# **Newsletter - Term 4**

25<sup>th</sup> February 2022

Dear Parents/Carers,



I hope you all enjoyed the half-term break, despite some unpredictable weather! We've had a great first week back and are enjoying today's sunshine.

Thank you to everyone who has returned their 'Information Update' form – if you haven't already done so, please return yours to the school office, even if there are no amendments.

I would like to politely remind everyone of the importance of road safety awareness for our children. Please be mindful of the traffic on the roads around school and the fact that the pavements can become quite congested, so small children are at risk of falling into the road. Please also remind children to respect the private drives along Bowl Alley Lane - it is dangerous for them to enter these unaccompanied.

Wishing you a relaxing weekend.

Mrs Cox

#### **Covid-19 Procedures**

As you will know, Government guidelines changed this week and if your child tests positive for Covid-19, the advice is that whilst it is no longer a legal requirement, they would still be advised to isolate. We are obviously keen to limit the spread of the disease at school as much as we can, so if your child is poorly, please do arrange a test and take precautions. If you need any advice, the school office are glad to help.

# World Book Day, Thursday 3rd March - Costume Swap

As the Christmas jumper sale was such a success, the PTA would like to do the same with costumes for World Book Day next week. If you have any costumes you would like to donate, there will be a collection bin outside the office for you to leave them. The PTA will then re-sell them shortly afterwards.

Year 5 have an intra-sport morning with JB on World Book Day, so depending on whether their costume is suitable, they may wish to arrive in their PE kit and change into their costume later.

#### Comic Relief, Red Nose Day – Friday 18th March

As usual, we will be supporting Comic Relief and we have red noses for sale in classrooms and at the school office. These are £1.50 each, so if you would like to purchase any, please send your child will the correct change. Thank you!

## **Dormice Walk – Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> March**.

On 2<sup>nd</sup> March, Mrs Craigs is planning to take the children in Dormice class for a walk to the park near Tesco. This is to support their learning in talking about where we live and being able to tell people about a familiar route they know. They will be leaving school at 9.30 am and then be back at school by approximately 11.00 am. We need a ratio of 1 adult to every 3 children to be able to do this walk. We would be very grateful to any parents who you are able to accompany us - please could you let Mrs Craigs know by Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> February. If your child is not in Nursery on that day and you and your child would like to join us, please let Mrs Craigs know.

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Term 4: 6 weeks School starts on Monday 21<sup>st</sup> February 2022 School closes for Easter holiday on Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> March 2022

## **SUMMER 2022** (62 school days)

Term 5: 6 weeks

School starts on **Wednesday 20th April 2022** *May Day Bank Holiday Closure on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2022*School closes for half term on **Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May 2022** 

Half Term Holiday: Monday 30<sup>th</sup> May 2022 - Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2022

**Term 6:** 7 weeks School starts on **Monday 6<sup>th</sup> June 2022** School closes for the summer holiday on **Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2022** 

# **Upcoming Diary Dates**

Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> March - World Book Day (dress up)

Weds 9th (3.30 – 5.30 pm) - Parents' Evening

Thurs 10<sup>th</sup> March - Parents' Evening

(3.30 - 7.30 pm)

Friday 11<sup>th</sup> March - Science Day

Thursday 31st March - PTA Non-Uniform Day