



Dear Parents,

Another busy week and children are starting to tell us that they are feeling tired already! Please ensure they are getting enough sleep, breakfast and water to drink. If your child doesn't have a water bottle in school, then please would you send them in with one. Thank you.

The new classroom is just about finished...hooray!!! We are waiting for all the final health and safety checks and relevant documents, then we'll be able to move in.

News from Classrooms

Class 1:

As part of our storyland topic we will be making candy cottages from 'Hansel and Gretel'. Please send in any shoe/cereal boxes to class to help the children with their junk models.

Maths next week: we will be measuring using different objects to develop language relating to size, weight and capacity, both indoors and around the school.

Class 2:

This week Class 2 started their topic 'Robin Hood'. The children retold the story using drama; some budding actors for sure! We also visited our Church to identify Christian symbols and learnt lots. We have been learning all about 2D shapes and doing a great job.

Maths: Y2's keep practising 2, 5 and 10 times tables. Y1's – number bonds to 10, as they are not fully secure.

Class 3

This week Class 3 have enjoyed a trip to the Church to consolidate our understanding of our Christian value koinonia. We have also been continuing with multiplication and division, learning to solve missing number problems and writing letters in literacy.

Maths next week: grid method.

Class 4

This week we have been investigating the solubility of various solids in different solvents. We have also been reflecting upon our commitments in life.

Maths next week: percentages.

Reading

We are looking for ways to encourage reading across the school. Please spare a minute to complete our online reading questionnaire by following this web link or scanning the QR code.

<https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/576YR8J>



Clubs

Please can we remind you to complete and return the clubs letter if you wish your child to attend clubs again this term.

Dinner Money

If you pay for dinners half termly, can we please remind you to send in any monies due now, if you haven't already done so. Thank you.

Free Seats to International Professional Tennis Finals

The Leicestershire county tennis association is offering free tickets to the singles finals of the GB PRO SERIES LOUGHBOROUGH on SUNDAY 11th FEB at the recently refurbished Loughborough University indoor tennis centre, LE11 3TU.

Play starts from 11am with the ladies' singles final followed by the men. Spectators may arrive at any time and access tiered courtside seating at change overs. Parking on site is free and a professional catering outlet will be present offering meals, snacks and drinks etc. To secure your free seats please contact Neil Phillips of Tennis Leicestershire on neilwphillips@gmail.com or telephone Neil on 0116 2592361/07447 829700.

Cross Country

The annual cross county events at Hose and Longfield will be coming up this term. Please encourage your child to prepare; we will be doing so in school as well.

Head Lice

As we have again had reports of head lice, can you please check your child's hair and treat appropriately. Thank you.

Letters going home this week:

NSPCC workshops – Y5/6

Change for Life leaflet

Learning and teaching overviews

Yours sincerely,

Mrs J. V. Hopkins
Head teacher

Learning together, having fun
www.redmile.leics.sch.uk