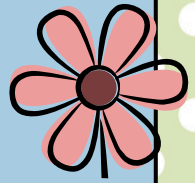




Spring 2 Newsletter



What a busy and exciting term we have had! The children really enjoyed a visit from ZooLab, where they learned about different creatures and how important it is to look after animals and their habitats.

We have also been thinking about how to look after ourselves. The children learned about healthy eating, the importance of brushing and caring for their teeth, and how to stay safe and healthy both online and in their own bodies and minds.

Alongside all of this learning, we have enjoyed celebrating special events together including World Book Day, Mother's Day and Holi. We are now looking forward to celebrating Eid and Easter as the term comes to an end.

Key dates

End of term : 27th March 11.30am

Inset Day: 13th April

Start of summer term: 14th April

Half term: 25th May - 29th May

Inset Day: 1st June

End of summer term : 22nd July

Garden Room update

Our new garden room will be installed during the week beginning 13th April. This work will involve contractors accessing different parts of the site, and there may be equipment and materials in the grounds.

Please take extra care when moving around the site and follow any health and safety guidance or temporary signage to ensure everyone remains safe while the work is being completed.



Tesco Stronger Starts

Thank you to everyone who voted for us through the Tesco Stronger Starts grant scheme. We were delighted to receive the top award of £1,500 towards our new garden room.

We have also been fortunate to receive an Early Years grant from Buckinghamshire County Council, as well as generous donations through our GoFundMe page. Thank you to everyone who has supported the project so far.

We are still working to raise the remaining funds needed to complete the space. If you would like to contribute, please see our GoFundMe link below. Some employers also offer salary match or match-funding schemes for charitable donations, so it may be worth checking with your workplace to see if your donation could be doubled.

<https://gofund.me/96268ee8f>

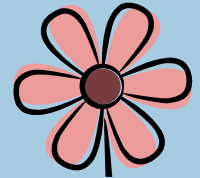
New Website

Our new website has gone live! We hope it will be easier to use and provide helpful information for families, including news, events, and key school updates. Please take a look and explore all the new features!





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New Invoice System

After some challenges with the School Gateway app, we have decided to use Tapestry for our invoicing.

You should have also received a letter with information and a link to our Google Form to pre book wraparound care. - which from the summer term will be invoiced rather than paid on the app. Please read the information in the letter to ensure you can pre book for the summer term

<https://forms.gle/dZ5eoApDHKNqCAbD7>

Please Pre-book your clubs using the form or email the school office for ad hoc bookings

Staff changes

A message from Mrs Manning:

"After 10 wonderful years at the school, I will be stepping down from my role as Co-Headteacher at the end of the summer term. It has been a privilege to work with such dedicated staff, supportive families and wonderful pupils. While I am looking forward to new opportunities, I will always look back on my time here with great fondness."

Mrs Macdonald will continue as Headteacher to provide continuity for the school during this time of transition.

Sponsored Readathon

Thank you to everyone who took part in our Readathon . You raised over £600 for new books for the school.

Presentation to Parents

Thank you to all the parents who came to our presentation on communication and language. We were thrilled to get a lovely thank you from one of the attendees:

"I just wanted to send a quick email saying how much I enjoyed the communication presentation last week. I thought the first speaker was really engaging and gave us all food for thought in terms of the impact technology has on our relationship with our children. I thought the idea of looking at our own device use around our children an important takeaway. The practical tips given by the Speech and language therapist were brilliant and it's always great to leave a presentation and have things you can try straightaway. It made me think about how I use language with my younger child and I thought the little games were fab! "

