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Weekly bulletin

[The Weekly Bulletin will be emailed to you every Friday to help keep you up to date with everything in school.](#)

PE changes to Perseverance class – just for w/c 11th March as per email sent:

Perseverance class will have PE on Wednesday and Thursday (NOT Monday and Wednesday).

Parent Forum – Friday 15th March from 9am

All parents welcome in school from 9am to discuss any issues or offer suggestions for the school.

PTFA Chocolate Mufti Day – Friday 15th March

A mufti day with a chocolate donation please, to be used for the PTFA Family Chocolate Bingo Fundraiser on Friday 22nd March. Children can wear their own clothes to school.

For Years 1/2 & 5/6 who have PE on a Friday please ensure the clothes/shoes worn are suitable for PE.

Year 1 Phonics Screening Meeting – Wednesday 20th March

Parents of Year 1 are invited to a meeting after school at 3:30pm to explain details regarding the upcoming Phonics Screening. It is a government statutory test that every child must complete with an adult.

PTFA Chocolate Bingo Fundraiser – Friday 22nd March from 17:30pm

This is always a sell-out event so booking is essential! Book on ParentMail for £1 per person now, you can find it under Payments, then Shop. This entrance fee reserves you entry only, bingo tickets must then be purchased separately on the night.

Bingo books for 5 games will cost £3 for 3 tickets per game, or £5 for 6 tickets per game. Dabbers will be for sale at £1 each. Raffle tickets will be available to purchase for £1 each and the draw will take place immediately after the last game. The Chocolate Tombola will be £1 a go, win every time. Hot dogs and nachos will be available on the night, as well as a small selection of sweets, soft drinks, lager, wine, and G&T. Cash and card payment will be accepted (the Chocolate Tombola will be cash only).

This is a great fun event for all the family, and all proceeds go to the school PTFA for spending on the children. Full details sent by email, and on ParentMail.

Parents Evening – Tuesday 26th March and Thursday 28th March

Slots for Parents Evening are live on ParentMail. Please do book a visit in with your child's class teacher.

Please note that SEND slots are only available on Tuesday 26th March.

w/c 11/03/24

Monday 11th March 2024

- KS2 Basketball Club – Years 3-6 – 08:00am to 08:45am – please book on ParentMail, in the Accounts section under KS2 Morning Sports Clubs

Tuesday 12th March 2024

- Mrs Reynold's dance class – 07:50-08:45am – Years 3-6 – invite only
- Woodwind/Recorders – 12:20pm to 13:50pm - invite only (please contact the office as we have limited space for flute/clarinet (starting from Year 2)
- Guitar lessons – 12:45pm to 14:00pm – invite only (please contact the office if you would like information, the teacher handles the bookings directly)
- Gymnastics Club – All Years – FULL – 15:15pm to 16:15pm

Wednesday 13th March 2024

- Multi-Sports Club – Years 1-2 – 08:00am to 08:45am – a new club, invite only – please book on ParentMail, in the Accounts section
- String lessons – 13:20pm to 14:30pm – invite only and fully booked
- Mrs Grady's reading booster – Year 6 – 08:05 to 08:45am
- Mr Laughton's maths booster – Year 6 – 08:05 to 08:45am
- KS2 Choir only – 15:15pm to 16:15pm
- Dodgeball Club – Years 4-6 – FULL – 15:15pm to 16:15pm
- Year 6 SATS/Govilon meeting, 3:30-4:30pm, repeated below at 6pm
- Year 6 SATS/Govilon meeting, 6-7pm, repeated above at 3:30pm

Thursday 14th March 2024

- Netball Club – Years 3-6 – 08:00am to 08:45am – please book on ParentMail, in the Accounts section under KS2 Morning Sports Clubs
- Mrs Eddy's reading booster – Year 6 – 08:05 to 08:45am

Friday 15th March 2024

- **Homework is due in today. Please ensure you have accessed the Teams online classroom and please ask the school office if you have any issues.**
- **PTFA Chocolate Mufti Day – please come in your normal clothes and bring in a chocolate donation to be used for the PTFA Family Chocolate Bingo Fundraiser on 22nd March**
- Target Club – All Years – 08:00am to 08:45am – please book on ParentMail, in the Accounts section under KS1 Target Club or under KS2 Morning Sports Clubs
- Parent Forum – from 09:00am at school – everyone welcome
- Dodgeball Club – Years 1-3 – 15:15pm to 16:15pm – please book on ParentMail, in the Accounts section
- **Red Nose Day: do something funny for money – we are not celebrating as a school but we would love to hear from families about what they do / raise and we will share those stories in school.**

w/c 18/03/24

Monday 18^h March 2024

- KS2 Basketball Club – Years 3-6 – 08:00am to 08:45am – please book on ParentMail, in the Accounts section under KS2 Morning Sports Clubs

Tuesday 19th March 2024

- Mrs Reynold's dance class – 07:50-08:45am – Years 3-6 – invite only
- Woodwind/Recorders – 12:20pm to 13:50pm - invite only (please contact the office as we have limited space for flute/clarinet (starting from Year 2)
- KS2 Net and Wall Festival – Years 3-6 – 12:30 to 14:30pm – Montsaye Academy, Rothwell
- Guitar lessons – 12:45pm to 14:00pm – invite only (please contact the office if you would like information, the teacher handles the bookings directly)
- Gymnastics Club – All Years – FULL – 15:15pm to 16:15pm

Wednesday 20th March 2024

- Multi-Sports Club – Years 1-2 – 08:00am to 08:45am – a new club, invite only – please book on ParentMail, in the Accounts section
- String lessons – 13:20pm to 14:30pm – invite only and fully booked
- Mrs Grady’s reading booster – Year 6 – 08:05 to 08:45am
- Mr Loughton’s maths booster – Year 6 – 08:05 to 08:45am
- KS1 Choir only – 15:15pm to 16:15pm
- Dodgeball Club – Years 4-6 – FULL – 15:15pm to 16:15pm
- Year 1 Phonics Screening Meeting – 15:30 to 16:00pm

Thursday 21st March 2024

- Netball Club – Years 3-6 – 08:00am to 08:45am – please book on ParentMail, in the Accounts section under KS2 Morning Sports Clubs
- Mrs Eddy’s reading booster – Year 6 – 08:05 to 08:45am
- EYFS trip to Mini Meadows – 10:00 to 14:00pm

Friday 22nd March 2024

- Target Club – All Years – 08:00am to 08:45am – please book on ParentMail, in the Accounts section under KS1 Target Club or under KS2 Morning Sports Clubs
- Dodgeball Club – Years 1-3 – 15:15pm to 16:15pm – please book on ParentMail, in the Accounts section
- **PTFA Family Chocolate Bingo Fundraiser – book on ParentMail now, £1.00 per entry place. Then buy bingo tickets on the night. Very popular.**

Important school dates for your diary...

DATE	YEAR GROUP	EVENT
25/03/24	YEARS 1/2/3/4	Easter practice at St Mary’s Church
26/03/24	YEARS 5/6	Easter practice at St Mary’s Church
26/03/24	YEAR 2	Cricket Festival – 12:30 to 14:30pm – Montsaye Academy
26/03/24	ALL YEARS	Parents Evening – 15:30 to 18:00pm
28/03/24	YEARS 1/2/3/4/5/6	Easter Services at St Mary’s Church: Year 1/2 – 09:30am Year 3/4 – 10:15am Year 5/6 – 11:00am
28/03/24	ALL YEARS	Parents Evening – 17:00 to 20:00pm
28/03/24	ALL YEARS	Last day of school
29/03/24 – 14/04/24	ALL YEARS	Easter holidays – the school is closed
15/04/24	ALL YEARS	First day back at school
18/04/24	YEAR 5	Warwick Castle – 09:00 to 16:15pm – late arrival back to school
19/04/24	YEARS 1/2/3/4/5/6	Homework set today
22/04/24	YEARS 3/4/5/6	KS2 Target Festival – 13:30pm to <u>15:30pm</u> – Kettering Buccleuch Academy
22/04/24 – 25/04/24	ALL YEARS	Book Fair after school, 3 for 2 on all books
01/05/24	ALL YEARS	Walk in Wednesday after school
06/05/24	ALL YEARS	Bank Holiday – the school is closed
13/05/24	YEAR 5	Bee Netball Competition – 13:30pm to 15:30pm
15/05/24	YEAR 3/4	Tennis Competition – 09:30pm to 11:30pm – Kettering Tennis Club
15/05/24	YEAR 5/6	Tennis Competition – 12:00pm to 14:50pm – Kettering Tennis Club
17/05/24	YEARS 1/2/3/4/5/6	Homework is due in

27/05/24 – 31/05/24	ALL YEARS	Half term holiday – the school is closed
03/06/24	ALL YEARS	First day back at school
03/06/24 – 06/06/24	YEARS 5/6	Bikeability – children who have returned a signed consent form - please bring in road-worthy cycles and helmets
04/06/24	YEARS 5/6	Open Cricket – 10:00am to 14:30pm – Burton Latimer Cricket Club – anyone doing the Bikeability course will be unable to attend
05/06/24	YEARS 5/6	Girls Cricket – 10: 00am to 14:30pm – Burton Latimer Cricket Club – anyone doing the Bikeability course will be unable to attend
05/06/24	ALL YEARS	Walk in Wednesday
05/06/24	YEAR 1/2	Space Centre Trip – 10:00-14:00 – National Space Center, Leicester
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11/06/24	YEAR 3	Swimming starts today for Year 3, a letter will follow with details
11/06/24	YEARS 3/4/5/6	KS2 Invasion Festival – 12:30pm to 14:30pm – Montsaye Academy
12/06/24	YEAR 6	Govilon Meeting after school
13/06/24	ALL YEARS	Class photos in the morning
13/06/24	YEAR 5/6	Swimming Gala – 12:00pm to 15:00pm – Kettering Swimming Pool
20/06/24	YEARS 3/4/5/6	KS2 Orienteering – time TBC – Kettering Rugby Club
24/06/24 – 28/06/24	YEAR 6	Govilon residential
26/06/24	YEAR 3/4	Quad Kicks – 09:30am to 11:30am – Kettering Harriers Club
26/06/24	YEAR 5/6	Quad Kicks – 12:30am to 14:30am – Kettering Harriers Club
26/06/24	YEAR 4	PDET Just Sing – Royal & Derngate Northampton – details TBC
02/07/24	EYFS & YEARS 1/2	Sports Day – AM
02/07/24	YEARS 5/6	Sports Day – PM
03/07/24	YEARS 3/4	Sports Day – AM