



INFANT LEARNING NEWS

Monday 19th March – Friday 23rd March 2018

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Dates for your diary

Thurs 29th March 1:30pm – end of term
Mon 16th April – parents meetings as part of our INSET day
Tues 17th April – start of new term

This week's learning

Reception

We enjoyed our visit to the River and Rowing Museum where we explored the Wind in the Willows story in more depth. Thank you to all those who helped out on the day. We have continued to prepare for our 'Spring Songs' performance during the rest of the week and have taken part in some sporty assemblies. In the garden we have enjoyed making dens and used maps to find eggs.

Year 1

This week we spotted signs of spring and created pictures to add to our spring display. In Maths, we learnt about measurement, position and direction. We also wrote about our walk to Pikeshaw Woods.

Year 2

In English we adapted and planned our own version of The Sound Collector and thought about the sounds we hear in school, we also wrote about our walk to Pikeshaw Woods. In Maths we learnt about 3D shapes and in Science we built our own birds' nests.

In other news...

- The whole school got active this week for Sport Relief; assemblies were replaced with circuits and laps of the field and children came to school in their sporty gear on Friday. Thank you to all those who donated.
- Year 1 and 2 went for a walk on Tuesday morning, looking for signs of spring. Thank you very much to parents who helped out.
- Year 1 and 2 enjoyed a fun science workshop on Thursday all about the seasons. Thank you very much to Mrs Tyson for visiting!

Reminders

Please continue to read and sign reading records even though school books have been collected in.

We are always looking for parents to help out and listen to readers and are very grateful to those of you who commit to a regular slot. If this is something that you are interested in, please speak to your child's class teacher.

Years 1 & 2

- Continue to check **SPAG.com (Year 2)** and **Mathletics** for weekly tasks.
- **Library books** will be changed each Friday.
- Please keep named **PE kit** in school all week.

Reception

- **Show and Tell** next week: Please can all children plant a seed or bulb, record its growth (eg photos or drawings) and bring it in for show and tell the last week of this term. The children can then plant this in the Rainbow Class garden.
- Please go through the **KEYWORD SETS** at the back of the reading record books over the next few weeks.
- **Spring Songs:** On the last day of term please arrive at the classroom ten minutes before the end of school as we will be performing some songs (approx. 1:20)

Morning Routine: After the holiday the children will be expected to come into the class by themselves. Please use the next week to ensure all children are able to do this independently. Thank you