



Spring 3 Newsletter 2019



Spring has sprung!

We hope you enjoyed your half term week with some very lucky sunny weather. The children have returned after their holiday with enthusiasm to learn and it has been a pleasure to see them happily working away in their classes. Spring Term 2 is a very busy time for us...World Book Day, Red Nose Day, Phonics Events, Mothers' Day Open Sessions...please see below for details on what we have coming up.



Charity Donation

Over the holidays Lahari and Saanvika had their very long hair cut off for the Little Princess charity, that provides real hair wigs free to children and young people who have sadly lost their own hair due through illness. They raised £268 themselves by doing this. If you would like to contribute to this cause, a link is provided below.

https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/lahari-saanvika-hairdonation?utm_campaign=pfp-share&utm_content=Lahari-Saanvika-hairdonation&utm_medium=fundraisingpage&utm_source=Facebook&utm_term=dDPMNaWwG



Ipad Project

We are working hard on setting up our new iPads for the year groups and hope to have them up and running this half term.

We have a set of 15 devices for each of F2, Y1 and Y2 to access with sturdy cases and charging trolleys. Mr Aziz joined Mrs Sim, Mrs Lee and myself on a training day to plan how these will be used across the school to support teaching and learning both now and in the future, as technology develops. We are grateful to FoBIS for donating half of the cost towards the lease of this equipment.

World Book Day

Children are invited to come to school on **FRIDAY 8th March** dressed as their favourite book character. The classes will be taking part in a range of activities during the week to celebrate books and reading. We look forward to seeing your outfits!

Parent Helper

Foundation 1 would love to have a Parent Helper with them to help during the week. If anyone who is not an F1 parent would like to spend time having fun in our Nursery, please contact Mrs Sim.

Parent Evening Appointments

This term we have used Parent Mail to book our Parent Evening Appointments. If you have not seen the email about this, please check your inbox/junk mail and contact the office if it is not there. *Please remember there is **NO CRECHE** available. Children are not permitted into the appointments with you and cannot be left unsupervised in school during your meeting.*

Please arrange for Sunflower Group between 3.00 and 4.00 or alternative child care if after this time. Thank you

During the Parent Evenings, Mrs Sim, Mrs Lee and myself will be available to chat to and will be collecting any feedback you may have on the school. Mrs Green, our Chair of Governors, may also be around to speak to.

Please have a think about 'What Went Well' and what might be 'Even Better If' ready to leave on post it notes when you come for your appointments. We are always very grateful for the input from parents and often act on many suggestions given.

We thank you for your time and support.

Dates for your Diary

Wednesday 6th March
Parent Evening 3.10 – 7.00

Thursday 7th March
Parent Evening 3.10 – 5.30

Friday 8th March
*Dress-up Day for World Book Day
Come dressed as your favourite story character!*

Friday 15th March
RED NOSE DAY
Come to school in RED mufti and bring a £1 for the charity

Tuesday 19th March
*Phonics Session for Foundation 2
Parents 2.15pm*

Friday 22nd March
FoBIS Easter Mufti Day

Friday 29th March
*Mother's Day Open Afternoon
FoBIS Easter Bingo Evening*

Thursday 4th April
EASTER BONNET PARADE
Make an Easter Bonnet at home and bring it to school today to show everyone at 2pm on the Year 2 Playground.

Friday 5th April
*School Closes for Easter Holidays at 1.30pm
FoBIS Easter Smarties Challenge...*

Wednesday 24th April
Children return to School