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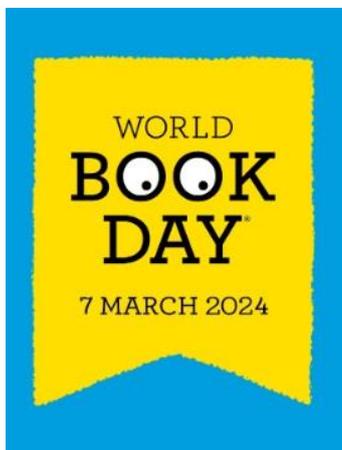
This week: 94%

Curious, Creative, Confident



Ophelia will be participating in the National Series BMX racing this year with a goal of qualifying for the world championships in 2025. She currently ranks 3rd in The Midlands so stands a good chance to qualify. Ophelia has 3 important races coming up and we wish her the best of luck! Well done Ophelia we are so proud of you.

World Book Day (well...all week in school)



This week we celebrate all things reading in school as part of our celebrations around world book day.

The children will be enjoying reading sessions in school with different staff and different classes, library visits and of course having fun on Thursday where children can dress up as their favourite story character. Of course, we want all children to join in with the fun of world book day and school will not exclude any child from this event. We do not expect, nor want you to go out and buy an outfit just for the day, children can come in non-uniform on this day if you or they wish.

Don't forget, further to the Dojo post last week, parents are welcome into your child's class on Tuesday 5th March till 9am to read with your child.

Keep your eyes on Dojo as staff will be posting lots of photos.

Dojo



ClassDojo

We have had lots of requests to join our school Dojo pages from some very strange email addresses, all the email addresses are @email.com.

They are only requests that are coming through, and no one has access to our school's Dojo page who should not. Please can I ask that you check your security settings at home and change your Dojo passwords to be on the safe side.

I am working with Dojo and our IT company to find out what is going on. Please be reassured that both yours and the school's data is safe.

School will only send invites to join Dojo and we will not accept requests. If you want/need to join or rejoin Dojo, please ask your class teacher for an invite.

Parents' evening



Parents



Evening



Parents' evenings will be on **Tuesday 12th March and Thursday 21st March 2024**. Appointment times will be available from

3:30pm - 6:00pm. Each appointment will be for 10 minutes, if you feel you need longer the teacher will ask you to make another appointment. Please don't think the teachers are being rude if they ask you to do this we simply want to try and keep the evening on track and not have long waits for other parents. Thank you for your understanding with this.

PE Hoodies



Thank you to those of you who have ordered a school hoodie for your child's PE days, we have had 130 orders! The hoodies are being printed as I type this and will be handed out to your children as soon as they are ready.

Please remember the hoodies are for PE sessions only and are NOT compulsory, black or navy jumper can be worn for PE lessons.

Year 6 Pupils can wear their leavers hoodies for PE and after their SATs in May they will be able to wear them as part of their everyday uniform. Mrs Holmes and Mrs Davies will let you know of the date this can happen.

Fire Drill

On Wednesday 28th February the whole school took part in practice fire alarm. The children were all very sensible and calmly exited the building. We legally must routinely practice our fire procedures.



Safeguarding Team in School

We have 5 staff members in school who are trained safeguarding leads. These are me (Mrs Goldson), Miss Owen, Mrs Davies, Mrs Moules and Mrs Stone. Any safeguarding issues/concerns can be discussed with anyone of us.

Our Safeguarding Team



Second-hand uniform



Don't forget we have a range of second-hand uniform available in school for children. Please contact the school office if you need any uniform.

Alternatively, if you would like to donate any second-hand uniform, particularly Leen Mills jumpers/cardigans, please drop it off at the main school office.

Arrival at school

School doors open at 8:40am for an 8:45am start.

We have had lots of children arriving after this. Whilst we understand that sometimes things happen beyond your control, but there are group of children that are arriving persistently late. Please can we ensure that we are in school on time!



School Dinner Menu



The current school dinner menu will be continuing until the Easter break. The menu with the updated dates can be found on the school website.

Sandwiches are available from the school kitchen, these **MUST** be booked a week in advance direct with our Kitchen Manager. Please email Mrs Smith direct with your child's sandwich request: leenmills.notts@kitchenmanager.co.uk

The choice of sandwiches are cheese, ham or tuna. Lunch is choice of sandwich with potato balls or potato wedges, vegetable sticks and the pudding of the day.



Diary Dates

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>
Monday 9.30am – 10.30am	Swimming for Year 3 & 4 – starts Monday 26th February
Tuesday 3.15 – 4.15pm	Jelly Fitness After School Club for KS2 (Years 3, 4, 5 & 6) Weekly for the whole half term – booking through the school office
Tuesday 3.15 – 4.00pm	Crafty Club for Year 2 – weekly Limited places available – booking through the school office
Wednesday 3.15 – 4.00pm	Crafty Club for Year 3 – weekly Limited places available – booking through the school office
4th – 8th March 2024	Class Visits to Hucknall Library
7th March 2024	World Book Day – Dress up as your favourite book character
8th March 2024 2.45pm	KS2 Special Assembly Parents & Carers welcome. Gates open at 2.30pm for 2.45pm start
12th March 2024 3.00 – 6.00pm	Parents Evening
13th March 2024	Year 6 Theatre Visit
15th March 2024	Non-Uniform Day – Bring an easter egg for the raffle
15th March 2024 2.45pm	Rec & KS1 Special Assembly Parents & Carers welcome. Gates open at 2.30pm for 2.45pm start
19th – 26th March 2024	Book Fayre in the Conservatory
21st March 2024 3.00 – 6.00pm	Parents Evening
22nd March 2024 2.45pm	KS2 Special Assembly Parents & Carers welcome. Gates open at 2.30pm for 2.45pm start
25th – 27th March 2024	Year 5 PGL Residential
27th March 2024	Easter Egg Raffle after school
29th March – 12th April 2024	Easter Holiday

Inset Days 2023-2024	School Holidays 2023 – 2024
Monday 4 th September 2023 Tuesday 5 th September 2023 Wednesday 24 th July 2024 Thursday 25 th July 2024 Friday 26 th July 2024	October Half Term: 23 rd October – 3 rd November 2023 Christmas Holiday: 25 th December 2022 – 3 rd January 2024 February Half Term: 12 th – 16 th February 2024 Easter Holidays: 29th March – 12th April 2024 Whitsun Half Term: 27 th – 31 st May 2024 Summer Holiday: 29 th July 2024 -