'God did not give us a spirit of fear, but of power and love and self-control' 2 Timothy 1:7

Headteacher's Message

It has been an exciting and successful week for Year 3. On Tuesday, Year 3 had some visitors from the University of Leeds' Earth Sciences department. They completed two activities with them. The first was testing the different force it takes for a volcano to erupt using party poppers! The second was all about earthquakes, for this Year 3 became earthquake engineers and had to build a structure that would withstand an earthquake!

On Wednesday they presented their Collective Worship to the rest of school. Their message of 'selfcontrol' was very clear and supported all those keeping their Lenten promise. We all loved the song they introduced us to - I've already seen the actions being rehearsed and catchy lyrics being sung around school – certainly a new favourite!





Year 4 have been diving into their learning recently for their topic – Under the Ocean! Last Friday afternoon they were dissecting fish, fascinated by the organs and bone skeleton and then on Monday they measured the length of different types of

shark in the playground and compared them to human measurements. Jane Hainsworth, Headteacher

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Parent Consultations take place on Tuesday and Wednesday next week. Please remember these are 10 minute slots which will take place in the hall. You can view your child's learning in the classroom either before or after your appointment.

Prayer

Dear God,

Help us to be self-controlled in our difficulties. Help us to control our actions and words. There are some times that we need your help with self-control but we know that the Holy Spirit inside all of us is there when we need it.

Lord please accept our prayer. *Amen.*

Written by Rosa and Sophia – Year 3





End of Term Bun Sale – Friday 31 March

We are asking <u>Key stage 1</u> parents to bake / buy buns and send them in with your children on the Friday morning. Buns will be sold at 20p during first playtime and also sold after school. More details to follow next week in book bags.



This year our PTA Summer Fayre will be on **Saturday 1st July**. If you would like to be on the Sub team for planning the event please contact Suzannah Lockie *(Mum of Rosie in Year 2)*

Adel Stairway Reward Booklets: Congratulations to the following children who have completed their Bronze booklets



Attendance and Minutes Late Report



Children who attend school every day during March will be entered into a draw with the chance to win a family ticket to Vue Cinema. Good luck and please try and give it 100% this month.

	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Attendance (5th September 2016 – 27th February 2017)	97.91%	98.03%	98.33%	98.14%	97.41%	95.51%	97.60%
Minutes Late (27th February – 3 rd March 2017)	0	0	13	0	0	154	18
Number of children arriving between 9.00 -9.05am.	0	1	0	4	1	10	6

School starts at 8.50am and we expect all children to be on the playground (KS2) or outside the classroom (KS1 & Reception) before this time. Learning starts promptly and by 9.05am children have already spent 15 minutes consolidating or improving that week's learning. Arriving even a few minutes late can mean children are missing valuable minutes of their education. We are now currently monitoring the number of children who arrive between 9.00 and 9.05am in our efforts to improve punctuality.



Last week's On Time Award goes to: Reception, Years 1, 3 and 4



Last week's 100% Attendance goes to: Year 1

Golden Book Tuesday 7 March 2017 – this week's Golden Stars!

Reception Staff Vote	Charlie for fantastic progress in all areas of school. Congratulations Charlie! Ibrahim for his excellent learning when doubling! You showed great effort and independence Ibrahim. Well done.	
Year 1 Staff Vote	To all of Year 1 for being assets to our school when visiting Eureka! Miss Griffin was very proud of you all.	
Year 1 Pupil Vote	Tilly for her fantastic storm art work with some tricky cutting skills.	
Year 2 Staff Vote	Poppy for her improved writing, her perseverance with fractions and her all round brilliant attitude to learning.	
Year 2 Pupil Vote	Evan for helping Carys when she fell in the playground and hurt her arm.	
Year 3 Staff Vote	Jana for becoming more confident and willing to contribute to class discussions.	
Year 3 Pupil Vote	Joshua for making us laugh at playtimes.	
Year 4 Staff Vote	Rohan for amazing writing of a diving dilemma, super skills!	
Year 4 Pupil Vote	Sophia for being a good friend and kind to others.	
Year 5 Staff Vote	Amelia for beautifully detailed diagrams to show her investigation into separation in science.	
Year 5 Pupil Vote	Ellie for helping her partner in ICT and being a kind friend.	
Year 6 Staff Vote	Whole class for great attitudes to their mock SATs.	
Year 6 Pupil Vote	Emily for getting full marks in a maths paper.	

School Meals 2017: School meals are £2.05 per day, £10.25 per week for pupils in Years 3, 4 5 and 6. Parents paying weekly should always send dinner money in each Monday morning. Cheques should be made payable to Leeds City Council. Thank you. Anyone wanting to change from school meals to packed lunch and vice versa, the office requires a half terms notice.

Spring Term 2	Summer Term 1	Summer Term 2	
20 th Feb-31 st March - £61.50	18 th Apr-28 th Apr 2 nd May-26 th May - £57.40	5 th June-26 th July - £77.90	

Dates for the Diary (New Dates added in red)

Tuesday 14 th March 2017	Parent Evening appointments	
Wednesday 15 th March 2017	Parent Evening appointments	
Monday 13 th March	1 st Math Magic Club (KS1 & KS2)	
Friday 17 th March 2017	Whole School Race for Life – Outdoor PE kit is required	
Friday 17 th March 2017	Year 5 Rewind to Easter – South Parade Baptist Church	
Friday 24 th March 2017	Comic Relief Day – Wear something red!	
Wednesday 29 th March 2017	Easter Production – Evening performance 6:30pm	
Thursday 30 th March 2017	Easter Production – Afternoon performance 2pm	
Friday 31 st March 2017	School closes for Easter	
24 th -26 th April 2016	Year 5 Residential – Robin Hood's Bay	
Wednesday 26 th April 2017	Year 2 Class Collective Worship – 9.15am – parents welcome	
Monday 1 st May 2016	May Day Bank Holiday	
Monday 8 th May 2016	Year 6 SAT's Week	
Monday 15 th May 2017	Year 1 Class Collective Worship – 9.15am – parents welcome	
Saturday 1 st July 2017	Summer Fayre	
Sunday 2 nd July 2017	Eccup 10	
Wednesday 19 th July 2017	2017 Reception Class Collective Worship – 9.15am – parents welcome	
Wednesday 26 th July 2017	TRAINING DAY	

Clubs cancelled this week:

Tuesday 14 th March 2017	Disco Club
Wednesday 15 th March 2017	Homework Club