

TURNFURLONG TIMES

Friday 23rd April 2021

TJS—Vision and Values

Last term we asked parents, staff, children and governors for their views about what values they felt were important as part of TJS as part of our review of the school vision and values. The governing body met at the end of last term and these were collated together and agreed as a school. We felt it was important to reflect the journey of the children through the school and ensure that both pastoral, academic and social attributes were taken into account. This has led to the development of twelve learning and moral behaviours that come under our vision of **'Dream, Believe, Grow, Achieve'**. The learning behaviours are woven through the curriculum and across school life to ensure that we always have the aim to provide the best opportunities for our children. Further information can be found on our website.



Kindness, Honesty, Respect, Happiness, Inclusion, Self-Belief, Resilience, Curiosity, Creativity, Challenge, Independence, Confidence

Morning Starts

With the revised timetables we are trying to ensure a prompt start in the mornings. Can you please ensure that your child is in school by **8.45am**.

The playground gate will be shut shortly after 8.45am and children arriving after this time need to go via the office and will be marked late. **All** lessons are now starting at 8.50am promptly (apologies for the mistype in a letter that went out previously for lesson start time of some year groups).

Thank you for your help with this matter.



It is not long until the Big Pedal begins on the **26th April** and it's time for us to get our bikes and scooters ready for the event. Let's try and leave our vehicles at home while helping the environment at the same time, it's really important that we all do what we can to help

with climate change.

If you want to know if your bike is safe to ride, [watch this video!](#)

If you want to know if your scooter is safe to ride, [watch this video!](#)

Don't forget to complete [this form](#) if you plan to bring your bike/scooter to school!

Curriculum Newsletters

Year Group curriculum newsletters have been sent home with information about what your child is covering this term in the curriculum and other relevant information.

Years 5 & 6 parents please note the extra information about the coverage of lessons about puberty that will be happening over the coming half term.



Save the Date!

E-Safety Workshop for parents

Monday 10th May at 6pm—Further details to follow



Bunny Rescue

It was fantastic to see so many of our children signed up to the bunny rescue app! Thank you to everyone who participated and thank you to Mr House who created this wonderful program for us all to use!

We have prizes available for every person who collected at least ONE egg, so please visit the school office between Monday afternoon and Wednesday afternoon.



Swimming

We hope the children have enjoyed their swimming lessons this week, they've all been so excited to go.

If you have not yet paid, there is still time, so please do visit Schoolgateway this weekend, thank you.

The World Book Day

Don't forget that we are holding our own World Book Day on 5th May and we are really looking forward to seeing all the children dressing up as their favourite characters!



Dates for your Diary

05/05/2021	Onjali Q Rauf Author Visit
05/05/2021	TJS celebrates World Book Day
10/05/2021	E safety Workshop
07/05/2021	FOTJS Pizza Day

Cycling Year 5 & 6

We still have spaces available on the Year 5 & 6 cycling club which runs on a Monday morning. Please contact the school if you'd like your child to join.

Athletics

There are some spaces available on the athletics clubs—please contact the school if you would like to sign up.

