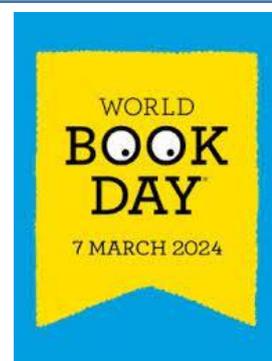
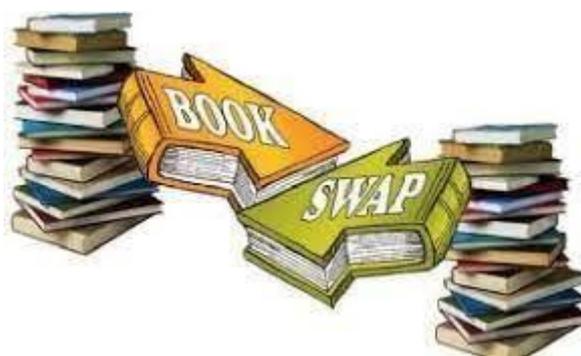
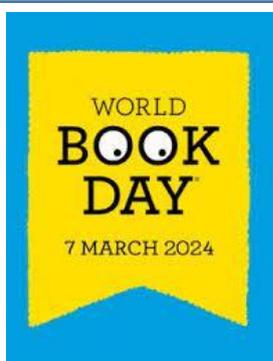


Meanwood Primary School



Week Commencing: 22nd January 2024

New This Week:



WORLD BOOK DAY and BOOK SWAP DAY

We will be celebrating World Book Day and holding another Book Swap Day on **Thursday 7th March**. The aim is to promote reading for pleasure, offering every child the opportunity to have a book of their own.

Children may come to school dressed as their favourite book character.

They are also able to bring a book that they have read and swap it for another book. This was very successful last year.



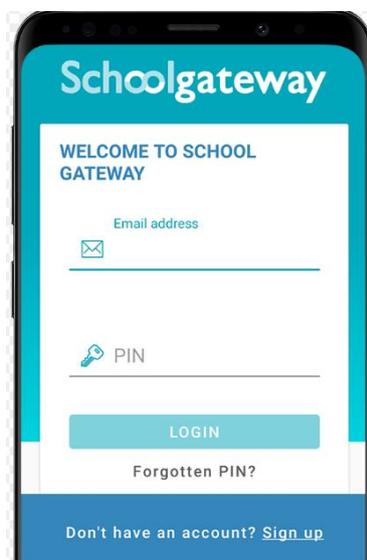
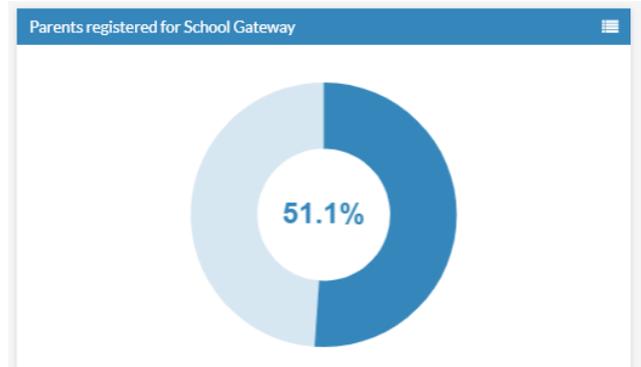
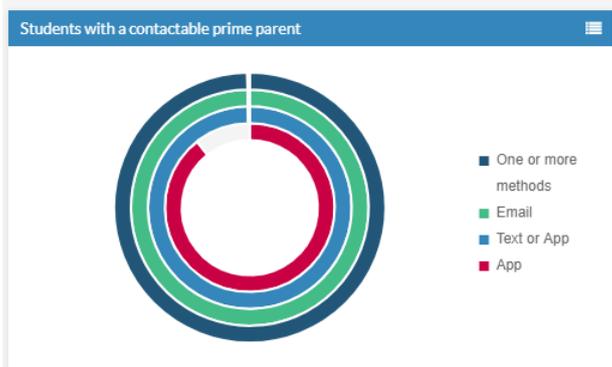
Well done to our
Years 5 & 6
Dodgeball team who
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Important Reminders:

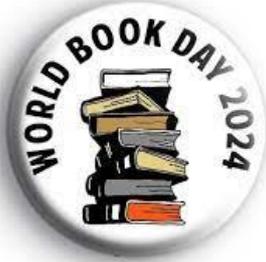
Update - How We Can Communicate With You Electronically

- We can email, text or send an app message via the school gateway service.
- However, we only have 89.3% of pupils where a prime parent can be contacted via the school gateway app.
- We only have 51.1% of all parents registered for the app.

Please – if you have not yet downloaded the school gateway app. please can you do this for us? Ideally, we want BOTH parents to have the app. Thank you. If you are not sure how to do this, please ask at the main office for a leaflet.



Dates for the Diary:

Date	Event	Time
24 th January	Year 6 – NHS Growth Measurements taking place	During school hours
29 th January	Year 3 & 4 Dodgeball at Greenbank	Due back 5pm
7 th March	World Book Day AND Book Swap Day  	All day

External Events:

We have received information from the following companies/venues recently. See the relevant poster attached to the emailed newsletter or ask at the office reception for more information if you are interested.

Date	Event/Help Aid	Company Name and/or Venue
Various dates in January	The Neurodiversity Hub – Coffee mornings/afternoons	Various – see attachment with email
January – July 2024	ASC Workshops	CAMHS – Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services
14 th February	Coffee Morning – with translators and external agencies	EMA/EAL @ OL11 1JT – see emailed attachment for invitation slips 9.30 – 11.30
19 th – 23 rd February	Multi-sport Holiday Camp	3V3UK Rochdale – held at Hazelwood High School, Bury BL9 7QT

Late Arrivals This Week:

A total of 91 children were late this week, compared with 69 last week so very much on the increase again. However, the reasons this week are mainly due to the poor weather conditions resulting in slower walking and traffic issues.

DAY	NUMBER OF LATE CHILDREN
Monday	11
Tuesday	17
Wednesday	22
Thursday	28
Friday	16

Please ensure your child arrives in good time to enter the class room at 8:45 am. The class room doors close at 8:51am – if your child arrives after this time, they are LATE.



Whenever possible, try to book appointments AFTER school

