



# FRIDAY NEWS

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The official newsletter of St James CE Primary School



## HUMANITARIAN CRISIS IN UKRAINE

The news coming out of Ukraine is pretty scary right now and we imagine that our children will have a lot of questions about the rapidly changing events. At school, we are using the resources provided by First News to navigate the difficult discussions about the news they are seeing and hearing at the moment.

The Department for Education is encouraging schools across the country to take part in a day for Ukraine. The event is being organised by First News, in partnership with the Disasters Emergency Committee (DEC), to raise money for their appeal.

On Friday 25th March, we are asking pupils to wear blue and yellow and donate £1 if they can. All funds raised will help to supply urgent food, hygiene supplies and medical care to refugees and those trapped by the conflict.

## STARS OF THE WEEK

Class 1 - Matteo PS  
Class 2 - Skylar B  
Class 3 - Decan M  
Class 4 - Alfie H  
Class 5 - Autumn S  
Class 6 - Meerab M  
Class 7 - Tiifeoluwa R  
Class 8 - Bradley S  
Class 9 - Jack E  
Class 10 - Lacey-Maye B  
Class 11 - Joshua T



## GOLDEN SCROLL

Owen H  
Elliemae T  
Bradley

## CHRISTIAN VALUE

Our Christian value this half term is **Forgiveness**.

## BIBLE QUOTE OF THE WEEK

*Bear with each other and forgive one another if any of you has a grievance against someone. Forgive as the lord forgave you.*

**Colossians 3:13**



## MOTHER'S DAY ASSEMBLY - 24TH MARCH

On Thursday 24th March, Class 3 will be delivering their Mother's Day assembly. Parents whose children are in Class 3 are invited into school to watch their children perform. Children will start at 2:30 pm.

## EASTER SERVICE - 1ST APRIL

On Friday 1st April, Year 4 will be delivering their Easter service. Parents whose children are in Year 4 (class 8 and some children in class 7) are invited into school to watch their children perform their assembly. Children will start at 2:30 pm.

## UPCOMING ASSEMBLIES

Due to COVID19 measures in school, we had to postpone assemblies in school to a later date. Now that the government guidance has changed, we are pleased to be able to invite parents back into school to watch their children perform in their class assemblies. Assemblies have now been arranged for the Summer term:

28th April - Class 4

5th May - Class 6

19th May - Class 7

26th May - Reception

26th June - Class 8

23rd June - Class 9

30th June - Class 10

7th July - Class 5

## ATTENDANCE

OUR TARGET IS 96%

Whole School	93.8%
Class 1	89.3%
Class 2	96.4%
Class 3	92.2%
Class 4	93.8%
Class 5	95.2%
Class 6	98.7%
Class 7	94.7%
Class 8	94.6%
Class 9	93.3%
Class 10	87.9%
Class 11	95.7%

Green - 100% - 95%

Yellow - 94.9% - 90%

Red - Below 90%

Don't forget that you can find lots of information on our website:

[www.st-james-farnworth.bolton.sch.uk](http://www.st-james-farnworth.bolton.sch.uk)



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# Easter Bingo

On Thursday 31st March, we will be holding an Easter Bingo event for our children. This will take place in classrooms, where they will play games of bingo with a chance to win some chocolate prizes.

Children will play against children from their own classes and therefore have an increased chance of winning. In order to create our chocolate prizes, we need your help. We are asking for chocolate donations in exchange for children wearing their own clothes on Friday 25th March.

More information about ticket sales will be released nearer the time and all money raised will go towards funding extra opportunities for the children of St James. Separate Easter activities will be planned for children who do not wish to part in the bingo.