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Attendance

Class	Attendance for the period 22-04-2024 to 26-04-2024 Target 97%
RA	87.9%
RB	94.00%
1A	93.3%
1H	98.30%
2K	95.7%
2Y	96.3%
3A	96.8%
3K	93.9%
4F	87.1%
4 S	96.5%
5A	87.7%
5B	97.1%
6D	97.6%
6P	96.1%
Overall School	94.2%

Our attendance target is 97%

Please can we remind parents that any leave requests during term-time will be denied. Time taken during school term time may result in fines administered by the Council and may result in court action.

Year 6 SATS

Year 6 will be having their SATS tests the week beginning Tuesday 13th May 2024. Please ensure you send your child in on time as the SATs will be taking place in the morning sessions. We will be running a breakfast club for all year 6 children in the

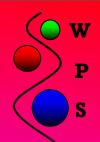
Communication with parents

To help improve communication between the school and parent/carers we will be rolling out a parent app from **Monday 6^h May**. To start with, the app will show you attendance and medical information for your child. We will also be able to send you messages via the app. In order to access the app you will need access to a smartphone. You will need to download the 'Arbor Parent app' from Google play or the App store. Please follow the instructions that you receive next week.

Year 3 Assembly

This week, Year 3 presented their assembly to pupils and parents. Their theme was the civilization of the ancient Egyptians. The children presented an impressive array of facts ranging from the building of pyramids, to the mummification process and moving onto the discovery of King Tutankhamen's tomb by Howard Carter and his team plus much more! The overall production was very impressive and enjoyed by everyone present. The children were confident and the overall production was simply wonderful to watch. A big thank you to all the Year 3 team for their behind the scenes work with getting the children to recall all the facts and to present these with confidence. Well done everyone!





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Lost Property

We have a large number of items such as uniform and coats that remain uncollected in school. This lost property will be put out next week on a table in the KS2 playground. Please do have a look if your child has misplaced any item recently. Any unclaimed items will be disposed of by the end of the month.

Parents Information

We will be holding a coffee morning on Friday 10th May from 9.00—11.00am. Mrs Khan will be discussing the upcoming summer fayre with members of the PFTA. We will also be welcoming a guest from Adult Education who will carry out a workshop on 'maximising your income'. Please do try to attend.

A new class has started every Wednesday in the community room; ladies fitness from 1.15 to 2.00pm. For all those who have registered for the class, please arrive promptly for the session.

Our annual summer fayre will be taking place on Friday 14th June 2024 in the afternoon, starting at 2.30pm. If you wish to purchase a table to sell goods, please speak to Mrs Khan. Tables will also be available for local organisations to promote their services.

Nursery Trip

If you have not yet paid for the nursery trip to Weston Supermare, please do so by **Friday 24th May**. The cost is £30 for parent and child. Please place the consent form and correct money in a sealed, labelled envelope and hand it in to the school office.

Dates for your diary 2023-24

Mon 6th May: Bank holiday—school closed to all

Fri 24th May: Break up for half-term holiday

Mon 27th May-Fri 31st May: Summer half-term holiday

Mon 3rd June: Return to school

Fri 19 July: Pupils break up for Summer holidays

Mon 22 July: Staff training day





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Bank Holiday

School will be closed on Monday 6th May 2024. We re-open on Tuesday 7th May as normal.

Water bottles

There have been an increasing number of children leaving their water bottles at home. Please ensure that your child brings their water bottle to school **every day**. This is especially important as the weather starts to warm up.

Reporting an absence

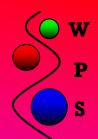
If your child will not be attending school, please ensure that you call in to school and press option 1 to report your child's absence. We kindly request that you call in before 9.15am.

Year 3 visit to Think Tank

Last week, Year 3 visited the Think Tank Museum in the City Centre as part of their topic of 'Forces'. They had a look around the museum and then attended a fun workshop where they had the chance to take part in an activity. They all had a great time!







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Homework Projects

Last Thursday, we held a school-wide display event to showcase all the wonderful and creative projects that were created for our recent homework project brief. Well done to all our pupils who worked hard to create their works of art! We have had a great response from all our year groups as you can see from all the pictures below:





















