



Reception Newsletter



Spring 2 Term 2019

Welcome back after the half term break. We are looking forward to lots of exciting activities this half term and to sharing our learning with you.

This term as a school we are focusing on the value of **PERSERVERENCE**.

With the help of Friends of Kirk Fenton we have started to put a plan together to improve our outdoor area. Over the next few weeks you may notice some changes.

If you are able to give some time or resources to support this, please contact Friends of Kirk Fenton on:
friendsofkirkfenton@gmail.com

We would like to thank all of the parents who have added to Ruben's fund in order to support us in this doing this and would appreciate any further donations or support in clearing and enhancing this area.

Just a reminder....

Please do not allow your children to use or climb on equipment at the beginning or end of the day. Thank you for working with us to ensure that the children are safe and property is looked after.

Dates for your Diary

World Book week 4th - 8th March

Book Fair 11th - 15th March

Science week 11th - 15th March

Parents Evenings 13th and 14th March

Comic Relief 15th March

Wonderful Women Open Afternoon 28th March

Please check the weekly school newsletter for further information

Book bags

Please remember to bring book bags every day with guided reading book as this ensures that we can then pass the books onto the next child.

Please remember to have a spare set of clothes on your child's peg and to keep restocking this. Please return any school clothes that your child has borrowed.

This half term our topic is **SPACE!**
If you have anything space related please bring to share with us.



In maths we are learning about addition, subtraction, 3D shapes and time

In Phonics we are revisiting all phase 2 and 3 sounds.

Wonderful Women open afternoon

On Thursday 28^h March we will be having an open afternoon for the "wonderful women" in the children's lives. The children would therefore like to invite their mums, grandmas or female family friends to come into school to share their learning with them from 2-3pm. We look forward to seeing you then.

Join our EYFS Community

Volunteering in EYFS

Have you got some time to spare?

You could make a real difference by getting involved.

It is fantastic for the children to have a variety of adults to support their learning. You may like to sit and share a book with a child or have a regular time each week to bake or support with craft activities. You may be able to support the children's exciting learning in the woods, as a one off or on a more regular basis.

If you would like to find out more don't hesitate to talk to a member of the EYFS team.

Early Years Fund



Thank you to the parents who have already donated via Parentpay to Ruben's fund for this term.

You will find Ruben sitting on his table in the cloakroom. Please take time to look through his book to see what he has bought so far!

Car Park Safety

We are noticing an increasing number of children being allowed unsupervised play on the car park at collection time. For all of our children's safety may we remind parents to keep their children on the path, to observe the zebra crossing point and to walk, not cycle, scooter or run around the cars.

Websites

We would like to share some of our favourite EYFS websites with you.

www.ictgames.co.uk

www.topmarks.co.uk

www.phonicsplay.co.uk

For Phonicsplay click on 'Children' and then 'Phase 1' games for Nursery and 'Phase 2' games for Reception.

Full time children should have their PE kit in school all week ready for PE on a Monday afternoon. On occasions, PE will now take place outside. Please ensure that your child has suitable footwear and clothing for this.

Sports Day

This year Sports Day will take place on Friday 15th June.