



NEWSLETTER

12th March 2021

Headteacher Message

Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been great to have all the children back in school this week. Whilst on my classroom visits, it was great to hear, first-hand from the children, how glad they were to be back in school with their friends and teachers. We have adapted our curriculum offer to ensure children have more opportunities to be active and socialise in school. Additional time has been dedicated to physical education and PHSCE. In addition, during core lessons staff have been planning activities to get children learning, out of their seat, and weather permitting, out of the classroom. This will continue for some time to come alongside a full week of activities presented by Rock Kidz on perseverance and resilience. As per government guidelines, our curriculum offer continues to be broad and balanced but at the same time having a more refined focus on mental health and wellbeing given the last 12 months.

Today was part 2 of our World book day celebrations. The effort and costumes were fantastic. Please see some of the wonderful outfits on our social media. Finally, thank you for your feedback on our consultation to extend the school days. We had a number of parents join us on Wednesday after school to hear a more in depth rationale behind the proposal. The deadline is next Friday, 19th March. If you would like to have your say please email the school office and all views will be considered. I have had a number of enquiries about potential further plans to move the start of the school day. This is definitely not a consideration and would only limit social and educational time for the children. We also recognise that this time is extremely convenient for parents who have other commitments.

Have a lovely weekend.

Mr D Kenny – Executive Headteacher



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Star of the week

Congratulations to this week's stars, we are very proud of you.

NURSERY: Tom Lysons

Maria Karpenkova

RECEPTION: Georgie Dring

Lilly Glasstone

YEAR 1: Holly Hayes-Wade

YEAR 2: Sonny Lawton

YEAR 3: Loui Constantinou

YEAR 4: Kai Swainston

YEAR 5: Faye Leary

YEAR 6: Oliver Vidamour

Terrific Timekeepers

Can we remind Parents/Carers that doors open at 8.15am.



Our terrific timekeepers for this week are our pupils from Y1,2,3 and 5. Please ensure your child is on time for school. Every school day counts BUT every minute is equally important!

Nursery Reminder

Please remember to renew your 30 hours provision code before the 25th March 2021.



Photographs

School photographs will take place on the Wednesday 19th May. Please ensure you've booked your appointments with the hairdressers/barbers for when they reopen.



Y6 Important Notice

Please ensure you have returned your JCA refund reply slip with all your details on, in order for us to process your refunds. Thank you



YEAR	ATTENDANCE THIS WEEK:
REC	100%
Y1	98.3%
Y2	97.5%
Y3	100%
Y4	100%
Y5	100%
Y6	95.8%
TOTAL	98.8%
YEAR TO DATE	98.1%

National Scallops Day

Today is National Scallops Day. How many of you have not tried fried scallops yet? If so, today is the day to try. Scallops can be found in all of the world's oceans. They are one of the most popular shellfish in the world. So why not get some salt and pepper, roll it with breadcrumbs, heat oil or butter it in the pan, sauté it gently until it turns golden brown, decorate it by squeezing mayonnaise on the top. Yum Yum!



FOCUS OF THE WEEK

The children had a lovely day in school today celebrating World Book Day! Here are some of the fabulous costumes that the children came to school in. Please check out website for more photographs.



Dates for your diary

19th May 2021: School photograph day

Due to Covid, pre-organised events have been rescheduled, further information to follow.

Parking

Please be advised that the barrier is now fixed and parking is for blue badge holders ONLY. Thank you.



Disabled badge holders only