



Dear Parents, Carers and Friends of the school.

It was great seeing so many of you last week at our Parent/Carer Consultation evening.

Thank you for your positive feedback and the time taken to complete our questionnaire. The results will be shared with you and the Governing Board, as we take any feedback seriously in order to continue to improve our lovely school. If you were not able to attend last week's meeting then please speak to your child's class teacher to arrange a mutually convenient date.

Easter Activities.

Easter will be with us shortly, which means that it will soon be 'Easter Egg' bingo time! This is one of the children's favourite events. Children in Key Stages 1 and 2 will be able to take part in bingo in order to win a variety of Easter eggs. Staff kindly donate all the Easter eggs and proceeds raised will go to fund further play equipment for the children to use at lunchtimes. Further details to follow.

Thank You.

Many thanks for your support with our recent school discos. The children had a fantastic time, dancing, eating pizza and ice lollies!

We raised over £500, which will be used to purchase new books for our new library (which will be built during the summer holidays).

Department for Education Notice

The DfE have recently launched a new helpline to answer questions about coronavirus related to education. Staff, parents and young people can contact the helpline as follows:

- * Phone: 0800 046 8687
- * Email: DfE.coronavirushelpline@education.gov.uk
- * Opening hours: 8am to 6pm (Monday to Friday)

The DfE have confirmed that no school should close in response to a suspected (or confirmed) COVID-19 case unless

advised to do so by Public Health England.

The guidance for helping prevent the spread of infection (of coronavirus and other viruses) includes a strong focus on hygiene.

- Washing hands with soap and water (or hand sanitiser) for 20 seconds at regular points during the day
- If you need to cough or sneeze: **Catch it** with a tissues, **Bin it, Kill it** by washing your hands

To support this we have ordered more tissues and hand sanitizer for use in school.

We are also encouraging the pupils to wash their hands frequently throughout the school day.

If you require any further information, the government have pointed us towards the following in their regular updates:

<https://www.gov.uk/coronavirus>
Guidance for educational settings: <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/guidance-to-educational-settings-about-covid-19>

Please ensure you stay familiar with, and follow, the current advice provided by Public Health England.

School Uniform Orders.

Recently some parents have been asking me about when they can order new uniform for the new academic year.

We have recently collaborated with The Uniform Centre in Morley. This is now the main supplier of school uniform items. Please order through this supplier, as the school office do not accept further orders.

Have a lovely week everyone.

Best wishes,

Mr Edensor
Headteacher

Diary Dates

Tuesday 10th March

Leeds United working at school with Year 5.

Thursday 19th March

Women reflecting on women project in Year 6.

Monday 23rd March

Year 1 phonics meeting for parents.

Tuesday 24th March

Year 6 visit to Eden Camp.
Rock-Steady Concert at 2.30pm for Years 1 and 2 pupils.

Monday 30th March

Year 4 visit to the Yorkshire museum.
'Young Voices' concert at 2.30pm.

Thursday 2nd April

Easter Egg Bingo for key Stage 1 and 2 pupils!

Friday 3rd April

Last day of term. School breaks up today for the Easter holidays.

Monday 6th April

Leeds United Holiday Club held at school for two days. More details to follow.

Monday 20th April

School re-opens today at 8.40am.

Science week throughout school with a visiting scientist. Practical scientific experiments and workshops in all classes.

Tuesday 21st April

School Nursing Team in visiting Foundation Stage 2 pupils.