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### Newsletter 28-06-24

#### PRAYER

Lord  
Give us the Faith and Courage of St Peter and St Paul  
And help us in our own way  
To carry the word of God to others  
Amen

What a lovely Sports Day. The sun shone.



### Art work from Class 3

Activism Art – giving the children a voice.



Class 1 are enjoying learning about Africa



### PAST PUPILS

If you were a past pupil at St Johns then we would like to hear from you. We are creating a display to show our pupils what sorts of jobs/careers that past pupils have had. If you know a past pupil and they would be willing to send us a picture of themselves doing their job and write a paragraph stating the years they were at St Johns and something about their job and what the best part of their job is.

It is to demonstrate to the current pupils that anything is possible and the range of careers that people do in Dartmouth and beyond that have attended this school.

### REPORTS

Your child's report comes out today. We are trying a new format this year, please let us know what you think. There will be an opportunity to discuss your child's report on Monday 8<sup>th</sup> July between 3.30pm and 5pm. Please ring the school office if you would like to book an appointment.

### TRANSITION

We have enjoyed welcoming our new intake in for September on a Tuesday afternoon. Staff have really enjoyed getting to know them.

Transition for the rest of the school will happen on Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> July. Children will arrive at school and line up with their new class if they are going to Class 2 or Class 3. Year 4s will line up with Class 3 as they will be Year 5s for the day and Year 2s will play in the playground at the front and line up with Class 2 as they will be Year 3s for the day. Staff will be around to help. I'm sure everyone will enjoy being in their new class for the day. Year 4s will need picking up from the Class 3 playground at the end of the day.

### CLASS 3 UPCOMING EVENTS

Fri 28<sup>th</sup> pm - Leisure Centre- Junior Water Safety 2.30pm. Pick up from pool after 3.15pm.  
 Mon 1<sup>st</sup> July - Year 6 – Royal Dart Yacht Club day - please ensure that you have returned consent forms. Pick up from the Bandstand, Avenue Gardens at 3.15pm. If your child is a non-swimmer and not taking part in this day then the rest of Class 3 will be in school.  
 8<sup>th</sup> July – Year 5/6 Beach Safety at Blackpool sands from 12.45-2.45pm  
 Please share transport and let us know if any support is needed arranging lifts.  
 15<sup>th</sup> July - Year 6 - Leavers trip to Dartington - all day. More information to follow.  
 24<sup>th</sup> July - Year 6 Leaver's Assembly 10am

### FUNDRAISER REQUEST FROM MRS CHALK

Halwell and Moreleigh Bike Pump Track Fundraiser  
<https://www.crowdfunder.co.uk/p/halwell-and-moreleigh-pump-track/backers?#start>



The Pump Track will provide a safe environment for children to improve their cycling skills and get involved in exercise.

### ATTENDANCE

Attendance figures for week ending Friday 21<sup>st</sup> June are as follows:

Year R 94.3%	Year 1 98.2%	Year 2 95%	Year 3 85.6%
Year 4 97.1%	Year 5 81.1%	Year 6 96.7%	<b>92.6%</b>

**Whole school attendance this academic year: 93.8%**

### TEN TEN NEWSLETTER

TEN TEN is the main resource we use for our acts of worship and assemblies. They produce a parent newsletter each month for parents to follow at home with their children. The link below will take you to the newsletter.  
<https://www.tentenresources.co.uk/parent-newsletter/>

### BAG2SCHOOL

Please have a "sort-through" over the Summer holidays. The Friends have organised a Bag2School Collection for Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> September. Bag2School will collect second hand adult and children's clothes, shoes, hats, belts, handbags, soft toys, bedding, curtains and towels. They do NOT accept duvets, curtains or cushions. The more the bags weigh, the more money will be donated to the Friends.

### YEAR 6 LEAVERS ASSEMBLY

Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> July at 10am

## **FOREST SCHOOL**

Please ensure that your child has waterproofs and sensible footwear that they don't mind getting wet and sun cream and hats on hotter days.

Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> July	Years 5 & 6 Forest School/PE/Art
Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> July	No Forest School – Summer Fayre
Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup> July	Years 5 & 6 Forest School/PE/Art
Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 3 Year 1
Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> July	Years 5 & 6 Forest School/PE/Art
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 4 Year R

## **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY 2024**

Wed 24 <sup>th</sup> July	Leavers Assembly 10am
Tues 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sept 2024	Staff training Day
Wed 4 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Pupils return back
Wed 18 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Bag2School Collection 9am