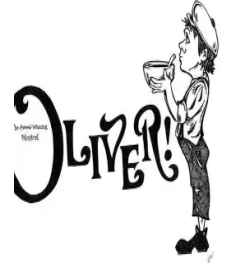




Welcome back to all of our children for the second half of the spring term. Hopefully the weather will get drier and warmer, and we can get out more for some more outdoor learning. We have a lot of learning and experiences to pack in as it's a very short half term.

WORLD BOOK DAY - THURSDAY 5TH MARCH

We are excited to welcome a theatre group into school on World Book Day. They will be performing the classic story of Oliver Twist and the children in school will be able to watch the production. To celebrate World Book Day, the children can come dressed as a character from their favourite book. The children do not have to dress up but they can wear comfortable, suitable clothes and enjoy the theatre as well as read a favourite book. Pupils in nursery and 2-year room will be celebrating 'Bedtime Stories' and can come dressed in their pyjamas on this day if they wish.



PARKING ON HOLMES STREET

We have had so **many concerns** due to parents/carers parking on Holmes Street. Please do not stop or park on the zigzag lines and in front of the school gates. The zigzags are there to keep your children safe when coming into school in the morning and leaving school at the end of the day. The road is becoming so dangerous for your children again. Please be aware of where you are parking or stopping to drop off and pick up your children.

BREAKFAST CLUB

If you have completed paperwork for your child(ren) to attend Breakfast Club, but they have not attended for a while, please inform the school office that they will be returning so staff can check the information is still up to date and there is space to attend.

COUGH SWEETS

Due to the cold weather we have had an increased number of children bringing cough sweets into school. In order to safely manage the use of cough sweets please collect and complete a form from the school office before handing the sweets over to a member of staff. Pupils will be unable to consume cough sweets within school without a completed form.

PARENTS/CARERS' EVENINGS 17TH AND 19TH MARCH 2026

The feedback from the last parent questionnaire was to know how your child is making progress, so it's important to take this opportunity to come into school to discuss what and how your child is learning inside the classroom and out of it, the progress that they are making and to see their books. The children really like for you to see their books and their work. You can book your appointment(s) through Arbor (via the portal or the App). Appointments will be available to book from Monday 2nd March at 7:00pm. **Class 1/2B will have their appointments on Monday 16th and Thursday 19th.**

DODGEBALL WINNERS

We are very proud of our year 5 and 6 dodgeball team who showed great teamwork to win their competition. Well done team. Thank you to Miss Beard for supporting the team

YEAR 1 PHONICS CHECK MEETING. 26TH FEBRUARY 2026 AT 3:30PM

There will be a meeting for the parents/carers of the year 1 children. It will be a chance to know how your child takes part in the national test and how you can help your child at home. This is an important meeting. Please support your child.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY



25th March: Coffee, Cake and Chat at 9:00am with Mrs McBean

26th March: Easter hat and decorated egg competition - more information will follow.

Year 6 SATs: 11th to 14th May 2026

The year 5 children will take their SATs 10th to 13th MAY 2027

We are always here to support you and your children. If you have any concerns or worries, then please telephone the school or come and chat with the teachers.