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

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PUPILS OF THE WEEK

The children have all been working extremely hard this week.
Here are our Pupils of the Week

Windermere – William P

Ulswater - Ahtee J

Derwentwater – Sanjeedah A

Bassenthwaite – Farhat Z & Harley R

Ennerdale – Nathaniel M

Buttermere - Joshua M



The St. James' Way

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

CHRISTIAN VALUE AWARD

Windermere - Edie L, Caleb R, Jack M & Alex T

Ulswater - Aalayah B

Derwentwater - Oliver J

Bassenthwaite - Piper M

Ennerdale - Leo M

Buttermere - Macey H





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 Donnie T.



Had top attendance this week



Well done to the children who have achieved a Bronze award for 50 points **Bonnie Liu** Overall School attendance this week is **95.35%**



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 Jakob S and Riley H-O.





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







Children in Need

We would like to begin by saying a huge thank you for your generous contributions to Children in Need last week. We've raised £200 for such a worthwhile cause. The children thoroughly enjoyed the chance to come to school in their own clothes and pyjamas, and enjoyed the fun atmosphere, we hope everyone enjoys watching the show tonight.

We are also grateful to Rev Alison for coming into school to host a thoughtful Remembrance Service on Tuesday, which gave our pupils the opportunity to reflect and show their respect in such a meaningful way.

This week, we are delighted to share our congratulations with our 30-strong Cross-Country Team, who represented the school so brilliantly against local schools. Every child completed the course with determination, and we are proud to celebrate all of their successes – including four 1st place winners and two 3rd place winners. Meanwhile, we are busying arranging some lovely Christmas experiences for the children and parents.

Enjoy a restful weekend, Mr Beattie



WEEKLY **CLUBS**

We have shared an update outlining dates and times so far to help navigate this busy period.

- ♦ 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

COMING UP AT ST JAMES'

- Monday 1st Friday 5th December Windermere Swimming
- Wednesday 3rd December Carol Singing at Senhouse Centre
- Monday 8th Friday 12th December **Derwentwater Swimming**
- Tuesday 9th December Carol Singing at Rosehill House
- Monday 15th December Nativity Times TBC
- Tuesday 16th December Christmas Cinema Trip, Jumper & Dinner Day
- Friday 19th December Christmas Carol Service, St James' Church 12.15pm

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