



Weekly Newsletter – 4th March 2022

What a fun time we have had at school this week!

I am hoping that the children all enjoyed World Book Day as much as the staff did.

There was a real buzz around the school all day with children talking about the books they love to read.

Whilst the assembly to share our costumes was fantastic, my favourite part of the day was when the older children got to read with the younger classes. It was great for the older children to share their love of reading with others and for them to help support younger children in developing their reading skills. We have some future teachers in the making.

I wanted to say a big thank you to all of you who made an effort to support your children with their costumes. We clearly have some very creative and talented parents although I do think the award for the best costume has to go to the 6ft dinosaur in year 1 which was hilarious!

Attendance

Our attendance this term continues to be lower than expected.

It is essential that children are in school as they have missed so much face to face learning over the last couple of years so please only keep them at home if they are really unwell.

Please do contact the school if there is an issue that you would like support with.

On that note, we do need to insist that children get to school on time.

The doors open at 8:45 and during this time all classes have an early morning task. This might relate to supporting learning that happened the previous day, pre-learning for what is coming up or to review something that children haven't seen for a while. If they are late they are missing this important learning opportunity. Children arriving after 9 are also missing their phonics or start of the teaching of English or maths.

If you do arrive late then please bring your child via the car park gates and leave them with the member of staff who comes to collect them. Parents are not expected on site at this time without a prior appointment.

We will be looking to meet with parents of those children who are persistently late to see what help and support can be put in place as just 10mins a day adds up to nearly an hour of missed learning each week.

New School Dates

Please see new school dates in the calendar below.

Awards of the Week

Sports Performer of the Week


Ibraheem

Attendance of the Week

Year 4

Stars of the Week

Year 1	Ali-Mustafa
Year 2	Melissa
Year 3	Christian
Year 4	Laura
Year 5	Milly F.
Year 6	All of year 6



Term Dates for 2022

Key Dates

Thursday 24th March
Friday 25th March
Tuesday 29th and Wednesday 30th March
Friday 1st April
Thursday 21st April
Tuesday 26th April
Tuesday 3rd May 2021
Thursday 19th May 2021
Monday 13th to Thursday 16th June 2021

Non School Uniform day – bring an Easter egg to School
Mother's Day Sale
Parent Consultations (Nursery only on Wednesday)
Easter Egg Tombola
Class Photos
Young Voices
Year 4 and 5 Trip to Kew Gardens
NHS Health Screening in Reception
Year 5/6 Residential Trip to Tolmers Scout Camp

Last Day of Spring Term

Easter Holiday

Spring Term 2022

Friday 1st April 2022 – finish at 1.30 pm

Monday 4th April 2022 to Monday 18th April 2022