

# **ST. JOSEPH'S NEWS** 14/2/25

#### Dear Parents and Carers,

Congratulations to all for making it through this half term, the days are finally getting lighter (if not warmer) and our children have been very busy learning, growing and having fun! A big "Thank you" to several of you who have made kind donations toward our lunchtime resources - the children love them.

In keeping with this week's Gospel Value, we hope that all families and staff will have space to be compassionate to themselves this week and have a well earned rest. Sincerely,

### **Upcoming Events**

Half-term - 17/02 - 21/02 Inset day - 24/02 Children return - 25/02 Yr 1 Forest school - 26/02

Dodgeball Club - 25/02 Gymnastics Club - 27/02

World Book Day -06/03

Mr Willcox

# This week's highlight - Year 4







Year 4 have been learning about the importance of tropical rainforests this term. As part of our learning, we found out about all the products we use in our everyday life that originate from the rainforests. Some children explored this further and even went to the supermarket to search out Rainforest Alliance stickers on products. We then celebrated the world's amazing rainforests by enjoying some of the food they provide! Thank you to parents for supporting this!

## Attendance

**Highest Class Attendance** The class with the highest attendance this week is Beech Class. Keep up the good work.

### Gospel Value of the week

Compassion 'As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another, as good stewards of God's varied grace:' Peter 4:10



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### Fire Safety Visit - 14.02



Today Devon and Somerset Fire Service visited us in school. We learnt about the important work of the fire officers and all emergency services. The children were challenged with the task of asking their parents where the fire alarms at home are and checking that they are working. Please support your children and talk about this at home. Thank you to the fire service for bringing such an important message to us today. Please see the link below for more information.

http://www.staywise.co.uk/

## **Gospel Values Award**

Congratulations to the following children: Eleanor M, Michael, Kaiden-Rhys, Mya, Aredhel, Teddy, Albie, Albert, Brooklyn S, Charlie, Jensen, Emily, Nathan, Alfie.

# Headteachers Award: Alyssia.



# Stars of the week

Weekly Highlights

Oaks - Mireya Rowan - Willow Sycamore - Halle Cherry - Laicee Maple - Alfie Willow - Emily Beech - Quinlan





Bird watch Year 3- 23/01

### REMINDERS

We are a nut free school. Please check all items of food in your child's packed lunch and make sure no nuts are present.

The play equipment is **not** to be used before or after school.

World book day tokens were sent home on Wednesday, following feed back from last year. This will give you time to use the tokens before the books run out.

### SENDCo

If you have concerns about your child's development and would like to book a meeting with Miss English, our SENDCo, she is now offering SEND appointments every Wednesday afternoon. Please follow the link to book an appointment. https://appt.link/meet-with-hattieenglish-PMPQf4m7/send-co-generalappointment