





Weekly Newsletter

Friday 24th February 2023

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back! We hope you all had a lovely half term break. Wasn't it lovely to see some sunshine?

Oak Class are becoming ever more focused on their learning as SATs week becomes closer. We know that they will try their best and give it their all when the time comes.

This week, Mr Guy led an assembly about the love of reading. Book Week is next week! How exciting! There are lots of lovely book themed activities planned in school, ending with the wonderful **Character Dress Up Day on Friday 3rd March.**

Please note that our Book Farye is being held after Book Week.

Elm Class thoroughly enjoyed their first swimming session this week. Despite some initial nerves, every child managed to get in the pool. Well done, Elm Class!

Please note that punctuality is extremely important for children to start the day in a calm way alongside their peers. Please try to be at gate for 8.45am to maximise learning time, however there is ten minutes to enter school. Please make sure you arrive by 8.55am.

Please do make sure that you read all emails from school. This is our main way of communicating with families. Thank you.

As you know, next week the NEU are planning to hold another day of industrial action. Before half term I advised you to make alternative childcare arrangements for **Thursday 2nd March.**

I can now confirm that **all classes will be closed except Year 6 (Oak) and DSP (Sycamore).** Children in our DSP and Year 6 are expected to attend school as usual.

Please be assured that the decision to take industrial action is never taken lightly and we do understand the implications on families.



Great cricket happening in Maple Class this week!

Have a lovely weekend,

Mrs Cutajar

Dates for your Diary

Monday 27th February - School Council visit Mayor's chambers

Thursday 2nd March - World Book Day

Thursday 2nd March - Industrial Action

Friday 3rd March - Character Dress up Day

Thursday 15th March - Red Nose Day

Thursday 23rd - 30th March Book Fair

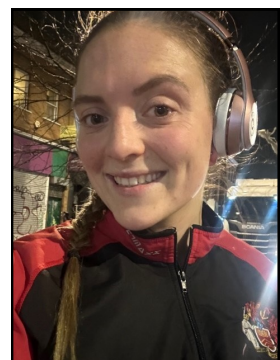
Monday 27 - 31st March Year 6 Residential Trip

Friday 31st March - Last day of Term
Easter Holidays

Monday 17th April - All Children return to school

Monday 24th April - Summer Term after school Sports Clubs start

Spotlight on Shayler



Miss Shayler is really ramping up her training regime as there is not long to go!

Total distance so far: **176km**
Number of Weeks to go: **8**