

Newsletter

Spring 2 Week 1

Week beginning – 19.2.2024

Year 6 Leavers Hoodie

We are co-ordinating the ordering of leavers hoodies once again this year. We will be ordering them from a local company: The Schoolwear Centre in Mansfield who supply our branded uniform. We have secured a flat rate of £16 each for all the hoodies – Adult sizes will incur an extra £2.40 charge which includes VAT.

We have secured a bid from our FSR Parent group who are very kindly covering £11.00 of the cost of the hoodies. Therefore, the cost of our hoodies this year for our Year 6 pupil is only £5.00 each (or £7.40 for adult sizes).

We recognise that this is such a significant milestone in our children's education and we want to help them to celebrate this with a leaver's hoodie.

Please can we receive your order (via the letter sent out) and all payments via Parentmail by **Wednesday 20th March 2024** for us to receive delivery of the hoodies before the end of May.

This will be in time for the Year 6 leavers photographs on 6th June.



World Book Day (Thursday 7th March 2024),

The Reading Forum are inviting the whole school to take part in an exciting and creative competition to promote a love of reading and books. Your child will be given a paper plate that we would like them to decorate as a book character.

Craft resources will be available in the mobile library on Tues and Weds morning 8-8.30am during World Book Day week (5th and 6th March) to create your paper plate character in school.

Paper plates should be returned to class teachers on World Book Day (Thursday 7th March).

The Reading Forum will be awarding prizes to the most creative and imaginative entries from each year group.
Don't forget to come dressed as a word on the day (see previous letter).



All children will also receive a World Book Day book to take home on the 7th March

Book Fair Online and In School

As part of our World Book Day celebrations, Bookworms Book Fair will be in school again from **Monday 4th March to Friday 8th March**. They have an amazing array of beautiful books for all the family. All books are only £2.50 (cash only). Additionally, the more books you buy, the more books we receive as a school (5 books sold = 1 free book for school).

The online sale will also take place from 4th – 10th March. Use the online code to get books for £2.50 with free delivery to school.
Reading Forum have ordered 80 free books from our last 2 book fairs. These will be delivered to school when the book fair returns.
We will share these with you when they arrive.





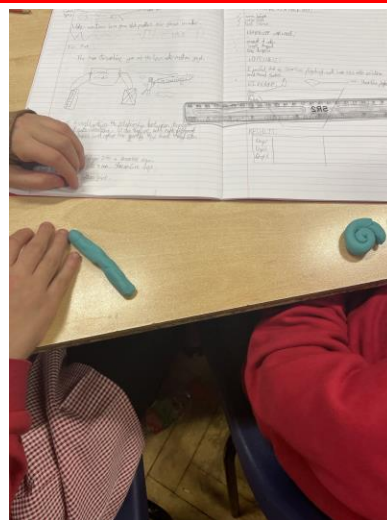
In Nursery, we have been looking at patterns in maths. We created patterns in forest school and in class! I wonder if the children can make any more patterns at home?

Year 1 have been working with Mr Kemp and have painted in the style of David Hockney. They produced an artist study, looked at a variety of his work and learnt that he often painted the same scene at different times of the year. He used the paint brush to stroke and dab and often painted colours on top of what he had already painted to create detail. Year 1 developed their mixing skills and used these to make different shades of brown and green.



Year 3 have started a new vehicle which is all about mining. To give the children an idea of what mining might have been like, we turned our classrooms into mines! The children had a go at working in teams to transport materials through the tunnels and out of the mines. They described the tunnels as being dark, small and cramped and explained that teamwork was important to help them work quicker.

Year 5 have had fun investigating about Water Resistance involving play dough and water. We also looked into Air Resistance making our own Gyrocopters.



Attendance

W/B 19.2.24

Whole School Attendance 95.79%

Year Group with highest attendance	Classes with over 98% attendance	Classes with no unauthorised absences
Year 6 (98.44%)	2LS (98.33%) 3JW (99.2%) 4KC (98.52%) 6HM (99.33%) 6JS (98.33%)	AM Nursery PM Nursery F2JG 1AB 1AS 3JW 4AO 5LB 6HM

Classes with the best attendance:
Foundation Stage: PM Nursery with 96.67%

Key Stage 1: 2LS with 98.33%
Lower Key Stage 2: 3JW with 99.2%
Upper Key Stage 2: 6HM with 99.33%

Our PRIDE of Sutton Road

(Personal Responsibility in Delivering Excellence)

Well done to our **ALWAYS children who take pride in everything they do** and our **MENTIONS children** who were chosen this week

F2JG	F2EK	F2RR
No mentions	No mentions	No mentions
1AS	1NG	1AB
MENTION Anaïs ALWAYS Isaac	MENTION Aleks ALWAYS Ridah	MENTION Eunice ALWAYS Adam
2MD	2KT	2LS
MENTION Frankie ALWAYS Jensen	MENTION Sam ALWAYS Darcie	MENTION Mirra ALWAYS Reeve
3JW	3CM	3MH
MENTION Ethan ALWAYS Aima	MENTION Erin ALWAYS Gabriella	MENTION Kai ALWAYS Andya
4AO	4DB	4KC
MENTION Viktorija ALWAYS Nadia	MENTION Corey ALWAYS Isabella	MENTION Lenna ALWAYS Aneya
5LB	5CC	5CD
MENTION Zachary ALWAYS Tomas	MENTION Ross ALWAYS Antek	MENTION Sophie ALWAYS Madhav
6LN	6HM	6JS
MENTION Alise ALWAYS Logan	MENTION Lily ALWAYS Sharnie	MENTION Olivia-Joy ALWAYS Mara

RED NOSE DAY

On Friday 15th March 2024, Sutton Road Primary School will join thousands of schools up and down the country in coming together to spread joy for Comic Relief, have fun and raise money for those who need it most.

We would like to invite all children to come to school wearing something **RED**.

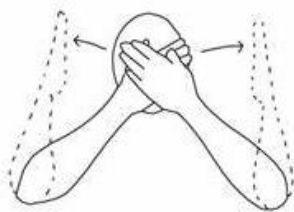
We know there's a lot going on right now and for many people things are really tough, but if you are able to make a donation, every penny will add up to make a life changing difference.

We are asking for donations, via Parentmail that it will all go to the charity.

Key Information



Pancake



Day

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bdaT31UOKKA>

Sign of the Week

Contact us...

Staff are available to talk to briefly, before or after school (but please remember they may need to arrange an alternative time if you need a longer chat).

For non-urgent matters each class teacher also has a class email address that parents can use, these are checked every school day by the teacher.

If you are not sure of your class email, take a look at the school website or follow the QR code opposite ☺



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SWITCH UP

At Switch Up! Community Hub, Barringer Road, Mansfield, NG18 2DF

FREE 3 week course for adults aged 19+

Come and join us to plan, prepare and enjoy nutritious meals followed by a gentle movement class.

Session 1: make and take a healthy breakfast | move

Session 2: meal planning and budgeting | move

Session 3: cook and share an evening meal | move

This course is for people who don't already have a level 2 qualification in maths (GCSE C/4 or above) or are not confident in using maths at this level, aged 19+ and UK resident 3+ years



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Spring Term

4 January - 9 February **5 weeks 2 days**

19 February - 29 March **5 weeks 4 days**

Summer Term

15 April - 24 May **5 weeks 4 days**

3 June - 26 July **8 weeks**

INSET - Thursday 28th March

INSET - Thursday 25th July 2024

INSET - Friday 26th July 2024

Diary Dates

