

Newsletter

Summer 1 Week 2

Week beginning – 22.4.2024

Thank You

Year 5 have managed to raise an amazing £153.45 from our bake sale towards our trip to Leicester Space Centre. We want to say a huge thank you to everybody that donated and tried one of our cakes 😊 ! We sold out in the end.



School Meals

The **new menus** are really looking lovely and we are getting more and more children staying for school lunches – which is amazing!

Remember the deadline for ordering meals for the following week is midnight Wednesday.

Please make sure you order the meal choice for your child, so they get served the correct meal and ensure there are enough meals cooked.

Calling all Year 4 Parents,

Our year 4 children are busy practising their timestables in preparation for their government multiplication Check coming up in June.

Please help them practise as much as possible at home 😊

F2 Reading Breakfast

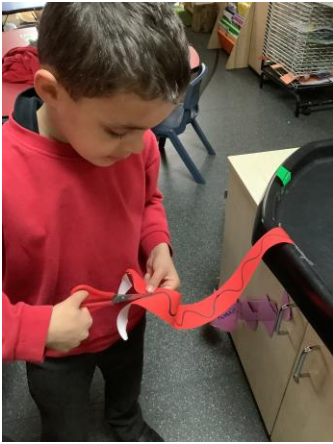
Every Thursday morning from 8am the F2 reading breakfast is held in the small hall. There is a wide range of books for the children to read and share with their grownups. For the children we also offer a cold drink and toast. So come along and join us before school starts, we would love to see you!



School Library

Just a reminder that the school library is open Tuesdays and Wednesdays (in the small hall) from 8-8.30am to all year groups. We have fiction, non fiction and poetry books.





In F2 we have been practicing a variety of finger skills. One task involved using scissors to cut along lines on paper strips. Some of the lines were straight and some were wavy or zigzags. We have also been practicing how to thread cereal onto spaghetti. Why not have a go at home with these activities or come up with your own ideas and share them with your class teacher on ClassDojo.

This week Year 2 visited Brackenhurst Education Centre. First, we walked up to the farm to see the Lincoln Red cows. There were many calves with their mothers and 2M saw a calf being born. We also saw one of the four huge bulls with a ring through their nose.

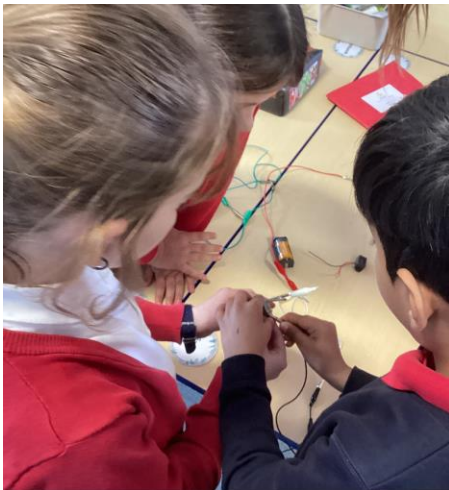
We were ready for our lunch when we got back to the classroom.

In the afternoon we made cheese and apple juice. We brought the apple juice back to school to try it. We made a plant pot from paper and put a bean seed in the bottom and covered it with soil.

We are hoping to plant these in our raised beds on the field.

At the end of the day, we walked up to the veterinary centre where we saw donkey's and goats. Then we went into the stables to see the horses. We were able to have a stroke of one of the horses.

What an amazing day we had, and we have some fantastic photographs to remind us of our time there.



Year 4 have been looking at electricity as part of their Vehicle learning. We investigated making circuits with a bulb, motor or a buzzer. We also looked at adding switches into our circuits so that we could stop and start a motor.

Year 6 have shared their end outcome from our previous vehicle on recycling. We displayed our up-cycled t-shirts and the designs we had created in our sketchbooks. 6JS even modelled their designs and did a catwalk! Thank you to those parents were able to attend and look at our creations.



Attendance

W/B 22.4.24

Whole School Attendance 95.73%

Year Group with highest attendance	Classes with over 98% attendance	Classes with no unauthorised absences
Nursery (98.89%)	PM Nursery (100%) 1AS (98.8%) 4KC (99.63%) 5CD (98.3%) 6HM (98.33%)	PM Nursery 3JW 4DB 6HM

Classes with the best attendance:
Foundation Stage: PM Nursery with 100%

Key Stage 1: 1AS with 98.8%
Lower Key Stage 2: 4KC with 99.63%
Upper Key Stage 2: 6HM with 98.33%

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 Amy ALWAYS Diya	MENTION Cer ALWAYS Arr	MENTION Rn ALWAYS i
2MD	2KT	2LS
MENTION T ALWAYS La	MENTION A ALWAYS S	MENTION Ra ALWAYS R
3JW	3CM	3MH
MENTION Alisa ALWAYS Erin	MENTION Mason ALWAYS Alexis	MENTION Beatrix ALWAYS Amy
4AO	4DB	4KC
MENTION Victorija ALWAYS Eli	MENTION Skye ALWAYS Jacob	MENTION Petros ALWAYS Cayne
5LB	5CC	5CD
MENTION Ffion ALWAYS Zachary	MENTION Shay ALWAYS Lacey	MENTION Alex ALWAYS Kiana
6LN	6HM	6JS
MENTION Gadheer ALWAYS Alfie	MENTION Noah ALWAYS Olivia	MENTION Hannah ALWAYS Mia

Mansfield Parents' and Carers' Group

A network for families of autistic children and young people on roll at Mansfield Schools and Colleges (no diagnosis necessary)



Join Joe Butler, specialist advisory teacher from Nottinghamshire County Council's Communication and Interaction Team, to be part of a supportive local network to discuss and learn from each other about 'all things autism'.

Through a mix of virtual drop-in sessions with opportunities to ask questions, to focused sessions covering the areas that most matter to you, you will find a warm 'neuro-affirming' welcome where autistic differences are celebrated and creative ways to support your child's unique needs are explored.

Choose from a morning or after-school session each half-term to best suit your availability:

1. Virtual drop-in / Q&A session: Tuesday 26th March, 11am - 12 **or** 4 - 5pm
2. Virtual Supporting Change/Transition focus: Tuesday 21st May, 11am - 12 **or** 4 - 5pm
3. In-person &/or virtual social / Q&A: Tuesday 2nd July, 11am - 12 **or** 4 - 5pm (venue tbc)

Please express your interest to your child's school and give permission for them to share your name(s), child or children's age(s), your email address(es), and preferred time with us, and we will send you Microsoft Teams links to each session.

Please feel no pressure to come to all sessions or stay for the whole of a drop-in, but we look forward to meeting with you soon at a time and session that suits you.



Does your little one start primary school (F2) in September 2024?

Come along and meet your new friends, just find your new school below, register your interest by calling us on 01623 644443 or message us on Facebook.

YOU CAN BOOK ONLINE AT
WWW.PLAYMANIAMANSFIELD.CO.UK/BOOK-ONLINE



- SUTTON ROAD PRIMARY – 18TH JUNE 4-6pm
- FLYING HIGH (LADYBROOK) – 19TH JUNE 4-6pm
- WAINWRIGHT – 20TH JUNE 4-6pm
- INTAKE FARM – 24TH JUNE 4-6pm
- ABBEY – 25TH JUNE 4-6pm
- MANSFIELD PRIMARY ACADEMY- 26TH JUNE 4-6pm
- BERRY HILL – 27TH JUNE 4-6pm
- KING EDWARD – 1ST JULY 4-6pm
- CRESCENT – 2ND JULY 4-6pm
- FARMILO – 3TH JULY 4-6pm
- ST EDMUNDS – 4TH JULY 4-6pm
- HEATHERLEY – 8TH JULY 4-6pm
- REGGATE – 9TH JULY 4-6pm
- WYNNDALE – 10TH JULY 4-6pm
- ASQUITH – 11TH JULY 4-6pm



THE OFFER

TWO HOURS PLAY, ANY CHILDS MEAL, MEET NEW SCHOOL FRIENDS, PARENTS, AND TEACHERS (depending on the school's involvement)

MAKE THE TRANSITION EASIER FOR BOTH YOU AND YOUR LITTLE ONE

JUST £7.00 PER CHILD

St George's Day



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

Sign of the Week

Summer Term

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

3 June - 26 July **8 weeks**

INSET - Thursday 25th July 2024

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Diary Dates

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 ☺

