

NEWSLETTER

Friday 13th July 2018



Attendance

Attendance for last week was 95.84%. Unfortunately this is slightly below our target of 96%. The best attendance was in Puffins Class with 98%. Well done to the Puffins!

Believe Time Theme

The Believe Time theme for next week will be: Changes and moving on at the end of the year.

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Year 3 &4 Charity Concert

Thank you to everyone who attended the Year 3 and 4 charity concert on Tuesday. The children sounded wonderful with their singing and playing. The ideas all came from the children and they are really happy to have raised £100 for The Nottingham Refugee Forum

Prayer Day and Breakfast with God

It was fantastic to start the day with so many children and parents enjoying breakfast, song and worship together at the start of prayer day yesterday. During the day, children engaged brilliantly in a range of activities to explore what prayer is in Christianity, other faiths and how people without faith may still say prayers to themselves. Thank you to Rev'd Annabel and the worship leaders from Aspley and Wollaton who came to lead some of the sessions. You were all really inspiring.

Year 2 Conkers Trip - Tuesday 17th July

The coaches will be leaving school at 9am promptly and the children will return in time for a usual 3pm collection. All children will be provided with a packed lunch from school.

Year 3 & 4 Think Tank Trip - Wednesday 18th July

The coach will be leaving school promptly at 9.00am and returning at approximately 3.30pm, dependent on traffic. All children will need to bring a packed lunch for the day, however if your child receives a free school meal then a packed lunch can be provided.

Ms Banton - New Eagles Teacher

Ms Banton will be in school on Tuesday and Wednesday next week to spend time with her new class. She will dismiss the class on both days so she can also meet parents. Please feel free to come and say hello.

Last week of term

Next week is our last week in school. Please can we remind parents that the same high expectations will remain in place for timings, uniform and routines for the whole week.

End of year reports

Your child will be given their end of year report to bring home on Tuesday. Inside the envelope will be their report and information about any assessments they have undertaken. Included in the pack is a feedback form for you to make any comments relating to the report. These comments are kept on file with your child's report so please take the time to complete them.

Children's Work Books

Next Friday children's work books will be sent home. Please ensure your child has a suitable bag in school on that day to bring the books home. The school have to keep a selection of books for evidence. If your child's books are selected for this the class teacher will speak to you directly.

Planned works for the Summer Holiday

When the school closes for the summer break, the site will be a very busy place with a number of large scales projects being undertaken around the building and site. There will be some work to correct defaults in the building and to improve some of the areas inside but, far more excitingly, we are really pleased that we can finally create some amazing outdoor learning and play spaces for the children to return to in September. There are two projects that will be undertaken:

- The grass at the side of the Key Stage 1 and 2 playground will be given a soft surface with climbing equipment and a trim trail on for the children to develop their balance and agility skills. There will also be a range of colourful playground markings added to enable the children to play a range of games, along with a shaded seating area for those children who want a break from running around. These spaces will be used to enhance our PE and outdoor learning in lessons as well as being lots of fun during playtimes.
-) The Early Years playground will also be given a 'facelift' which will include a nature area, sand hut, pebble beach water play and lots more.

The designs for these projects have been posted on our website in the Latest News Section. We hope to keep you up-to-date with the progress of these projects via Twitter and Facebook during the summer holiday.

REMINDERS:

Dates for your Diary	
17.07.18	End of year report out to parents
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17.07.18	Year 2 Trip to Conkers
18.07.18	Year 3 & 4 Trip to the Think
	Tank museum
20.07.18	Last Day of Term
05.11.18	Reception to Year 5 Flu Nasal Spray
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Feedback

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