



Weekly Newsletter

Upcoming Dates

November

3rd Year 3 Westlands Dairy Farm Visit

9th Reception Children Ballot (intake Autumn Term 2028)

9th - 13th Music Eisteddfod Week

11th Eisteddfod Year 2 Super Singing Squad, Junior and Senior Choir

20th Children in Need Day

25th & 26th Reception Vision Screening

December

2nd Year 4 Swimming Gala, 13.15, Langford

2nd Reception Vision Screening

3rd Reception Nativity, 13.30, Hall

4th Reception Nativity, 9.15, Hall

8th Key Stage 2 Carol Service, 6pm, St Helier Methodist Church

10th Year 2 Christmas Production, 9.00 & 13.30, Hall

11th Christmas Jumper Day

15th Year 1 Christmas Singing. 9.00 & 13.30, Hall

17th Christmas Party Day*

18th Last Day of term

MESSAGE FROM OUR HEAD

I hope all of our families remained safe during Storm Austen. The strong winds certainly made for a noisy night and morning, and I know many families have spent time dealing with the impact of the storm on their homes and gardens.

Thank you to the children who have managed to engage with their learning on Seesaw. We are very aware that the storm will have affected homes in different ways, and we completely understand that not all children will have been able to complete the activities provided. Please do not worry. Our priority has always been the safety and wellbeing of our children, families and staff.

Unfortunately, a few of our planned visits and events had to be postponed this week. We know how much the children look forward to these opportunities and will do our best to ensure they can still take place where possible.

Today's House Reward announcement was also affected by the school closure. However, I am delighted to share the final results:

-  Gilbert - 1394 points
-  Grandin - 1268 points
-  Du Pré - 1233 points
-  Le Sueur - 1146 points

Congratulations to
Gilbert House

We will announce the new date for House Rewards after half term.

I would also like to thank the parents who attended our recent Parent Consultations. Strong partnerships between home and school play a vital role in supporting children's learning and wellbeing. However, if you ever have concerns or would like to discuss something with your child's teacher, please do not feel that you need to wait until the next consultation evening. Our staff are always happy to arrange a meeting and work together to support your child.

I wish you all a safe, relaxing and enjoyable half term, and I look forward to welcoming everyone back after the holiday.

Ms Guglieri

YEAR 2 TRIP TO THE RECYCLING CENTRE AT LA COLLETTE

This week, the Year 2 children visited the Recycling Centre at La Collette as part of their Science learning about materials this term. During the visit, we learned what happens to our waste in Jersey and discovered which materials can be recycled and reused. The children enjoyed finding out how recycling helps to protect our environment and reduce waste.



ECO CHRISTMAS TREE

If you're having a sort out of your shoe storage during the half term break - don't forget to look out for children's footwear that you are happy to donate to our Salvation Army Eco Christmas Tree.

Thank you for your donations so far!

We are very grateful for your support!



KEY STAGE 2 HOT LUNCHES

WEEK COMMENCING 2ND NOVEMBER

MENU - Week 2



JERSEY
COLLEGE

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
• Mac & Cheese with Garlic Bread and Salad • Oven-baked Falafel with Tomato Sauce & Rice • Jacket Potato with choice of toppings • Green Beans / Roasted Butternut Squash	• Sweet Chilli Chicken Chow Mein served with Rice Noodles • Chinese Style Vegetable Stir Fry served with Rice Noodles • Tomato Pasta Bake • Carrots/Sweetcorn	• Mild Chilli Beef with Rice • Vegetarian Chilli with Rice • Jacket Potato with choice of toppings • Broccoli/Chef's Salad	• Chicken with Tomato & Basil Sauce served with Pasta • Baked Vegetable Pakora with Onion Chutney served with Rice • Penne Pasta with Tomato & Basil Sauce • Carrots/Broccoli	• Chicken Nuggets served with Chips • Spanish Style Omelette served with Chips • Loaded Potato Skins with Mixed Peppers • Peas/ Baked Beans

Salad Bar available daily

Please ask the Executive Chef for food allergen information

Please note the following are not available for this week:

- Monday (Falafel)
- Tuesday (Chinese veg stir fry)
- Thursday (Pakora)
- Friday (Spanish omelette)

We also have soup on a daily basis. It rotates between Tomato, Basil and Cream; Leek and Potato; Carrot and Coriander.

Baked Potatoes are available Monday- Thursday



CALLING ALL PARENTS WITH A CONNECTION TO SCIENCE

Do you work in a science-related role? We'd love your help to bring even more excitement and real-world experiences to our science lessons! ✨

Whether you could talk about your job, demonstrate what you do or support a practical activity, you could help inspire our young scientists.

Please see the attached poster for our science topics and examples of jobs that link to them. If you'd like to get involved, please contact our Science Lead, Mrs Toudic, at h.toudic@jcp.sch.je.

SCIENCE THIS WEEK

Year 3 – Muscle Power!

What happens beneath our skin when we bend, stretch and move? Year 3 discovered the science behind movement in an engaging session led by fitness trainer Mr Dingle. The children explored how muscles work in pairs, with one contracting while the other relaxes, and learnt how tendons attach muscles to bones and joints allow movement. A big thank you to Mr Dingle for sharing his expertise and bringing their learning to life!



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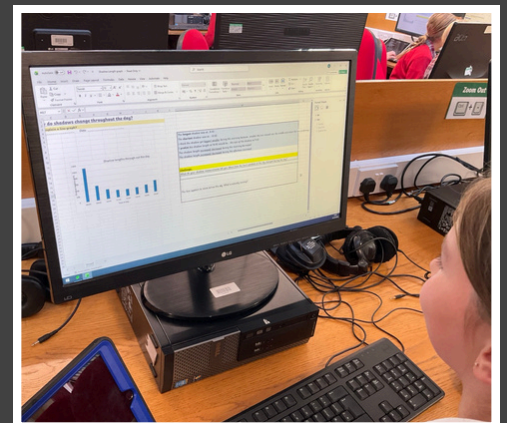
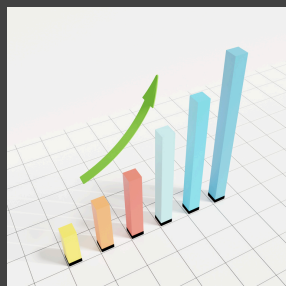
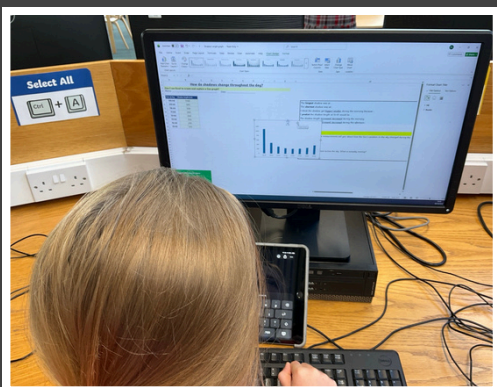
Year 4 – Melting Detectives!

Does every food melt when it gets warm? Our Year 4 melting detectives investigated how different foods respond to heat, carefully observing whether they softened, melted into a liquid or stayed the same. They recorded temperatures and compared their findings to explore whether different materials melt at the same temperature. There was plenty of careful observation and scientific discussion as the children discovered that softening and melting are not quite the same thing!



Year 5 – Tracking Shadows!

Can a shadow give us clues about the Sun? Year 5 combined their science, computing and maths skills to create graphs showing how shadow length changes throughout the day. The children examined their results for patterns, comparing when shadows were longest and shortest. They used these clues to explain how the Sun's apparent movement across the sky affects our shadows, linking their findings to the Earth's rotation. Some brilliant scientific thinking from our shadow investigators!



GOODBYE AND GOOD LUCK

We will miss you



This week we say good bye to Mrs Carre our wonderful Year 1 Learning Support Assistant. We thank you for your dedication and positive contributions you have made to many of our pupils here at JCP.

We wish her all the best in her new role with Children's services.

GOOD LUCK

NETBALL FIXTURES 2ND NOVEMBER

Team A - St Martins Home Game

Team B - D'Auvergne Away Game

Team C - St Michaels B team Home Game

Home game pick up 4.15 JCP playground

Away game pick up 4.15 from D'Auvergne
or 4.30 pick up at JCP admin car park .



NETBALL NEWS

A Team Netball vs FCJ

The A team secured a fantastic win against FCJ this week! The girls continue to improve each week, growing in confidence and working well together as a team. It is wonderful to see their progress, with their hard work and determination shining through on court. Well done to everyone for another great performance! Player of the Match went to Emily for her excellent contribution to the game.

B Team Netball vs First Tower

The B team had a brilliant game against First Tower, coming away with a well-deserved win! The girls showed great teamwork and enthusiasm throughout the match. It was great to see everyone working together and supporting one another. A big well done to the whole team on a fantastic result! Player of the Match was awarded to Lyra for her excellent performance.

C Team Netball vs Grands Vaux

The Year 6 Netball C Team played a competitive and enjoyable match on Monday, travelling away to Grands Vaux. Although the team unfortunately came away with a loss, the children showed great determination and teamwork throughout. The game was played in excellent spirit, with both teams demonstrating good sportsmanship. Well done to the C Team for their effort and positive attitude on court! Congratulations to Florence who was voted JCP's player of the match.



ALLIANCE FRANÇAISE

Looking for something fun and educational for children this October half-term? Alliance Française de Jersey is offering two exciting activities for young people and families to enjoy.

On Tuesday 27 October, children can get creative and make spooky Halloween decorations to take home. This fun-filled workshop is a great opportunity for children to develop their creativity while celebrating the Halloween season.

Halloween Craft Workshop

On Wednesday 28 October, families are invited to enjoy a French animated film with English subtitles, making it accessible and enjoyable for all. It's a wonderful opportunity to experience French language and culture through cinema.

French Animated Film Screening

