Newsletter 1 – Autumn 2023 15th September



Let your light shine before others.

Headteacher's Welcome

Dear Parents/Carers,

We have had another fantastic week at St John's! Class Newsletters will be sent out today outling specific information that you may need to know in regards to your child's class. As from Friday 15th September, the email address info@stjohns.solafidetrust.org will no longer be accessible. Please direct all emails to the info@stj.fa1.uk school account.

We are also looking to improve the window boxes at the front of the Lower School, we would be greatly appreciative of any suitable donations of plants that you may have.

If you have any matters of importance that you need to speak to a class teacher about, please could we remind you to make an appointment at either the beginning or the end of the school day. Our priority is to ensure that the children enter and exit school safely.

Please don't forget to give us a follow on Twitter @stifailsworth to see what happens in school each week and to also see information regarding our family of schools in the Forward as 1 Trust.

Non Uniform Day

Friday 22nd September will be a non-uniform day. In return we are asking for donations of sweets and chocolate for St John's Church Fayre that will be held on Saturday 23rd September. Thank your support.

Friday 22nd September is also Rugby League Shirt Day, People wear their favourite shirt to raise money for charities. The charities are the MND, Steve Prescott Foundation and Christie Hospital. Abigail in Year 5 will be wearing her Rugby Shirt in her role as Ambassador for Rugby League Shirt Day. You are more than welcome to join her. If you would just like to donate the fundraising page is

https://donate.giveasyoulive.com/fundraising/rugby-league-shirt-day

Lunchtime Vacancy

We have a vacancy for a Midday Supervisor below, Please see link below if you are interested.

Midday Supervisor - St. John's CE Primary School, Failsworth - Manchester M35 - Indeed.com

https://uk.indeed.com/job/midday-supervisor-st-johns-ce-primary-school-failsworth-18ca34e7d0c77337

Stars of the Week

Well done to all our Shining Stars of the week! This week they are: Sapphire -Ruby - Ajer Diamond - Oliver Topaz - Roman Emerald - Nancy Year 3S - Ivy Year 3/4CW - Teddy Year 4S - Vincent Year 5R - Elsie Year 5S - Evie Year 6B- Ifeotuwa Headteacher – Rebecca and Vinnie



Attendance

Well done to Miss Stoker's Class with the highest attendance this week with an impressive

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Sapphire	96.6%	
Ruby	96.5%	
Diamond	95.8%	
Topaz	97.9%	
Emerald	93.3%	
Year 3	93.7%	
Year 3/4CW	96.5%	
Year 4	96.1%	
Year 5R	98.5%	-
Year 5S	98.6%	
Year 6	96.6%	1

Each week we are striving to be in school every day to make the most of all our learning opportunities. This week's whole school attendance figure is **95.8%**. We would like it be 98%. Please note that holidays in term time cannot be authorised. Please remember that being on time is also extremely important Lower School – 9.05 am Upper School – 8.55 am

Doors open 5 minutes earlier.

If your child is going to be absent from school for any reason, you must contact the School Offices before the start of the school day.

