

Trips

All classes will be going on school trips in June. We will be sending home a letter soon re the trips. The trips are as follows:

Tuesday June 4th - Mrs Craggs' class to Yorkshire Wildlife Park

Friday June 7th - Miss Smith's class to the Butterfly House

Monday June 10th - Miss Tiplady's class to the Butterfly House

Tuesday June 11th - Nursery to Yorkshire Wildlife Park

Wednesday June 12th - Mrs Cowell's class to Cannon Hall Farm

Year 2 children

We are really pleased with the Year 2 children coming in to school on their own. This helps with their transition to Junior School.

Term dates 2018 - 19

School Opens

Monday 25th February

Monday 29th April

Monday 3rd June

School Closes

Friday 12th April

Friday 24th May

Friday 19th July

School will also be closed on Monday 6th May 2019 for May Day and Friday 21st June 2019 for an INSET day.

The first day of term after the Summer holidays will be Wednesday 4th September.

Speedwell Infant School

9th April 2019

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Easter Raffle

We will be holding an Easter Egg raffle on the afternoon of Friday 12th April. Tickets are on sale every morning in the entrance hall. We would be grateful for any donations of Easter eggs. Please hand any donations to any member of staff.



Reminder we break up for Easter Holiday on Friday 12th April and return to school on Monday 29th April.

Easter Craft morning

We will be having an Easter craft morning in school on Wednesday 10th April. Parents / Carers are welcome to stay and join your child to make some Easter crafts from start of school until 9.45am in school and morning nursery.

Apologies for late notice about this morning.

Transition days

Children that have applied for a place in our Reception will find out on April 16th if they have a place at our school. On the same day children in year 2 will find out about their junior school place. We will be having transition days on Tuesday 2nd July and Wednesday 3rd July for all children.

Further details on timings and arrangements will be sent closer to the time but just letting you know in case you are needing to book time off work etc.

After School Clubs

Year 1 and 2 children should have brought home a letter about Dance and Rugby after school clubs. The dance club will be held on Tuesdays and Rugby club will be held on a Thursday. Places are available on a first come, first served basis. Please return your form to the school office.

Complimentary Ticket

We have been given a complimentary family ticket, (2 adults and 2 children) that can be used at Legoland Discovery Centre, Manchester or at Sealife Centre, Manchester. They can be used up until 30th December 2019. Anyone interested in the ticket please call in to the office and give your name in by Thursday 11th April. If a number of people would like the ticket we will have a small free prize draw on Friday 12th April.

Lost Property

Please check in the lost property box near the staff room (large wicker basket) if your child has any clothes they may have mislaid over the term. We will be donating any items left at the end of term to charity.

Year 2 SATs

Children in Year 2 will complete short national tests during May. We do not put any pressure on children, they need to be calm and they do not need to worry about the test. But we do want the children to do their best, so please make sure your child has a good sleep routine so they are alert during the day and that they arrive at school on time, so they can be prepared.

Attendance

Last term we had a lot of bugs in school which unfortunately affected our attendance rate. We are starting to get less absences, and the attendance rate is beginning to get better.
Keep up the good attendance!

School Dinners

Last week your child will have brought a Spring Summer menu home from school with the menus from after Easter until October half term. As well as the meals on the menu our kitchen provide sandwiches on a daily basis. Mrs Davidson, our cook, is aware that some dishes are not as popular as others and on these days she always makes extra sandwiches available.