

We break up for the Easter holidays on Friday 31st March. We start the summer term on **Tuesday 18th April**. Your child will have some homework and reading for the holidays. Please will you make sure they complete it and return it on the first day back. Year 2 and Year 6 children in particular need to ensure they have completed their work and revision tasks as SATs will take place soon after we get back. KS1 SATs will be during May and week beginning 8th May will be KS2 SATs. Hope you all have a good break!



Goodbye Congratulations to Mrs Ryan who has secured a new position as Business Manager in a larger school. We are really pleased for her but sad to see her leave. She has managed the office so efficiently and been a valuable member of the team. We will all really miss her and I am sure you will join me in wishing her the best of luck in her new post. We have a new Office Manager, Mrs Simpson, starting after the Easter holidays.

STEM Days Years 5 & 6 visited Nottingham Forest Football Club this week to take part in a STEM Day along with children from other LEAD schools. This is an educational programme designed to develop Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematical skills. They took part in various activities including how to build a roller coaster and how to support tall structures. All the children thoroughly enjoyed themselves and found the day very interesting.

Creative Coffee Morning Wednesdays, 9.15-11.15am. Come along and learn how to crochet, beginners welcome and wool will be provided.

Box & Bake Every Thursday, 9.30-11.30am in the Sports Hall. Would you like to learn how to bake or improve your baking skills, if so, come and join us at 9.30am. This will be followed by non-contact boxing at 10.30am. Get fit and learn how to box. Everybody welcome.



Beauty Class Every Friday, 9.15am-11.15am.

Basic Maths & English Do you want to improve your Maths and English skills, are you looking for a job and need to do a CV?

Please contact Naseem Khan, Parent Support Worker, for further information.

Dates for your Diary

- **Fri 31st Mar** - LAST DAY OF TERM.
- **Mon 3rd Apr-Mon 17th Apr** - SCHOOL HOLIDAYS.
- **Tues 18th Apr** - **BACK TO SCHOOL**.
- **Fri 28th Apr** - Yr 1 trip to Sudbury Hall.
- **Mon 1st May** - BANK HOLIDAY, SCHOOL CLOSED.
- **Tues 2nd May** - **BACK TO SCHOOL**.

Weekly Attendance Week ending 24th March 2017

Group	Authorised Absences	Unauthorised Absences	Possible	% Attend
R	0.7	2.0	100.0	97.3
1	6.4	0.7	100.0	92.9
2	2.1	5.2	100.0	92.8
3	1.0	0.0	100.0	99.0
4	1.7	0.7	100.0	97.7
5	0.0	0.0	100.0	100.0
6	4.3	0.7	100.0	95.0
Totals	2.3	1.3	100.0	96.4

Class 5 had 100% attendance last week, very well done. Let's see if we can improve attendance even further for the summer term.

Easter Activities & Christianity Our RE topic this term has been Christianity and all the classes have been looking at the stories Jesus told. We also found out about the festival of Easter and Mark and Carolyn from St Peters Church told us about the Easter Story. They came into school this week and told the story through songs and acting out the events around Easter. Years 3 & 4 went to the church to watch a film about the events. Mark and Carolyn also ran a workshop for Years 5 & 6 bringing in different foods and showed the Easter story through taste - from happiness to bitterness and then sweetness of Easter Day.

Swimming Lessons Years 1 & 5 will be going swimming at John Carroll Leisure Centre every Thursday afternoon next term. Please ensure they bring their swimming kit and towel to school every Thursday.

Comic Relief We raised a total £33.10 on our Bric-a-brac store last Friday for Comic Relief. Thank you to everybody who donated items for the stall.

Health & Wellbeing Our school has recently been awarded a "Health and Wellbeing" award with the Healthy Schools Team. Congratulations to everybody.