



Southcoates Primary Academy Newsletter

Thursday 7th April 2022

Happy Easter

Tomorrow is the last day before the Easter holiday begins and children throughout school have been taking part in Easter themed activities. Years three and four gave an excellent performance for parents at St. Aiden's Church while children in nursery have been making Easter bonnets.

We wish you all a happy and peaceful Easter break and look forward to seeing you for the start of the summer term on Tuesday 26th April.



Good Luck Mrs Mangan

Tomorrow will be the last day in school for Mrs Mangan for a while. As you may have noticed, she is expecting a baby very soon and will be starting her maternity leave during the Easter holiday.

I'm sure that you will all join us in wishing Mrs Mangan all the very best as she starts this next stage of her life.

In Mrs Mangan's absence, I am pleased to inform you that Miss Hepple will be taking over the leadership of Key Stage One whilst a new teacher, Mrs Taylor, will be joining us and taking over the teaching of class 1/2M. Mrs Taylor has already met the children and is excited to be working with us here at Southcoates.



Southcoates House Trophy

Children in school are rewarded for their effort, manners and positive attitude with gold tickets. The children then decide whether to spend their gold tickets in the gold ticket shop or to save up for something bigger when they have earned more.

The gold tickets also earn house points for each of the four houses. Last year Needler house won the house trophy and an exciting reward day for all the children in Needler house is planned for the summer term.



My Child at School

We are no longer using our old text messaging service (Teachers2Parents). Any communication will now be done via the My Child at School App, this includes emails and text messages. If you have not activated your My Child at School account, please contact the school as you will need to collect your activation letter from the office.

Once you have activated your My Child at School (MCAS) account, you will receive messages and emails through the App. You can also update your contact details, pay for and book school lunches / trips, view your child's attendance, as well as other things. We would like you to update your child's parental consents using the MCAS App over the Easter holiday to ensure they are all up to date on our system. An email will be sent on Friday afternoon asking you to update your child's parental consents on the MCAS App and how to do this.

We will also be setting up a booking system for breakfast club using the app, as well as after school club bookings, after the Easter break.

Thank you for your continued support in the introduction of the MCAS app.

Upcoming Events

Friday 8th April: Last day before Easter Holiday

Tuesday 26th April: School re-opens for summer term