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Weekly Bulletin - Week ending 11th February 2022

Dear Parents / Carers,

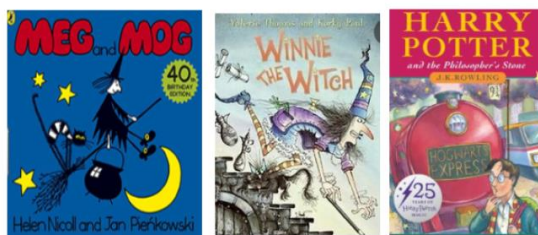
Reminder, school will close for the children on Thursday 17th February for the half term break, Friday 18th February is a staff training day. School will reopen for all children on Monday 28th February.

World Book Day - Thursday 3rd March 2022.

As it is 25 years since the release of the first Harry Potter book, our theme is going to be 'Magical Melbourne'. We will be asking the children to dress up as a magical character from a magical book if they choose. During the day, children will participate in a variety of activities linked to books with a magical theme.

Competition

During the holidays, our annual competition will be to create a new, different design for a front cover for one of our favourite magical books - Harry Potter, Winnie the Witch or Meg and Mog. The winner will receive a £5.00 book voucher. An entry form has been sent home in book bags today. A copy is also attached.



Reading corner

This week's reading quote from one of our Year 2's - 'I like fact books,' Jack.



PTA

This Valentine's Day, Monday 14th February we will be having a non-uniform day. On this day, children are invited to come along to school wearing something they love instead! It could be their favourite outfit, fancy dress, football kit or even school uniform! We would like to ask for a donation, to be brought in an envelope and placed into the classroom tray. Many thanks for your continued support. Please see poster attached.

Parent Consultations

Parent consultations will be taking place week beginning 14th March. You will receive a text week beginning 28th February where you will be able to book a time slot. We will be using Microsoft Teams for the consultations.

Zebra - Tuesday 15th & Wednesday 16th March

Penguin - Wednesday 16th and Thursday 17th March

Koala - Thursday 17th & Friday 18th March

Tiger - Tuesday 15th & Wednesday 16th March

Toucan - Monday 14th & Wednesday 16th March

Squirrel - Monday 14th & Tuesday 15th March

Chipmunk - Wednesday 16th & Thursday 17th March



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'PE ready'

Please be reminded that PE clothing is still part of our school uniform. On PE days, please send your child to school already wearing either dark blue, black or grey jogging bottoms, shorts and sweatshirts. A white T shirt to be worn and Velcro fastening trainers that your child can take off / put on themselves. Children who have long hair must have it tied back at all times. All personal items need to be labelled with your child's name.

Before and After school

Please be reminded that the classroom doors open for children to come into school at 8.45 am. Children and younger siblings remain parents /carers responsibility and must stay with you at all times before the doors are open. We request for the safety of the children and for the safety of others, please do not allow them to play with any of the outdoor school equipment / trim trail and we request no footballs to be brought in from home as they are causing accidents.

Snack time

There has been an increased amount of children bringing in processed fruit and alternative snacks. Please remember only fresh fruit or vegetables should be sent into school, with your child's name clearly labelled on the container.

Derbyshire School holidays - 2021/2022 academic year

- 10 January 2022 to 18 February 2022 (30 days)
- 28 February 2022 to 8 April 2022 (30 days)
- 25 April 2022 to 27 May 2022 (2 May 2022 is a bank holiday) (24 days)
- 6 June 2022 to 22 July 2022 (35 days)

Inset days 2021/22

18th February
8th April (Queens Jubilee)
6th June

Derbyshire School holidays - 2022/2023 academic year

- 1 September 2022 to 21 October 2022 (37 days)
- 31 October 2022 to 22 December 2022 (39 days)
- 9 January 2023 to 17 February 2023 (30 days)
- 27 February 2023 to 31 March 2023 (25 days)
- 17 April 2023 to 26 May 2023 (1 May 2023 is a bank holiday) (29 days)
- 5 June 2023 to 21 July 2023 (35 days)

Inset days 2022/23

1st & 2nd September
22nd December
27th February
5th June

School Business Officer - Job Vacancy (Term Time)

We currently have a School Business Officer vacancy in school. The position is permanent working 25 hours per week (5 hours per day), 39 weeks per year. For an application form, please click on the following link

<https://jobs.derbyshire.gov.uk/administrationclericalcustomer-service-contract-school-business-officer/29896.job> - Closing Date 27th February 2022

Mid-day Supervisor - Job Vacancies (Term Time)

We currently have two mid-day supervisor vacancies in school. One is a full time position 5 days, and the other is part-time 3 days. For an application form, please click on the following link

<https://jobs.derbyshire.gov.uk/education-non-teachingsupport-services-contract-midday-supervisor-2-posts/29392.job> - closing date is 20th February 2022.

Have a lovely weekend,

Mrs V Howell