



St James' First School

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Theme	Monday <i>Visions and Values</i>	Tuesday Class Worship	Wednesday <i>Clergy Assembly</i>	Thursday <i>Singing Assembly</i>	Friday <i>Celebration Assembly</i>
Each week we will explore a key theme related to our visions and values of love, hope and truth (a half-term on each, twice a year) Key links to bible stories and verses will be made each week and clear applications made for children to understand and apply what they have learnt in the day-to-day life both within St James' but also in their wider communities.	<p>This assembly will be used to launch the key theme for the week. It will introduce a bible verse for and give a framework for class worship.</p> <p>As the week moves on, look for opportunities to exemplify and encourage the weekly theme. For example, "Well done, you have really demonstrated a patient heart this week."</p>	Class worship will be led by the teacher each week in your own classroom. This is an opportunity to reflect with your class on the visions and values assembly. The key verse can be used to help explore the key theme and get children talking about the message they heard the day before.	We are privileged to have our local clergy and Open the Book visiting the school each week. They will take a weekly collective worship for the whole school and will highlight key events in the Christian calendar. Open the Book explores some key biblical stories from throughout the bible and where appropriate, we will link these into our key themes for the week.	This will happen on a weekly basis and is an opportunity to future explore our theme for the week. Where possible, songs will link to the theme for the week.	Our celebration assembly will be used to reflect on our week, talk about how we learnt from our theme and celebrate the individual and collective successes of each week.

Weekly Awards

Weekly Award	Awarded To	Teacher Responsibilities	Head Teacher Responsibilities	Office Responsibilities
Golden Work	Awarded to one student from each class who has produced an outstanding piece of work (both in terms of attainment and progress) or demonstrated resilience in their learning.	To submit the following details to the head teacher by Wednesday morning each week: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Name of student - Class - A photocopy of the work inside the class Golden Book. - A simple summary of why this child one the golden work award. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Write and sign certificates each week. - To collate class list and pass details to the office. - To return Golden book to class teacher ready for next week. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - To invite parents to celebration assembly - Collate a list of parents confirmed as attending.
Believe and Achieve Awarded	Awarded to one student from each class who has exemplified an element of our school vision and values. For example, we might be thinking about love being patient and a child spotted a friend upset and took the time to listen to them.	To submit the following details to the head teacher by Wednesday morning each week: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Name of student - Class - A simple summary of why this child one the Believe and Achieve award. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Write and sign certificates each week. - To collate class list and pass details to the office. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - To invite parents to celebration assembly - Collate a list of parents confirmed as attending.