



# St Giles C of E Academy Newsletter



## Another exciting week

What an exciting and busy week it has been at St Giles! We had a wonderful 'Bake off' afternoon on Monday, we raised a fantastic amount of money that will go towards Mrs Firth and her chosen charities, I know she is blown away with your kindness.

Tuesday we opened our book fair and on Wednesday we had a coffee afternoon and lower Key Stage 2 also had a fantastic trip to the Yorkshire Coal Mining Museum. With sports week next week too, we really do have an action packed Summer term planned at St Giles.

It's also been Science week this week and there are lots of photos of all the experiments the children have been taking part in on Twitter. They've absolutely loved all the investigations that have taken place.

Have a great weekend — *Mr Grace*



## THANK YOU

With everyone's help we raised a fantastic amount for Mrs Firth and her family ❤️ we appreciate every single donation so Thank you so much 🥰

**Your Bakes were amazing and congratulations to our overall winners 🏆**

Eyfs	Key stage 1	Lower key stage 2	Key stage 2
Faith	Angela	Jacob P	Jayden M
Cohen	Ella B	Olly S	Mia T
Frankie	Darcey	Macie	Hannah H
			William H

### Well done St Giles Cricket team

Year 5 & 6 pupils completed in their first cricket tournament. To say it was their first event they did extremely well by winning all their group matches and reaching the final. Unfortunately, they lost to Larks Hill School in Pontefract but the children were a great representation of the school with their manners and sportsmanship.



### Timber Trail

As you may have seen our timber trail has now been completed and is ready for the children next week.

We could not ever have got this project off the ground without the hard work of the 'Friends of St Giles' and the support shown from our parents and carers at all the events we hold. Thank you so much, our children will love it.



**Children must not use the equipment unless supervised by school staff. Children will be regularly**

**reminded of this in assembly. Children must not play on the equipment on their way into and out of school.**

**Value – Growing Together - 17th June 2022**

***Alone we can do so little; together we can do so much!***

**Helen Keller**



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## This Week's 'Growing Together' Award Winners

### **Nursery - Jamie W**

For being such a 'big boy' in Nursery this week! He has had such a positive week, trying new things and showing new areas of learning. Well done Jamie!

### **Reception 1 - Senara M**

Senara has grown into such a mature and sensible girl. She is so kind and caring to all her class mates, she is always willing to help the teachers tidy up. Well done Senara keep it up!

### **Reception 2 - David-Amet M**

David has made a good start in settling in to our reception class. He has listened well and tried really hard with counting up to 10. Well done David welcome to the St Giles Family.

### **Class 1 - Edith M**

For being a talented future leader, an 'always' student and a credit to St Giles Academy. We are very proud of you ☐

### **Class 1/2 - Beau H**

For demonstrating a consistent desire to learn this week. We have been shocked with the transformation of his handwriting and how beautiful it has become! Well done, Beau.

### **Class 2 - Ava C**

Ava has come up with amazing ideas all week in English, and her writing has been superb. She has been brilliant everyday, what a superstar - well done!

### **Class 3 - All of Class 3**

Class 3 were amazing at the Mining Museum, they remembered lots of facts from our history lesson on 19<sup>th</sup> Century Mines. They showed the museum how great St Giles pupils are, they made me very proud to be their class teacher! Well done Class 3.

### **Class 3 / 4 - All of the children in Class 3 / 4**

For representing St Giles school to a very high standard at the Mining Museum. They wowed the staff with their knowledge and their behaviour was outstanding. Many conquered fears and faced challenges. We are so proud of you all. Superstars!

### **Class 4 - Aidan B**

This week Aidan has been on fire. He loves to learn and his hand is always up in class, he is a pleasure to teach. Well done Aiden!

### **Class 5- Noah H**

Noah has always shone as an intelligent and caring young man. Over the year he has grown, not only in height, but in character. He's worked so incredibly hard all year and I think he has the potential to be anything he wants!

### **Class 5/6 – Fabiana B**

We have been so pleased with her efforts this week. She has made a great start here at St Giles and we are so pleased to have her join the St Giles family.

### **Class 6 – Annalise M**

For her effort in English and Science this week. She's produced some beautifully emotive and descriptive writing which I thoroughly enjoyed reading. She's such a fantastic member of Class 6 - proud of you Annalise! :)

### **Member of staff of the week – Miss Counter**

In her short time at St Giles she has become part of the St Giles family and we'll miss her when she returns to her school. Thank you, good luck and well done - you're going to be an amazing teacher.