

ST JAMES CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL, HEBBURN

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Arbor Achievement Points

At St James, the children are celebrated in many different ways for their achievements. Following our recent Parent Survey, you expressed that you would like to be able to celebrate in your child's individual success too. We are delighted to introduce **Arbor Achievement Points**, which will allow us to communicate directly with you, as to how well your child is doing, in a really accessible way.

The points will be awarded for the following values:

Award Point	Reason/attribute
Great Behaviour	You have shown an example of great behaviour
Resilience	 You have shown that you are resilient
Friendship	 You have shown that you are a good friend
Respect	 You have shown respect in school
Forgiveness	 You have shown that you know how to forgive
Truthfulness	You have told the truth
Courage	 You have shown great courage
Environmental	 You have shown that you care about the environment

We introduced the Arbor Parent Portal back in April and you should have received your welcome email. Emails were sent to all Primary Guardians listed within our management system and the majority of our parents have registered with the app. Please get in touch if you did not receive this email or you are struggling to access the app.

We very much hope you enjoy learning about your child's wonderful achievements.

Kind regards

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