

Friday 28 February 2019

Dear Parents & Carers,

This week, we sent out the term dates for next academic year so parents can use these to book any holidays. Please remember that we expect all children to be at school during term time and any holidays taken during school will be marked as unauthorised leave.

The whole school celebrated Shrove Tuesday this week. Each class had a presentation about the meaning of Shrove Tuesday and how it is celebrated across Great Britain. Children had the opportunity to practise their pancake flipping skills along with designing their favourite pancake toppings. The school kitchen gave the children a delicious pancake for their dessert at lunch time to enjoy.

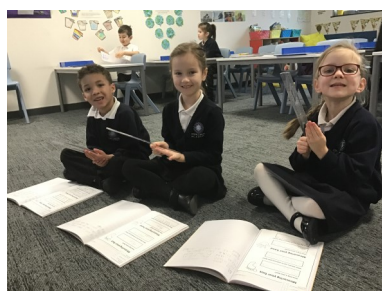
World Book Day is next Thursday—we are looking forward to seeing all of the children dressed up on the day!

Kind regards,

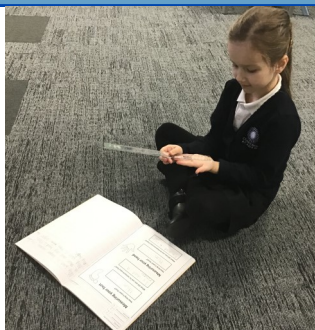
Mr Raheel Akhtar
Headteacher

CURRICULUM CORNER—SUNFLOWER CLASS

In Science, Sunflower Class have been learning about how people change throughout their lives. This week we carefully measured our feet and our hands using rulers and then compared them to see which is bigger. We learned how to start at the correct place



on our ruler so we would get the right measurement. We also learned that we need to measure through the middle of our hand to the top of our longest finger but we needed to measure the edge of our foot to measure our longest toe.



KEY DATES 2019/20

Autumn Term 2019

Wednesday 4 March
Reception Parent Workshop

Thursday 5 March
World Book Day

Monday 9 March
Science Week begins

Monday 16 March
Y2 Parent Workshop—
SATs

Tuesday 17 March
Y2 trip to Tate Modern

Friday 20 March
Pet Visit Day for Reception

Thursday 26 March
Y1 Parent Workshop—
Phonics Screening Check
School nurse drop-in from
8.30am

Wednesday 1 April
Parents' Evening

Thursday 2 April
School Disco

Friday 3 April
Children break up for Easter
holidays

**Dates may be added or
amended as necessary*

ATTENDANCE

Class Name	Weekly Attendance
Bluebell	91.2%
Daisy	95.4%
Sunflower	95.2%
Poppy	95.2%
Carnation	95.8%

Congratulations to Carnation Class who are our attendance award winners again this week! We award a rosette to the winners in assembly each week, and the winning class at the end of the term receives a prize.

Good attendance at school is one of the key indicators of educational success for a child throughout their school life, so make it a priority to get your child to school every day.



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STAR OF THE WEEK

Star of the Week in Bluebell Class is Leila-Mae! Leila-Mae has worked exceptionally hard this week to use her 'Fred Fingers' to write some descriptive sentences about the animals from our book of the week, 'Dear Zoo'. Leila-Mae included the adjectives 'grumpy' and 'enormous' in her writing. Keep up the wonderful work, Leila-Mae!

Star of the Week in Daisy Class is James! James has been working really hard with his reading recently and read his story book confidently to his teacher. Well done, James. Keep up the great work!

Star of the Week in Sunflower Class is Swayam! This week Swayam demonstrated excellent knowledge of how to solve addition and subtraction problems using a variety of strategies, including drawing his own number line. Great work, Swayam!

Star of the Week in Poppy Class is Rehan! Rehan has been making a huge effort to stay focused in lessons this week and has done some fantastic work in Maths as a result. Super work, Rehan!

Star of the Week in carnation Class is Nadia! Nadia is always found to be trying her best and asking questions if she is unsure about something. Nadia has also shown great team work and kindness in supporting others in class. Well done, Nadia!



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