Term Dates:

Easter Holiday

Friday 2nd April -
Friday 16th April

Summer 1 Term

Monday 19th April -
Friday 28th May

Half Term Holiday

Monday 31st May -
Friday 4th June

Our Attendance Award for the w/c 8th March 12th went to:

Palm Tree Class - 100%

Well done to **Palm Tree Class** for their high attendance.

GOLDEN CUPS awarded to:

Holly & Chestnut Tree Classes

Rights Respecting Article for w/c 15th March 2021

Article 31

(Leisure, Play & Culture)

Every child has the right to relax, play and join in a wide range of cultural and artistic activities.

The British Value for the week is:

Individual Liberty

Word of the week:

reunite

to bring together again

Spring 2 Newsletter
Friday 12th March 2021

Dear Families,

Welcome back to school, everyone! It was such a pleasure to see everyone back this week after a really success remote learning period. We are so proud of all our learners, whether they were onsite or at home. We are looking forward to seeing what all the children will bring to their learning for the remainder of this term.

Thank you for all your support and understanding following the risk management measures put in place to ensure the safety of everyone in school. We are grateful for your patience.

We ask you to continue wearing your face coverings and socially distance during pick up and remember that if you have more than one child at the school and one has a later pick-up time, you should collect all your children at the later time. The gates for children in Y1-3 and Nursery opens at 3:10pm and Y4-6 and Reception opens at 3:25pm.

In the mornings, children in Nursery, Y1-3 should arrive at 8:40am and children in Reception and Y4-6 should arrive at 8:50am. Please do not arrive any earlier than your start time as you may be asked to queue. Siblings may arrive at the earliest drop off time.

Thank you for your cooperation with these changes. It is important for us all to continue to follow the safety guidelines in order to mitigate the risk of transmission of the virus.

Have a good weekend.

Best wishes,
Toni Mason

St John the Baptist Belief of the Week for w/c 15th March 2021

Co-operation

Co-operate, help and listen to each other so we can learn from each other and settle disputes peacefully.

How good and pleasant it is when God's people live together in unity!

Psalm 133:1

ST JOHN THE BAPTIST
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International Women's Day

World Book Day Pyjama Day

To celebrate Word Book Day 2021 and its theme of 'sharing stories', we hosted a special 'Bedtime Stories' pyjama day at school and remotely. Children came to school with their favourite story book and dressed in their pjs. Remote Learners spent the day at home in pjs enjoying story-based activities remotely via Google Classroom.

Safer Internet Parent Meetings

From Monday 15th March we are going to be running some parent meetings via Zoom to discuss and share info regarding keeping our children safe online and safer internet use. These sessions will run every two weeks on Mondays from 3:45-4:15pm and are for parents and carers only. For more info: https://st-ohn.hackney.sch.uk/safer-internet-parent-meetings/
If you would like to attend, please use this Google Form to register your interest: https://forms.gle/dRcmaXfDVMXrxTgR6

Governing Body news

There was recently an election for a new parent governor for Primary Advantage Federation. There was one candidate: Mondli Makina whose child attends St John the Baptist. Congratulations to her! Mondli's term began on 10 March and lasts for four years

PRIMARY ADVANTAGE
SCHOOLS ACHIEVING MORE TOGETHER

Well done to all of our Stars of the Week!

Oak	Palm	Cherry
Jacob	Olivia	Ayla
Holly	Rowan	Silver Birch
Holly-Mae	Kacesen	Dania
Elm	Maple	Chestnut
Malayeka	Aydin	Dasha
Willow	Hazel	Plum
Jan-elle	Sam	Venus