



What Has Happened This Term?

It may have been a shorter term, but it has certainly been action packed! The children have been busy learning more new skills, building on previous learning and have shown their ever increasing knowledge through the use of Revisit, Remember and Respond (RRR) at the start of each lesson.

We got off to a brilliant start to the term by celebrating World Book Day, children enjoyed sharing books with Y5/6 and Y1/2 in our buddy session. They also spent valuable time our school library where Gangster Granny shared some of the recommended reads and spoke to the children about how the library can be used- lots of excitement about reading. Thank you to everyone who contributed to the 'Masked Reader' videos, everyone, including staff, enjoyed trying to work out who was behind the mask! Maybe the start of a new Scargill tradition...







We also spent the first week preparing for our Talk For Writing unit, which included making our very own woolly mammoths. Would you know how to make a Woolly Mammoth?





A big part of this term has been the singing rehearsals for our Sing2gether event at Derby Cathedral. At the time of writing this letter we are fully prepared and cannot wait to get there to sing our beautiful songs. There will be plenty of happy tears in eyes, so tissues may be needed.



For more Year 3&4 photos please visit the Year 3/4 section on our school website.

Curriculum- What will the children be learning this term?

Year 3: Fractions, time, angles and properties of shapes

Year 4: Decimals, money, time and statistics

English- T4W- How the Stars Fell into the Sky

Science- Living things and their habitats

purple

Computing- Algorithms and programming -Logo

History- Roman Invasion of Britain. We will also be having a visitor in for this subject- information will be shared via parent pay.

PE- Indoor: Netball

Outdoor: Rugby

Earrings MUST be removed for safety reasons. If children come to school with them already removed this is even more helpful to your child. Tape is quite painful to remove!

Skills and Structure: working together, taking different roles within a group, listening and turn taking. Sharing ideas and resilience development.

PSHE- Relationships

Includes sustainable developmental goal: Gender equalities.

French- Feeling unwell, jungle animals

Music- Performing to an audience and using drums (made in art)/clapping to play a beat in one of the songs

And practising for our performance

Religions and Worldviews- When Jesus left, what was the impact of Pentecost?

Club Information

AM sports will contact you directly to share club opportunities on off by them. Tuesday: karaoke club - Year 3 & 4 4:15pm finish with Miss Dexter Please keep a watchful eye out on parent pay for details of a singing club- details released soon.



NUT ALLERGIES

We have children in school who could have an anaphylactic reaction if exposed to peanuts, sesame, nuts or nut traces. Please only send your children to school with packed lunches that do not contain nuts or products containing nut traces. This includes Nutella and other chocolate spreads/products that contain nut traces or MAY contain nut traces.

Thank you

21.4.23 Closing date for Readathon
3.5.25 Coffee morning for parents of children with SEND
5.5.23 Coronation Special day
8.5.23 School closed
17.4.23-19.4.23 Group 1 to Edale
19.4.23- 21.4.23 Group 2 to Edale
23.5.23 Afternoon performance. Details to be shared nearer the time.
24.5.23 Morning performance. Details to be shared nearer the time.

Important Dates

Details of the Roman visitor to be shared once confirmed.

Communication If you would like to speak to your child's class teacher please either email in to the department (see details at the bottom of this newsletter) If you are unsure about anything please do speak to your child's class teacher who will be	Important Reminders Egg entries/ Easter cards need to be sent in on Friday 31 st March ready for judging. Please make sure your child's name and class is somewhere on the card/ egg.
happy to help. When the Edale trip takes place we try really hard to take photos during the day and share these through our twitter feed. Please be aware that we are not always able to get photos out at the time the photos are taken due to technology issues and also our focus on the children. Whilst we try our best to include all children in the photos at some point during their trip, this cannot be guaranteed as we are taking snap shots of the day.	A few parents have asked for information about our Readathon- please visit our website- News- February- Readathon Letter February 2023 for all the information needed. Closing date is Friday 21 st April, so you have a little longer to get those sponsors arranged and sent in. #Read for Good Please remember to write in your child's reading record when they have read to you as it helps us to be able to reward your child with dojo points.
Happy	Easter

Have a wonderful break and try not to eat too many eggs © There are some Easter activities set up on Purple Mash if your child would like to logon during the holiday.

Year 4- don't forget to keep practising making your bed ready for Edale.