

## HEADTEACHER UPDATE

Well it definitely feels like spring has sprung, lets hope the sunshine continues over the Easter break. It has been a busy term in school with our Valentine Disco, NSPCC Number Day, World Book Day, Year 1 swimming lessons, Muddy Monsters Forest School and the very special arrival of our baby ducklings in nursery! We will all certainly be ready for a rest when the Easter holidays arrive!

*Mrs Allen, Headteacher*

## DATES TO REMEMBER

### April:

Thursday 3rd - Mrs Cruise Class Assembly, 2pm School Hall

Friday 4th - Mrs Scotter Class Assembly, 2pm School Hall

Wednesday 9th - Nursery Easter Bonnet Parade, 10am / 2pm

Thursday 10th - Reception/Year 1/Year 2 Easter Bonnet Parades

Friday 11th - Break up for Easter holiday

Monday 28th - School reopens following Easter holiday

### May:

Monday 5th - Bank holiday, nursery/school closed

Thursday 23rd - Mrs Simpson Class Assembly, 2pm School Hall



### Attendance from 5th September 2024

Target - 96%

<u>Class</u>	<u>Attendance %</u>
Foxes	89.1%
Hedgehogs	94.3%
Rabbits	94.2%
Owls	95%

### Weekly Winners

Please keep an eye out on our ClassDojo School Story, where we will announce our weekly attendance winners every Friday.

# WORLD BOOK DAY



Just a few snaps from World Book Day!!

# Incredible eggs

- ♥ Responsible
- ♥ Experienced
- ♥ Ethical

We had an egg-stra special delivery to nursery last week.... some eggs! We were all wondering what could be inside of them!! We weren't kept in suspense for long and by the end of the day we had two baby DUCKLINGS!

Thank goodness it wasn't dinosaurs!! Two quickly became four and this week they are going to their 'forever home' on an allotment.



## Reporting an absence.



If your child is absent you must contact the school office on 0191 917 1910 before 8.45am and leave a message with your name, your child's full name and the reason for their absence.

As a school, we have a responsibility to follow up absences for all children, including those who attend our nursery provision.



Please do not send any urgent messages via Class Dojo, as the teachers aren't always able to check them throughout the day.



### Social Media

Please remember to follow our school social media pages to keep up to date with all the exciting activities and learning that the children have been taking part in.



## PRE-LOVED UNIFORMS

We have a range of good quality, pre-loved school uniform and coats in our reception area that have been washed and bagged. Please feel free to take anything you need and leave a small donation, if possible. We would welcome any donations of good quality, pre-loved uniform and school book bags.



Safeguarding is everyone's responsibility! If you have any concerns, please don't hesitate to contact school and speak to one of our Designated Safeguarding Leads, Mrs Allen, Miss Lumsden, or Mrs Scott