



Diary Dates

Thursday 1 March - World book day

Monday 5 March - Sarah Outen MBE to lead an inspire+ assembly

Tuesday 6 March - 3.30-5.30pm Parents' evening

Wednesday 7 March - 5-8pm Parents' evening

Friday 9 March - Friends discos (EYFS & KS1 5-6pm; KS2 6.15-7.15pm)

Wednesday 14 March - 6.30pm Friends meeting in the Shoulder of Mutton

Monday 19 March - Sport Relief week

Friday 23 March - 5.30pm Friends Springo Bingo evening

Tuesday 27 March - 10am KS1 Easter church service

Tuesday 27 March - 2pm KS2 Easter church service

Wednesday 28 March - Last day of term 4

Monday 16 April - Term 5 begins

Tuesday 24 April - School games day

Friday 4 May - Photographer in for class and Y6 leavers photographs

Monday 7 May - School closed for May Bank Holiday

Tuesday 8 May - Chester's 1st birthday

Monday 14 May - KS2 SATs week

Friday 25 May - Last day of term 5

Monday 4 June - Term 6 begins

Monday 11 June - Y1 phonics screening check week

Wednesday 13 June - 3.30pm Friends Summer Fair

Thursday 21 June - Y5 Taster Day for Carre's and KSHS

Friday 22 June - CGS Outreach mini-olympic tournament

The children enjoyed a super start to the term last week - great enthusiasm for their new topics and keen to learn, which is brilliant!

A reminder that on Thursday this week, we will be celebrating World Book Day. The children are welcome to dress as their favourite book character, and we have a few activities planned for the children during the school day.

Our KS2 library is developing week by week. We now have some new bookcases and last week we received a surprise donation from Sleaford & District Lioness Club, which will help us buy additional books. These developments are really encouraging our children to read even more. Fabulous!!!

Due to a decrease in demand, at the end of this term the tuck shop will close for business. From term 5 onwards, please ensure you send your child to school with a healthy snack, instead of buying one from the tuck shop.

Parents' evenings take place next week for all classes, except Class 3C. You can book an appointment using your ParentMail app. If you need any help with this, please speak to Mrs Dickinson in the school office.

Mrs Hodson

Attendance

Last week Class 5S had the highest attendance with 98.2%. Well done!

Church School Value

Our church school value for this term is 'forgiveness'.

The theme this week is Lent. The key bible passage for the week is Matthew 4:1-11.

Staffing Update

Mrs Fry is our Child and Family Support Worker, and she works incredibly hard to support children and families at school. Mrs Fry has decided the time is right for her to move on for some new experiences, so she will be leaving us at the end of this term. Mrs Fry has worked at Chestnut Street for a number of years, and she will be missed. We will inform you when a new Learning Mentor has been appointed.

Uniform

Please can you ensure the children have the correct uniform for school and use school colours for headbands, bobbles and hair slides. Some children are also coming to school wearing nail polish. This should all be removed at the end of the weekend, ready for the new school week.

PE is an important part of our curriculum, and children take part in both indoor and outdoor lessons. Please ensure they have their school outdoor PE kit with them everyday.