

James Watt Primary School

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School News

Spring Term - Issue 1

12th January 2024

Welcome back

Welcome back everyone and a Happy New Year! We would like to thank all the children, staff and parents who have warmly welcomed us during this first week of our acting co-headship.

It has been lovely to see so many smiling faces this week and everyone excited to share stories about their Christmas break!

As we dive into teaching and learning, it's worth noting that this term is a very short one in comparison to the Autumn Term.

With a drop in temperature we kindly remind parents to ensure that their children come prepared for outdoor playtimes - a warm coat is a must. Children are welcome to wear gloves, scarves and hats.

Diary dates



Wednesday 17th January 2024

Year 1 Phonics parent workshop
9-9:45am KS1 Hall

Thursday 18th January 2024

Year 1 Library Trip
10:15am

Friday 19th January 2024

Year 4 Timetables parent workshop
9-9:45am KS2 Hall

Friday 26th January 2024

Year 2 Darcy Bussell Trip
9am - 12 noon

Tuesday 1st February 2024

Year 3 Red Class Assembly
9-9:30am KS2 Hall

Absence & Lateness



Please can we remind all parents/carers that school starts at 8:50am and the gates will close at 8:55am. You need to call 0121 4644736 before 9am in the morning if your child is going to be absent from school or if they are going to be late for any reason. If we have not heard from you then a call or home visit will be made to you as part of our responsibility to safeguard children.

School Meals

If you would like to change the meal arrangements for your child, please let the school office know beforehand.

School meal prices are:

£2.20 per day / £1.80 per day – Nursery

School dinners must be paid for IN ADVANCE.

If you need help setting up a SCHOOL GATEWAY account to pay for school meals, please see the office.



Nursery parent and carers

A Parent Declaration form needs to be completed and signed for the Spring term. Please can we ask all parents and carers to collect a form from Nursery and return it to the schools office by Tuesday 16th January at the latest.

Reception Admissions Sept 2024

The online application process is now live to register your child for Reception 2024. Please visit www.birmingham.gov.uk/schooladmissions for further information. The closing date for applications is Monday 15th January 2024. Do not delay in applying or you may miss out on a place.



Proud Celebrations



Congratulations to all the pupils who have received the co-head teachers' 'proud' award this week!

Nursery 1	Jeevan	Y3 Blue	Eesa
Nursery 2	Aria	Y3 Red	Oshane
R Aqua	Raissa	Y4 Pink	Amaan
R Grey	Joshua	Y4 White	Mansirat
Y1 Orange	Mehrat	Y5 Gold	Yashika
Y1 Purple	Japji	Y5 Silver	Micheal
Y2 Green	Kayla	Y6 Bronze	Vivaan
Y2 Yellow	Haadiya	Y6 Lime	Aaliyah