will be bringing home a copy of their individual targets for this term.

These targets will be worked on in school. It is helpful for you to know these targets and support your child wherever possible.

If you need any further explanation, please contact the school's therapist using the email address on the given target sheet.



THIS WEEK'S HOUSE POINTS



**"YESTERDAY IS GONE. TOMORROW HAS NOT YET COME. WE ONLY HAVE
TODAY. LET US BEGIN."**

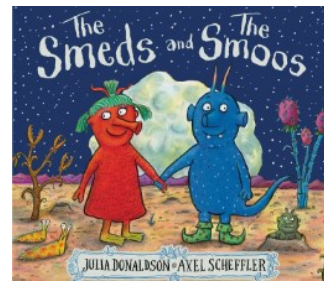
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Thought for the Week

NEW YEAR
NEW MOMENTS
NEW ADVENTURES
NEW LESSONS
NEW MEMORIES
NEW CHALLENGES
NEW OPPORTUNITIES

D.E.A.R

Miss Dixon would like to recommend, 'The Smeds and the Smoos,' by Julia Donaldson. She says, "This bright and colourful book has a very clever way of wording a lovely message for children, teaching them that we should treat everyone with kindness—even when we may be different to one another."



Birthday Shoutouts

We would like to wish those who celebrated their birthday this week, are celebrating today or those who have a birthday at the weekend, a very happy birthday!

Amen – Joseph Class

Amira – Joseph Class

Elizabeth – Joseph Class

Kairell – Joseph Class

Laura – Dempsey Class

Takunda – Dempsey Class

Ruby – Fisher Class

