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Friday 25 March 2022

Ethos Statement "I am committed to setting myself smart goals"

Spring 2 and Summer 1 Diary Dates

Please find below a list of events that will be taking place during this term;

29.03.2022 Year 4 RSE Family Information Zoom
31.03.2022 Year 1 Zog Theatre Trip
01.04.2022 Wear a Hat/Bonnett Day
04.04.2022 Easter Holidays
20.04.2022 Year 6 Jungle Book Workshop
21.04.2022 Year 2 RSE Zoom Meeting
02.05.2022 Bank Holiday
09.05.2022 Nursery BOW Guide Dogs Visit
12.05.2022 Year 3 Outdoor Learning Trip
13.05.2022 Nursery EOW Guide Dogs Visit
24.05.2022 Year 4 Murton Park
25.04.2022 Year 5 Mahlam Over Night Trip

PE Outside

It has been lovely to be able to use the field again, not only for break and lunchtimes but also for PE lessons. Just a reminder that children need to wear the CORRECT PE kit and be prepared for warm weather with sun protection.



ATTENDANCE

If your child is going to be absent from school then please text this number **07891274260**. Please note that this phone will not be answered for phone calls. This is last week's attendance report for the week ending **18 March 2022**:

Rec A 87.6%	Rec B 86.2%
1a 96.3%	1b 94.8%
2a 93.8%	2b 86.5%
3a 97.3%	3b 95%
4a 94.4%	4b 98.5%
5a 93.6%	5b 92.9%
6a 92.6%	6b 95%



Total School: 96.4%

6c 90%

Daffodils to say... THANK YOU

As you know we appreciate our families and our children do too. Without you all we could do as well as we do as a Park Spring Family.

As a gesture of our gratitude you should have received a bunch of Daffodils from your child.

We hope you enjoy them and they give you a wonderful Spring Feeling.

We would like to thank FOPS for funding this, Mrs Martin and Miss Beverley for organising and Scarlett W and Ella P from 5a for distributing them.



Roll Up and Read

We are very pleased to announce that we can invite parents back in to school for our Roll up and Read sessions. These sessions give parents/carers the opportunity to come into school to read a book with their child. The sessions are approximately 15 minutes. Please see days and times below:

Nursery Beg Tues 8.55-9.10am
Nursery End- Thurs 8.55-9.10am
Reception - Thurs 8.50-9.05am
Year 1- Fri 8.50-9.05am
Year 2- Wed 8.50-9.05am



We hope to see you there next week!



Wear a Hat Day—1 April 2022

We will be celebrating Wear a Hat Day in support of Brain Tumour Research.

Children and staff are invited to wear a hat which may be funny, creative, wacky and even an Easter Bonnet.

We are looking forward to seeing all in your wonderful hats.

Please bring your £1 donation for this very worthy cause.



Absence Reporting—Please remember to report your child's absence to the school office via telephone or via text message to **07891 274 260**





Nursery Places

Is your child due to start nursery in September 2022? Will your child be turning 3 and need to start nursery in the 2022 - 2023 year? We have spaces left in nursery so please sign up today by contacting the Office on 0113 2552526 or email ... Your child can attend either the beginning (All day Monday and Tuesday, and Wednesday AM) or end (Wednesday afternoon, all day Thursday and Friday) of the week. Please let us know your preference.

Global Recycling Day

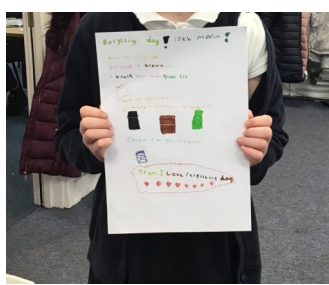
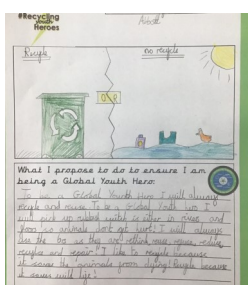
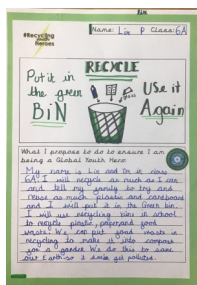
Friday 18 March, Park Spring celebrated Global Recycling Day!

Created in 2018, Global Recycling Day celebrates the importance of **recycling** to help **save our planet's** natural resources, recognising that climate change is happening and that **there's something we can all do to help**.

Year 1 and 2, created their own Recycling Superhero, who will use their powers to save the planet by **recycling even more**.

Year 3 and 4, created their own Recycling Youth Hero, who will use their powers to **push recycling** for their school, home and community.

Year 5 and 6, created their very own Youth Hero Plan, explaining how they propose to make Park Spring, their home or their local community a **greener place**.



WOULD YOU LIKE TO VOLUNTEER AT PARK SPRING

We have a new, exciting opportunity for people to join us as Reading Volunteers. We would like to train people up to share stories with some of our children, read to them and listen to them read.

We are offering two 'taster' sessions where you can come along and meet with our reading leader, learn more about the opportunity and enjoy a cup of tea!

The taster sessions are on Tuesday 29 March at 1.30pm.

Please contact the school office to sign up for the session that suits you.

Year 2

We have been learning all about **plants in Science!** We are predicting which method will be the best to grow a healthy plant. We are also keeping a seen diary to observe and analyse what a seeds needs to be able to germinate. We will be checking our seeds over the next few weeks to see what happens! We'll update you soon!



Message from Our Headteacher

Dear Families,

Thank you so much for filling out our school questionnaire. We will announce the winner of the £25 Just Eat Voucher on Friday 25 March 2022. The closing date is Monday 21 March 2022 for all submissions. Please click [here](#) to submit your feedback.

This feedback and information is really important to us as we want our school to be the best for you all. When I first took over the school we had a series of parent FORUMS. This is where we invited ANYONE connected to the school to come and give us their views on aspects of school that we felt needed developing. Changes that were made in light of these discussions were SCHOOL UNIFORM, HOMELEARNING and SCHOOL TIMES. Recently parents helped us develop our AIMS and ETHOS.

We are now in a position and we would love you to join us for a collective / informal chat. We will even provide biscuits and warm drinks. We would like to discuss amongst other things SCHOOL UNIFORM, ATTENDANCE, BEHAVIOUR, E-SAFETY and supporting our children with HOME LEARNING. Of course if you have other aspects you would like us to consider please also let us know!

If you are interested in getting involved - please contact us via the office or email office@parkspringprimary.co.uk.

Thanks as ever Rachel Horan

