St. James' Church of England Infant and Nursery School March 2026 Newsletter

Dear Parents and Carers

I hope that everyone enjoyed their half term break and I would like to thank each and every one of you who supported us at the Family Worship event at Ozzy Road at the end of last term.



Heroes of Hope!

I was very proud of all of our children who really did show themselves as 'Heroes of Hope'. Thank you again for taking the time to join us.

This term our children in Seedlings and Rowan class are learning all about traditional tales and we are looking forward to welcoming Front Door Theatre who will be coming into school to perform The Three Little Pigs.

In Key Stage 1 the children are answering the question: Would You Like to Live in Space? I wonder what their answer will be?!

March is always a busy month with both World Book Day and British Science Week.
On Monday 2nd March, Rowan class, Birch class and Willow class will be visiting Waterstones book shop to collect their free book. We will then keep these in school until World Book Day on Thursday 5th March. On World Book Day we will be running our second 'Library Drop In' from 8:30am to 9am. Please do join us and use this as an opportunity to share with your child the book which they have chosen from Waterstones.

All the children have been working hard towards their science CREST awards this term and have been busy investigating and completing scientific missions. On the first day of Science Week KS1 will be visiting Magna in Rotherham and the rest of the week will be spent doing all things 'science'!
We would like to invite you into school on 13th March to find out a little bit more about the types of scientific investigations which have taken place throughout the week in school.

Celebrating our Children!
A special congratulations to all of the children who were chosen by staff to be in the Golden Celebration Book in the month of February!

Rowan Class	Birch Class	Willow Class
Xander Folami Dua Damilola	Taimur Rohaan Nathan A Henry O Daniel Riley Folami	Aryan Alisha Anas Courtney Jason David

Kindest Regards,

Miss Luisa Pancisi

Diary Dates

Date	Time	Event
2nd March	1:45pm	Let's Talk Together Session 1
2nd March	AM	Waterstones Visit
March 5th	8:15am to 9am	World Book Day Library Drop In
9th March	1:45pm	Let's Talk Together Session 2
9th March	All Day	KS1 Trip to Magna
9th—13th March		Science Week
12th March	1:30pm	Blossom Play and Chat
13th March	8:30am to 9:15am	Science Morning All Parents and Carers invited
16th March	1:45pm	Let's Talk Together Session 3
18th March	PM	Front Door Theatre Seedlings, Rowan Class and Birch Class
23rd March	1:45pm	Let's Talk Together Session 4
26th March	AM	Rowan Class Birch Class Willow Class Cinema Trip
26th March	2pm	Easter Fayre
30th March— 10th April		Easter Holidays
13th April		First Day of the summer term.
4th May	School Closed	May Bank Holiday
May		Pool to School All children in Reception Class / Year 1 and Year 2 will have swimming lessons at school
25th—29th May	School Closed	Half Term
8th—12th June		Phonics Screening for Year 1 and some Year 2 children
15th June	School Closed	INSET Day
18th June	1:15pm	Sports Day
22nd July		Last Day of the summer Term for ALL pupils
22nd July	2pm	Year 2 Graduation