



“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 – Clara S & Jett H

Ullswater – Philippa B

Derwentwater – Ava L

Bassenthwaite – Aria D

Ennerdale – Kayden D

Buttermere – Ruth C



CHRISTIAN VALUE AWARD

Windermere – Jakob S

Ullswater – Anna G

Derwentwater – Jacob G

Bassenthwaite – Nathaniel M

Ennerdale – Joshua M

Buttermere – Martha R, Joshua G

Nolah T & Aria D



The St. James' Way

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



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 Sammie B.



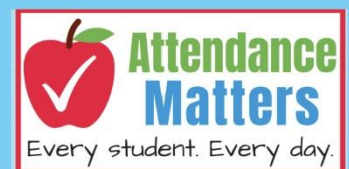
ATTENDANCE WINNERS:
WINDERMERE
Had top attendance this week



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

Ella M, Emilia A, Jenny M, Jenson H, Naeto N, Connor J, Jack E, Lewis C, Nathaniel M, Harley R, Alfie C, Cooper R, Carson M, Joshua M, Seth P, Emily B & Anna G

Overall School attendance this week is **98.13%**



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 Georgia H & Macey G.





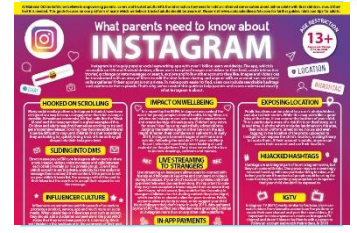
We have had a great week of learning and activities this week.
Check out Class Dojo for lots of updates and photos.



Gymnastics



Star of the Day



Internet Safety

Hello and welcome to our weekly newsletter.

This week has seen our final class Bassenthwaite complete their intensive swimming block. Reports from our staff and the staff at Workington Leisure Centre show the children have worked hard, listened well and all report an increase in their confidence and abilities in the water. Well done Bassenthwaite class. This week also saw our Forest School group return to Sawmill Woods, which was bathed in glorious winter sunshine. This year our forest school group will run to Easter and I'm sure the children will continue to enjoy sessions that encourage their creative and collaborative skills as they den-make, fire build and enjoy woodland crafts finished off with a hot chocolate. Thanks once again to Emma for her work with the school. A special thanks also go out to Mrs Starkie and her staff at St Mary's Kells, who invited some of our staff to see their Little Wandle programme, and to share their expertise with our staff who have been using the scheme effectively with some of our children since September. We are already seeing great progress with reading and spelling with these children, and we are hopeful that work with St Mary's will support this further. We ended the week with our celebration assembly where we celebrated children receiving their Bronze dojo certificates and some pupils of the week acquiring this award for striving to do things better, being polite and respectful and working incredibly hard. Sounds like the St James Way in action.

Enjoy a restful weekend, Mr Beattie



WEEKLY CLUBS

⇒ Tuesday

- ◆ Afterschool Stix percussion
Collect from school at 4.15 p.m.

⇒ Wednesday

- ◆ 8.00 a.m. Judo Breakfast Club
- ◆ Music (Keyboard) Tuition throughout the morning
- ◆ Music (Guitar) Tuition throughout the afternoon **(RESTARTING 5.2.25)**
- ◆ Active Play Club Collect from school at 4.15pm
- ◆ Yr 5/6 Adventure Club at Whitehaven Harbour Youth Project (Collect from WHYP @ 4.45 p.m.)

⇒ Thursday -

- ◆ Year 6 Drama Club
Collect from school at 4.10pm

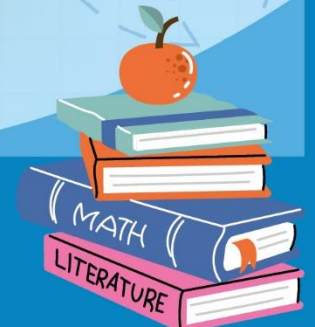
COMING UP AT ST JAMES'

- Monday 10th February – Book Fayre Week
- Monday 17th – Friday 21st February – HALF TERM
- Tuesday 25th & Wednesday 26th February – Spring Parents Evening
- Wednesday 2nd April – Easter Disco
- Friday 4th April - End of Spring Term & Easter Fayre

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