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NEWSLETTER 4 - 14.03.24

Dear Parents/Carers,

UNIFORM

A big thank you to everyone who sends their child in the correct school uniform and to those of you who are using our preloved supplies -good for the pocket and the environment! A polite reminder that now the weather is warmer children should be wearing black school shoes. Black trousers/leggings are not allowed, if you are struggling to buy grey trousers/pinafores then please come and look in the preloved boxes. We also have school shoes.

As we come into the summer months we have lots of preloved summer dresses and shorts. Please come and help yourselves.

NEW BOOK HUT

We now have a new Book Hut on the school playground. The children can choose a different book each week to read at home and return it the following week. Each year group have been allocated a day to choose and change their books -please see below. Please change your books before and after school on your allocated day. We hope that you will enjoy sharing these books with your child.

Monday - Rowan Class Tuesday - Willow Class Wednesday - Oak Class Thursday - Acorns (before school only) Friday - Toddler Group

LION LEARNERS

We were very lucky to have a visit from Lion Learners a couple of weeks ago. We got to meet lots of interesting animals including a cockatiel, a snake and millipedes. The children learnt lots of facts about the different animals and had the opportunity to hold them.

WORLD BOOK DAY

We had a great time celebrating World Book Day last week. We had lots of fantastic outfits and the children enjoyed talking about their favourite book characters.

BABY CHICKS

On Tuesday we had a delivery of 10 eggs. The children have been visiting the incubator and watching and listening as the eggs have started the hatch. We now have 7 chicks and are waiting to see if anymore appear.

SUMMER 1 TERM CLUBS

Please contact the office if you would like your child to take part in any of the clubs below. If your child is already attending a club we will assume they will continue unless you tell us otherwise.

Club	Day	Cost	Times	Open to:	Availability
Art Club	Tuesdays	Free	3:20-4:30 pm	Year 2 (Rowan)	8 spaces
	(starting 16 th April)			Children who have not	
				previously attended Art	
				Club.	
Sports Club	Wednesdays	£3.00	3:20-4:30 pm	All year groups	30 spaces
	(starting 21 st February)			(Oak, Willow and Rowan)	
Premier PE Club	Thursdays	Free	3:20-4:30 pm	Year 1 (Willow)	15 spaces
	(starting 18 th April)				-

DIARY DATES

Thursday 28th March Breakup for Easter Holidays Monday 15th April First day back at school after holidays Monday 6th May Bank Holiday - school closed Friday 24th May Break up for Half Term Holidays Monday 3rd June First day back at school after holidays Wednesday 12th June Oak Class trip to White Post Farm Wednesday 12th June Willow and Rowan Class trip to Cleethorpes Tuesday 2nd July Year 2 visit to Carr Hill Tuesday 9th July Year 2 visit to Carr Hill Friday 12th July Year 2 Majestic Theatre trip

Reminder: we have some preloved school uniform (lots of trousers, skirts etc) and shoes so please ask at Reception. Uniform does not have to have the school logo on or be new!

Mrs Cook Head Teacher