



“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 – Evie S
Ulswater – Paige J
Derwentwater – Clara C
Bassenthwaite – Isaac P
Ennerdale – Eilie W
Buttermere – Oliver R



The St. James' Way

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

CHRISTIAN VALUE AWARD

Windermere – Tyler T
Ulswater – Sam G
Derwentwater – Mia T
Bassenthwaite – Rudy M & Archie J
Ennerdale – Aisha Z
Buttermere – Gunnar C



HEADTEACHERS LOTTERY

Each week Mr Beattie pops into class and asks teachers who has gone above and beyond with their class expectations. Those winners are put into a lottery draw every Friday. This week's winner was Jack S.



ATTENDANCE WINNERS:
DERWENTWATER
Had top attendance this week



Invites have been sent out to everyone to join ClassDojo for the new school year. If you had a Dojo account last year you need to follow the new link to sign up to your child's new class

Overall School attendance
this week is **96.88 %**



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 Riley T and Jack M.





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



Football



Harvest



PE

We've had a lovely week in school, starting with a wonderful joint Harvest Festival alongside our Infant school. Thank you to everyone who came along—we hope you enjoyed the songs, prayers and poetry shared by the children. A special thank you also goes to Stuart from the Foodbank, who led a thoughtful assembly on Tuesday and collected our generous donations. We're sure they'll be gratefully received and make a real difference.

Today, I've had the pleasure of visiting English and French lessons across the school and have been so impressed with the children's retention and understanding—très bien to everyone!

I'd also like to extend our thanks to our parent governor Michael Routledge, who has taken on a huge challenge of runs, climbs and activities to raise much-needed funds for the school. The current total stands at an incredible £1400, and there's still time for any last-minute donations if you'd like to support his efforts.

<https://www.gofundme.com/f/purchase-books-equipment-tablets-sports-equipment>



Wishing you all a peaceful and restful weekend Mr Beattie

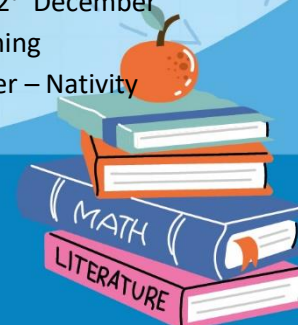
WEEKLY CLUBS

- ⇒ Monday
 - ◆ Yr 6 Bellringing at St James Church (Collect from church @ 4.30p.m.)
- ⇒ Wednesday
 - ◆ 8.00 a.m. Judo Breakfast Club
 - ◆ Music Tuition (Keyboard PM) (Guitar AM)
 - ◆ Yr 5/6 Adventure Club at Whitehaven Harbour Youth Project (Collect from WHYP @ 4.45 p.m.)
- ⇒ Thursday
 - ◆ Yr 5 Tennis & Badminton Collect from school at 4.15pm
 - ◆ Running Club Collect from school at 4pm
- ⇒ Friday
 - ◆ Music Tuition (Guitar AM 17.10 – **THIS WEEK ONLY**)

COMING UP AT ST JAMES'

- Monday 13th October – Nasal Flu Spray
- Wednesday 22nd October – Halloween Disco
- Monday 13th October – Nasal Flu Spray
- Monday 27th – Friday 31st - October Half Term
- Tuesday 4th & Wednesday 5th November – Parents Evening
- Monday 1st – Friday 5th December Windermere Swimming
- Monday 8th – Friday 12th December Derwentwater Swimming
- Monday 15th December – Nativity Times TBC

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“Your word is a lamp to my feet, a light on my path. Psalm 119:105”