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This week

We've had some very special visitors in school this week. OFSTED were in on Wednesday and Thursday and it was a great opportunity for us to show off the developments we have had in school. From our curriculum to strengths in other areas we have had the chance to show this off to our visitors. Within due course we will be able to share with you the findings from the visit.

Thank you for those parents / carers who completed the parent surveys. We hope you have a wonderful weekend.

Attendance Matters

Well done to this week's winners: **Year 2 with 100% attendance!**

Whole School Attendance
This week: 94.9%
This year: 93.7%

Attendance target: 96.5%



Dates for the diary

Important Dates



Friday 15th March

Comic Relief – wear anything red
Bake Sale – Red themed

Monday 18th March

Bring an Easter Egg and wear non-uniform clothing to school

Wednesday 20th & Thursday 21st March

Parents' Evening – Letters will be going home today with booking details

Thursday 21st March

Easter egg raffle

Monday 25th March – Friday 5th April

Half Term Holiday

Monday 8th April

All children back to school

British Values
Next Week's Question

Should mobile phones be banned in classrooms?



Rule of Law

Sometimes bans can be put in place, which means something is officially or legally prohibited (disallowed). Rules and laws are there to help protect us and keep us safe.

Protected Characteristics

Our religion or belief can affect if, how and when we choose to use digital technologies.

We should never be treated unfairly because of our religion or belief.



Comic Relief Day



On Friday 15th March is Comic Relief. Children can attend school in non-uniform and can wear any item which is red (socks/hair ribbon/t-shirt/etc).

On this day we will be holding a red themed bake sale. Any donations of cakes/buns will be greatly appreciated. You can bring the items into the office from Wednesday. Please remember we are a nut free school.



International Women's Day



Today we have celebrated International Women's Day. Each class has been able to learn about an inspirational woman, thinking about what makes them inspirational.

Spotlight on EYFS



It has been a very busy week in Class Woodhouse! We loved World Book Day and couldn't wait to show our dressing up clothes to our friends and teachers. Some children from Year 3 and Year 6 read our favourite books with us and Mrs Rorke came to our class to tell us a story. In our science lesson we investigated which materials would keep a teddy bear dry on a rainy day. The coat made out of tin foil was the best. In maths we have been using the words 'more than' and 'fewer than' to compare quantities. We have also been practising counting all the way to 100.

Our School Community

