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Our Lady of Lourdes



As part of the school's Our Lady of Lourdes celebration, children in KS2 were invited to participate in a special R.E. Homework Project, which depicts the first appearance of Our Lady to the French girl, Bernadette Soubirous.



We were absolutely delighted with the wonderful art work which was completed. All children that returned their work by the deadline were able to share their masterpieces in assembly, if they wished to.



Wednesday 2nd March

Please make sure you have returned the appointment slip for the Spring Term Parents' Evening.

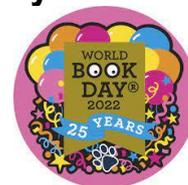
It is very important that you make the effort to attend; it gives you a chance to discuss how your child is doing in class and in school generally with their teachers.

School Uniform



The governors have met this week to agree a uniform policy. They have also asked to pass on the message that the wearing of jewellery is to be discouraged, other than small stud earrings and a 'low-profile' (not novelty) wrist watch.

World Book Day



Thursday 3rd March is World Book Day. Children can come to school dressed as their favourite book character. Please make sure your child brings the book that features this character with them to school on the day as well, so that they can share it with their fellow students and teachers.

Have you contributed to the family fund?



As a school we are asking for families to pay £10 per child (maximum £20 per family). Payment can be made via the ParentMail App.

This year we are going to use the contributions for developing a new play space in our middle playground, please support this initiative.



After School Activity Clubs



How to book:

Booking and payment is via ParentMail on a first come first served basis; places are limited. The booking system will go live at 8am on Tuesday 22nd February 2022. If you are unable to book, that means that the club is already full, but please do not worry, we will run further clubs next half term. If you book then your child decides that they do not wish to attend, refunds will not be given. The clubs will run for 4 consecutive weeks commencing week beginning 28th February.



Monday Choir Club for Years 2, 3, 4, 5 & 6 (20 spaces)

Do you enjoy singing? Join our school choir group, where you'll have the opportunity to learn a range of new and traditional songs to perform with your friends.



Monday Chess Club for Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 (16 spaces)

A fun and exciting club for complete beginners, intermediate and advanced players. Join for an array of lessons on tactics/strategy and fun chess games.



Tuesday Fitness Club for Years 1 & 2 (18 spaces)

A fun and active club offering different activities to help you develop your fitness levels. Children will need to bring sportswear into school, please make sure all items are labelled.



Tuesday Textiles Club for Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 (12 spaces)

Improve fine motor skills, concentration and well-being at our fun textiles club where you will have the opportunity to experience knitting and sewing.



Collection of children from After School Activity Clubs

Clubs start immediately after school and finish promptly at 4:30pm.

Please wait outside the School Office and children will be escorted out of the building for 4.30pm. Our normal safeguarding procedures apply, so if you would like someone different to collect your child, please make sure you inform the office first!



Year 4 Swimming and the National Curriculum

Since 1994, swimming and water safety has been a statutory element of the National Curriculum for Physical Education in England. This means that every child should leave primary school with the skills to keep themselves safe while enjoying swimming with friends and family.

Each pupil is required to take part. If your child is not well enough to participate in swimming lessons then you will need to collect your child from school on Wednesdays at 1pm.

Please help your child to be responsible for remembering their own swimming kit every Wednesday.