



## Shine brightly together and reach for the stars!

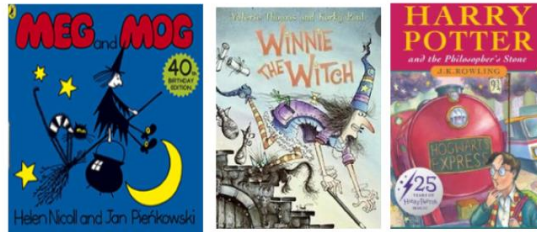
**Weekly Bulletin - Week ending 4<sup>th</sup> February 2022**

Dear Parents / Carers,

### 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.

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. Entry forms will be attached next week.



### Book Donation

I would like to take this opportunity to say a big thank you to Western Primary School who very kindly gave a number of Bug Club phonic books to our school following parental donations. They are an extremely welcome addition to our independent reading books and we hope you enjoy sharing them with your child in the coming months.

### Reading corner

This week's reading quote from one of our Year 2's - 'I like snuggling up to my daddy whilst he reads to me,' Albert.

### Threadworm

We have had an incident of threadworm reported in school. It is not a reason for children to be absent from school however, some simple hygiene steps are needed to keep this at bay. We have spoken with the children to remind them of the importance of washing hands thoroughly. Please support us in this matter by talking to your children at home. Thank you.

Please click on the link for further information.

<https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/threadworms/#:~:text=Treat%20everyone%20in%20your%20household,to%20speak%20to%20a%20GP.>



### PTA

This Valentine's Day, Monday 14<sup>th</sup> 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.



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## **Parent Consultation's**

Parent consultations will remain virtual and will take place week beginning 14<sup>th</sup> March mornings only. We will notify you of the days and the times allocated to your child's class soon.

## **COVID-19 update**

From Monday 17<sup>th</sup> January, people with COVID-19 in England can end their self-isolation after 5 full days, as long as they test negative on day 5 and day 6.

Please see the link below for more information:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/news/self-isolation-for-those-with-covid-19-can-end-after-five-full-days-following-two-negative-lfd-tests>

With an increase of Covid cases in staff and children, please be reminded of the 3 main symptoms

- a new continuous cough
- a high temperature
- a loss of, or change in, your normal sense of taste or smell (anosmia)

Please note that more recently the symptoms that seem to be prevalent within Melbourne Infant School are stomach ache / headache and sickness. Please be mindful of this and if your child displays any of the mentioned symptoms, please do a lateral flow test to confirm a negative result before sending them into school.

## **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 20<sup>th</sup> February 2022.

## **Cleaner - Job Vacancy**

Cleaner - Vertas Group Limited

£9.52 per hour

10 hours per week, 38 weeks per year

Monday to Friday 15:30 - 17:30

<https://www.cv-library.co.uk/job/215402243/Cleaner?sid=fcba8569-c86d-49d6-bb51-2f4c340f2b6e>

## **Caretaker - Job Vacancy**

Caretaker - Vertas Group Limited

£9.72 per hour

23 Hours Per Week, 52 weeks per year

Monday - 07:00-09:00am & 15:00-18:00pm

Tuesday-Friday, 07:00-09:00am & 15:00-17:45pm

<https://www.cv-library.co.uk/job/215401878/Caretaker>

Have a lovely weekend,

Mrs V Howell