

**Newsletter**

**Spring Term**

**2022**



**Covid Restrictions - Update**

Public Health MK have written to all primary schools to inform us that after half term we are able to remove our bubble system, that adults will not have to wear facemasks anymore and that we can return to having whole school assemblies. As you can imagine we are all delighted about this news and look forward to returning back to some sort of normality. We have been advised to keep encouraging children to wash their hands as much as possible.

**World Book Day**

We will be celebrating World Book Day on the 3rd March this year.

We will be having our usual (pre-Covid) whole school catwalk. During this time everybody will be able to show off their costume and have the chance to win a book voucher.

**Nut Allergies**

I wish to remind everyone that we have a number of children in school who have allergies to nuts, this includes touching something that has been in contact with nuts. Please make sure any food that is brought into school is nut free. If possible, please can we ask that children do not use coconut based cosmetic products.

**Staffing**

Unfortunately, we have had to say goodbye to one of our site managers, Mr Cooper. He has found another job in a private school. We wish him all the best in the future and thank him for all the help he has given us modernising our school site systems.

**New Build Information**

It is anticipated that the new part of our school (Sherwood building) will be ready to hand over to us at the end of the next half term. As you can imagine this is terribly exciting for us all.

The top floor of the building has six classrooms in it and a small group room. The bottom floor has six classrooms and two group rooms. EYFS, year 1 and year 2 will occupy the ground floor and year 5 and year 6 will be based on the top floor. year 3 and year 4 will remain in the existing Salcey building with three classrooms dedicated to both of them.

Our Linford building will be used for an art/dt room and a new staffroom. The existing staffroom will be turned into the curriculum kitchen for children to cook in.

It is hoped that after the Easter holiday we will begin the process of moving classes with EYFS, year 1, year 2 and year 6 being the first classes to move. This will of course depend on the build finishing on time and staff having enough time to move equipment.

The all-weather pitch is close to completion Mr Broughton and the rest of our staff are looking forward to accessing it as soon as possible.

**Diary Dates**

*Details for key events will follow nearer to the time.*

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**Friday 18th February –** Last day of term

Non-uniform for school fund

**Monday 28th February -** Spring Term 2 begins

**Thursday 3rd March-** World Book Day –

**Friday 18th March-** Comic Relief

**Monday 4th April -** Beginning of Art week

**Friday 8th April** - Last day of Spring 2

**Monday 25th April-** Summer Term 1 begins

**Monday 2nd May -** Year 6 residential meetings

**Monday 9th May -**  Year 6 SATs week

**Wednesday 25th May – Friday 26th May** Year 6 Residential

**Friday 26th May** - Last day of Summer 1

* ***Please note all the dates and times shown here are accurate at the time of the publication of this newsletter. Any unforeseen event may happen that could cause alterations to the information listed below; if this does occur we will endeavour to let you know as quickly as possible.***

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