

Newsletter

Information:

Welcome Back

Welcome back and Happy New Year to you all, we hope everyone had a lovely break over the Christmas period. We are pleased to see everyone back looking smart. Below we have some information for parents and details of what we have been up to so far.......

Classes for Parents

We will be running Parent classes again this term, week commencing 13-01-20. Come along within the next 2 weeks to sign up, they all start at 9.15am and finish at 11.15am

Mondays

Sewing for improvers – 10 week course.

Thursdays

Beauty Therapy for beginners – 10week course.

Friday

Coffee Morning – 9.15am – 10.30am all Parents welcome





Calling all Dads

Do you have spare time on your hands?

We are looking at setting up a group especially for Dads and would appreciate any input from you. Maybe you have some idea's of what might benefit you in joining these groups. Here are a few of our idea's.....

- Indoor body and brain exercise – Circuit running, learning to play chess or other games.
- Nutritional and healthy eating advise.



Dates for your diary

January

27TH – YR2 Ice skating 27TH – YR5 STEM Day

February

7TH – YR4 Pantomime (Treasure Island)-letters to follow.

11TH – KS2 Road Safety

14TH – Last Day - Half

24TH – Return to school

24TH – yr3 Creswell Crags – letters to

follow.

Looking for work?

We have employment advisors that will come into school and help you with making a C.V, interview techniques or even applying for jobs For more information please come in and speak with Naseem Khan (Parent Support Worker).

Collecting Children

There are an increasing number of children who are being collected early from school. This not only disrupts the class, as a call has to be made to the classroom and a member of staff has to bring the child to reception and they miss some of their classroom activities. It is really busy in the office, particularly at the end of the day. So we would appreciate it if parents could arrange appointments where possible, ideally after school so that children can finish the school day at 3.30pm and only in exceptional circumstances collect their child early.

Thank you for your support.

<u>Uniform</u>

Please make sure all clothing is labelled with your child's name as we have many items in lost property with no names in. Please can parents make sure that children who are wearing shirts in year 5 and 6 also wear ties. There are also many children who are starting to wear trainers. We understand that there are short periods of time when school shoes are too small or broken and parents are in the process of buying new shoes but we have noticed that even though some children do have school shoes they are not wearing them. Please could you ensure that your child has sturdy, comfortable black shoes, not trainers (even though they may be black).

Reading Books

Can everyone please check at home to see if they have any school reading books, each child should just have one at a time.

Thank you

Year 5

Our topic this term is WW2, the children are already really excited to learn more about this. We will be organising a visit to the Holocaust Centre later in the term.

Reception

This term we are learning all about the Gruffalo. During the week we made playdough Gruffalos.









Year 1

As part of our snow and ice topic this term, we are planning an expedition to the Antarctic to find out what people and animals may need to survive the cold weather.

Year 2

As part of our Great Fire of London topic, class 2 went on a dragon hunt earlier this week.

<u> Year 6</u>

Class 6 had the very valuable experience of visiting the Crimes and Consequences workshop at the Galleries of Justice this week. They have clearly taken on board the message of the importance of not carrying knifes and making the right choices.















Year 3 & 4

Class 3 & 4 will be going swimming every Thursday afternoon. Can you please ensure they have an appropriate swimming kit with a towel . All hair must be tied back and no jewellery worn.

P.E and Swimming kit

Can you please ensure your child has the correct kit on these days.

P.E

Mon – Year 6 & 5

Tues - Year 1 & 3

Wed - Year 4 & 2

Thurs - Year 2 & 1

Fri - Year 6 & Reception

Yoga

Thurs – Year 5 & 2

Swimming

Thurs - Year 3 & 4

