



e-news @ Leigh & Bransford

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Happy New Year and welcome back, let us see what good things 2020 brings our way

Welcome back to you all, Mr Bill – We are pleased to see you all back after the Christmas break. Thank you for all our gifts, they were much appreciated. A short Newsletter this week as you should receive your Termly Topic letter from your respective class teacher. Suffice to say we are looking forward to a productive & rewarding term.

Annual Parent Questionnaire – One of these should have made its way home to you. There are spares available in the office. Please take a moment to fill it out, we really would like to be the best we can be & would really appreciate your input. Deadline is today, so any last few do get into us ASAP.

Reception Intake 2020 – Do you have a younger sibling who will be joining the school? Please remember the closing date for applications is 15th January 2020. **That is next Wednesday!**

Parent's Evening – These will be on the 2nd, 3rd & 4th March. The 2nd & 3rd are 10 minute slots from 3.30pm to 5pm and on the 4th is 10 minute slots between 5pm & 7pm. Please book via Dojo with your respective teacher.

Reception Eye Tests – Letters have gone home but a reminder, eye tests are Friday 24th January 2020.

Groundworks – We are part way through, do not think we have finished yet! All the roots in the front of the school will disappear and over the next few weeks our newly extended Forest School and raised beds will start to take shape.

Lunchtime Assistant – We are still looking for someone to join our lunchtime team either 3 days or 5 days 12pm-1.15pm. First Aid, Safeguarding, Food Safety & Food Hygiene training will be given.

Parking, Mr Bill – I am really concerned to hear of unpleasant exchanges between parents and the local residents during drop off/pick up. I am particularly concerned children are seeing behaviour that completely opposes our school core values, values such as respect, tolerance, manners and non-aggressive behaviour to name but a few. I urge you to park considerately and treat people with the utmost respect.

School dates for your diary

Spring Half Term – School closes Friday 14th February & reopens Monday 24th February 2020

Easter – School closes Friday 3rd April & reopens Monday 20th April 2020.

Summer Half Term – School closes Friday 22nd May & reopens Monday 1st June 2020. (Inc Whitsun Bank Holiday – Monday 25th May)

End of Summer Term – Friday 17th July 2020

May Day Bank Holiday – Friday 8th May 2020 (Anniversary of VE Day)

TED Days

Thu 7th May 2020 – Police Commissioner Elections – school used for polling, TBC by MHDC

Monday 20th July 2020



Our reasons to feel proud this week

Jayden & Alfie – Effort in phonics.

Maisy – Effort with cursive writing.

Roshana – Good attitude to learning.

Charlie – Working hard on his writing.

Jack B & Seth W – For always trying hard.

Pippa B – Always being incredibly helpful in class.

Amelie S – Persevering with her maths work.

Millie C – Excellent effort in maths.

Beth R & Tom C – Excellent attitude to learning in all subjects.

Max W, Oliver C & Fiona M – Extremely good focus during mindful meditation.

Charlie B – Making huge efforts to up level his writing.

Fleur D & James C – Fantastic attitude & effort.