



Being the best we can
be

Bramble's

News

28th April 2023



A message from Mrs Gynn

Year 2 have had a wonderful introduction to their theme for this term:



A day that transported them back to 1666. They experienced the sights, the smells and practised so many different skills. I do hope that they have been able to share it all with you.

Reception began their big question by dressing in their favourite colour.



Look at all of the different colours!

Elsewhere in school, Year 1 have been busy in maths doubling numbers.



They have developed it further by beginning to look at sharing.

Poppy class have been looking after some very special visitors.



As you can see, there is always something happening at St James!

We are looking forward to our special Coronation day next Friday too.

I hope you have a lovely bank holiday weekend.
See you on Tuesday.©

Reminders... Page 2

Drinks in school



Fizzy drinks are not allowed in school. Children should only be bringing their water bottles into school.



We have an adult library in the entrance area of school.

Please do come on in and help yourself to a book.

When you have finished it, please return and swap for another.

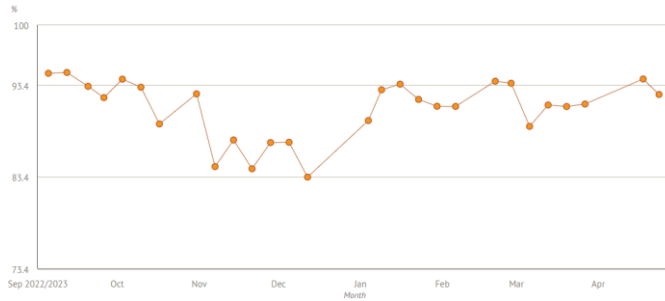
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A polite reminder - all play equipment in the playground should not be used before or after school.

Attendance



It is really disappointing to see that our attendance percentage has fallen this week. Absence requests have also been received for holidays. Please do remember that absence for a family holiday cannot be authorised and can result in a fine.

This week's book recommendation:

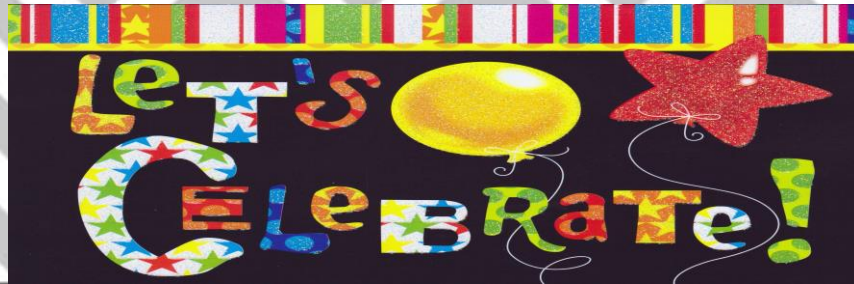
With the King's Coronation just around the corner, it might be nice to share a story all about it.



This is a non-fiction book, which discovers the life of King Charles.



This is a funny book, which celebrates the King's coronation with a story jam-packed full of pants!



Certificates have been awarded

to:

World of Words

Great reading, writing, speaking and listening or drama work

Niyah - in Daisy Class

Let's Investigate

Fantastic maths or science work

David in Snowdrop Class and Dante in Buttercup Class

Express Yourself

Wonderful art, design technology, music or P.E. work

Exploring the World

Super history, geography or religious education work

Jackson in Bluebell Class

Being your best

Radu in Dandelion Class

Wow!

Max in Sunflower Class



We celebrated with:

Victoria, who are now 4!

Nikolay, who is now 5!

David and Franklin who are now 6!

Happy Birthday to you!



Bramble's Rule

Children who keep classrooms and outside areas tidy

Harrison, Nova, Aaron, Kelly, Denis, Molly, Lorenzo A, Reaan, Mohamed, Remi, Bella, Leo



Attendance Award

Dandelion Class - 97% - well done

Our value for April is:



Fairness - Inclusion

Values:

- Inclusion
- Integrity
- Initiative
- Inspiring



Star Readers

Matilda - who has 100 reads! Wow!

Bella - star reader in school

A wonderful achievement - well done!

What will be happening in our school?

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Lots of children received 5 Dojo points this week, having been in school every day. Dojo points will continue to be issued this week. 😊

1.5.23 - Bank holiday - No school

3.5.23 - World Maths Day



5.5.23 - Coronation celebration day

The children will be taking part in a Coronation Ceremony in the morning and we shall be hosting a Coronation party - a big lunch in the afternoon.

Please note that we shall be having a picnic lunch which will be provided by the school kitchen.



8.5.23 - Bank holiday - No school

May - SATs period for year 2

Please ensure your children are in school each day

11.6.23 - Year 1 trip to Everdon Forest

26.5.23 - End of term 5 - break up for a week



Friends of St James Events - Summer term



5p bottle challenge

Will be starting after Easter.

Please collect as many 5 pences as you can.

Mufti Day's St James Infant & Pre-School **2023**

- Friday 26th May Mufti - its Pyjamarama day
- Friday 30th June Mufti Day - We ask for a bottle for the Summer Fate Tombola instead of £1
- Thursday 20th July - A single colour Day (students to wear red, white, pink, blue or green from head to toe)

