

St James the Great Catholic School Newsletter

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The Power of Belief



Were your faith the size of a mustard tree...

What we believe is very important to everything we do. If we have belief in ourselves we can achieve wonderful things indeed. This week's Gospel Jesus reminds us that even if our faith is as small as a mustard seed (a very small seed indeed) then it would be powerful enough to make a tree uproot and plant itself in the sea. That's powerful!

So have faith in God, in ourselves and in the values that our society holds dear, so that we can be better together.

Some Reminders for next week.

Next Monday 3rd October - Individual photos, portrait & sibling groups.
Reminder about the flu vaccine - nasal spray- 5th October.

British Values: Democracy School elections

All classes have been looking at the responsibility that comes with the Democracy and making real choices. Classes from Year 2 upwards also went about the task of electing their representatives for both the School Council and Catholic Life Committees. There were Job Descriptions, application letters, discussions and hustings for the older children.



School Council

This year's councillors are: Chidalu & Raffaele; Millie & Ethan; Kenne & Fredah Lawrence & Samantha; Isaiah & Nifemi.

Catholic Life Committee

This year's committee is comprised of: Ralph & Sapphire; Daniel & Halima; Eva & Solihom; Jeremiah, Victoria & Sara

Yr 6 Secondary School Applications

4 weeks to Secondary School Application deadline

By popular request, this week's Phonics Workshop will be repeated again but at a later time so even more adults can access.



New Uniform Sale

This will be next Tuesday, 4th October from 2:30 - 3:00

'St James the Great Awards' 'Maths'

'Calculation'

Pupils of achievement are as follows:
Precious & Ashley; Alex A & Faith N; Kenny & Nathan; Lydia & Daniel and Israel & Hannah.

'Persistant Learner'

Pupils of achievement are as follows:
Jane, Kimberley, Nhyira, April & Sapphire

'Pupil Leaders'

Lunchhall supporters
Filip, Mmesoma, Ore, Precious & Kevin, Faith E., Bernard & Evie.

Well done everyone!

St James the Great, Pray for us.

Responding to you

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