



“With exploring minds, and faith; we grow and learn together”

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Newsletter

Well Done

PUPILS OF THE WEEK

The children have all been working extremely hard this week.

Here are our Pupils of the Week

Windermere – Rose J

Ullswater – Aalayah B

Derwentwater – Cooper R

Bassenthwaite – Lewis C, Kenas K,

Isaac P, Ruth C, Lucy A, Elie W

Ennerdale – Aisha Z



The St. James' Way

- ✓ **Be Kind**
- ✓ **Be Respectful**
- ✓ **Give Your All**

CHRISTIAN VALUE AWARD

Windermere – Windermere Year 6

Ullswater – Ullswater Year 6

Derwentwater – Derwentwater Year 6

Bassenthwaite – Archie J

Ennerdale – Leo M

Buttermere – Aria C



Overall School
attendance
this week is
97.01%

Winner
ATTENDANCE WINNERS:
WINDERMERE
Had top attendance this week

Well done to the children who have achieved a Bronze award for 50 points

Junior C & Blake D

Well done to the children who have achieved a Silver award for 100 points

Ziena N



Each week, all of the children gaining 100% in a reading quiz are placed into a prize draw to win a book of their choice. This week's winners were Allura B & Jack H.





We have had a great week of learning and activities this week.
Check out Class Dojo for lots of updates and photos.



SATS



Art



PE

It has been a wonderful penultimate week of the half term here at St James'. Our Year 6 pupils approached their SATs with calmness, maturity and real resilience and we are incredibly proud of the effort and determination they showed throughout the week. They have truly been a credit to themselves and the school. We look forward to sharing their results with you in July alongside their end-of-year reports. To celebrate their hard work, the children thoroughly enjoyed a well-deserved ice cream treat today! We are also looking ahead to the coming days, with leavers' hoodies being issued on Tuesday and exciting cycling sessions with Cyclewise planned for next week.

Elsewhere in school, there has been lots to celebrate. This afternoon, Ullswater and Windermere classes made the most of the beautiful sunshine as they enjoyed their Whitehaven local history walk, bringing their learning to life in our local area. It has also been lovely to welcome our Year 2 children into school for a playtime as part of their transition programme. They mixed confidently with our junior pupils and represented their schools brilliantly and it is clear they are already excited for their next visit!

Have a lovely weekend. *Mrs Moore*

WEEKLY CLUBS

⇒ Wednesday

- ◆ 8.00 a.m. Judo Breakfast Club
- ◆ Music Tuition (Guitar AM (Keyboard PM)
- ◆ Yr 5/6 Adventure Club at Whitehaven Harbour Youth Project (Collect from WHYP @ 4.45 p.m.)

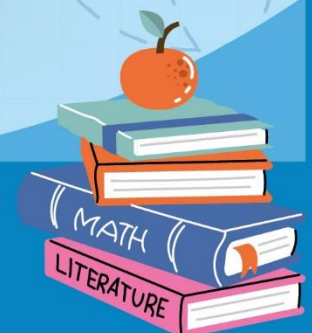
⇒ Thursday

- ◆ Mr Carruthers Year 4 Sports Club
Collect at 4.20pm

COMING UP AT ST JAMES'

- Monday 25th – Friday 29th Half Term holidays
- Tuesday 2nd – Friday 5th June
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‘Your word is a lamp to my feet, a light on my path. Psalm 119:105’