

GOLDFIELD INFANTS' AND NURSERY SCHOOL

Spring Term Newsletter



Friday 1st March 2024

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Happy Birthday Ben, Vejas & Theo



Over the next half term, we will be looking at what it means to have good manners and why it is important to have good manners. Speak to your child about ways that they can demonstrate good manners at home and at school. Teaching your child good manners is an important part of their overall development. It would be a miracle if everyone was perfectly mannered all the time but it's only human to make mistakes. So, it's important to use these times as a way to teach your children to use their manners in the best possible way. Raising well-mannered children can be challenging! [Click here](#) for tips at home. Some books that help with manners to share are 'Please say please', 'Perfect Pigs', 'Dude that's rude', 'Are you quite polite' and 'The thingamajig book of manners'.

REMEMBER, REMEMBER.....

5.3.24 & 7.3.24	3.45-7pm	Parent Consultations
7.3.24		World Book Day— Dress up as a book Character
8.3.24		Visiting Speaker to talk to Year 2 about Ramadan Year 1 School Trip
18.3.24-22.3.24		Scholastic Book Fair
21.3.24		World Down Syndrome Day
27.3.24		Easter Bonnet Parade
28.3.24		FROGS Easter Hunt
28.3.24		End of term— early finish Nursery— 11.30 No lunch club Reception, 1 & 2— 1.45pm
18.4.2024		Seasonal Change Day— Year 2
23.4.24		Seasonal Change Day— Year 1
24.4.24		Year 2 Trip—Roald Dahl Museum
6.5.24		Bank Holiday— School Closed
8.5.24		Wellbeing Morning
15.5.24		Sharing Morning
15.5.24		BLP Day
24.5.24		FROGS Disco
12.6.24		FROGS Movies Night

Little Wandle

The phonics scheme that we use at Goldfield is Little Wandle. There is a dedicated webpage for parents with support for phonic videos and resources. Please [click here](#) for more information. Our website explains how we teach [early reading and phonics](#) at Goldfield.

Keeping Our Children Safe

The Hertfordshire Safeguarding Children Partnership (HSCP) has been set up so that all agencies and organisations who work with children and young people work together to keep children safe. Call 0300 123 4043 at anytime if you are a child or young person being abused or mistreated; or if you are an adult worried about a young person. Call 999 if you're in immediate danger or a crime is being committed.

Miss Cooper says



to Rex, Seth, Thomas, Annabelle, Bella, Olivia, Grayson, Lennie, Florry, Georgie, Aoife, Alica, Phoebe, Seth, Max, Eleanor, Hal, Theo, Lillyanna, Arthur, Theo, Olivia & Farrel

On 7th March we will be celebrating World Book Day. We would love your children to dress up as one of their favourite book characters, or if they prefer bring in a prop linked to their favourite book. Inspiration and ideas can be found [here](#). We are setting a challenge for all the children, the Extreme Reading Challenge. This is to find an unusual place or position to read so that they can make reading more exciting. Some ideas could be in a museum, on a trampoline, in the wardrobe etc! Please take a photo and send it into school via google classroom and we will display them around the school

If you receive any of the following your child may be entitled to additional funding at school

- Income Support *Income based
- Jobseekers Allowance
- Income related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- The guaranteed element of State Pension Credit
- Child Tax Credit (as long as you're not also entitled to Working Tax Credit and don't get more than £16,190 a year)
- Working Tax Credit run-on (paid for 4 weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit) Universal Credit (with annual earned income of no more than £7,400 after tax and not including any benefits you get). Please [click here](#) to apply and find out more.