

Rights Respecting School Update

December 2017

Our RRS committee have had a very busy and productive term.

We are working hard to be awarded our Level 1 award and become a Rights Respecting School. We have confirmed a date for the assessor from UNICEF to visit St John's in March 2018.

Learning about Children's Rights in class

We have enjoyed exploring different planets (articles) from Launchpad and some classes had the opportunity to showcase their learning at Assembly time. Well done to all of the RRS warriors who have been awarded so far.

Mascot Competition

Our RRS committee had a very difficult job of deciding the winners of our mascot competition. In the end, 5 designs were chosen and are displayed around the school next to our work on Children's Rights. Well done to Holly Hally-Burton, Struan Robertson, Lucy Mungall, Christina Melissourgou-Syka and Eilidh Prentice.

Parent Consultations

Our RRS committee did a fantastic job of distributing leaflets and telling parents/carers about our work within Children's Rights at our November parent consultations. If you are visiting St. John's look out for the RRS committee around the school wearing their 'Ask me About Children's Rights' badges and please do ask!

Amey Christmas Toy Appeal

Thank you very much for all of your kind donations for our Christmas toy appeal. We were overwhelmed with your generosity and managed to wave Santa off with 25 fabulous bags of toys.

Coming soon

- We will be introducing the Global Goals for Sustainable Development at an Assembly in January and there will be a homework task for all pupils related to the Goals. In class the children will be learning about Global Citizenship through a series of class lessons.