

## A letter to new reception parents

Dear Parents,

Welcome, I am a year 6 student of St James`s CofE Primary School. I am here to persuade you to send your child to this amazing school.

I have lots of reasons for this. The first thing that I would like to say is that every teacher in the school will try their best to make you the smartest person you can be. They will help you out whenever you need it and will always try to answer every question. They are very nice and kind. In addition there is always a teacher you can talk to when you are feeling worried.

I would like to tell you what our school day looks like. School starts at 8.45 am and finishes at around 3.30pm. We have three breaks during the school day. One short one at 10:30 am, then one hour lunch break at 12:05pm and another short one at 2:15pm. Normally we have Maths and English lessons up to lunch and then in the afternoon we have RE (religious education), PE (physical education), PSHE (personal, social and health education), Science, History, Geography or Art (it depends on every year group). My favourite lesson is PE (I like playing football). Sometimes we have a special dance teacher, PE teacher or music teacher. They come in and help us with the topics we are learning. In the morning, everyday we have an assembly. On Tuesdays we have praise assemblies, which are led by the headteacher who gives out certificates to children who have been working hard, being kind to others and achieving in lessons. After school there are some activity clubs for your child such as: multi-sports, dance, choir, football ,cooking and cross country club.

Through the school years, students will go on trips to help out with their lessons. The trips are fun and help your child with teamwork and everyday skills. For example in year 4 and 6 your child has an opportunity to visit Pioneer centre and PGL (teamwork skill trip). In other years your child has opportunities to go on everyday skill trips such as: Cadbury World, Black Country Museum, Safari Park and Wyre Forest. The school also has a PTFA (Parents, Teachers and Friends Association) who organises a lots of events in our school including discos, summer and Christmas Fayre and cake sales.

I hope this letter has persuaded you to send your child to this school. I am sure they will love it. Every day is different and every one very interesting. Your child can meet new friends and have a very nice time.

This is my last year of primary school and I will be really miss all of the teachers and my school friends.

Yours Faithfully,

Igor