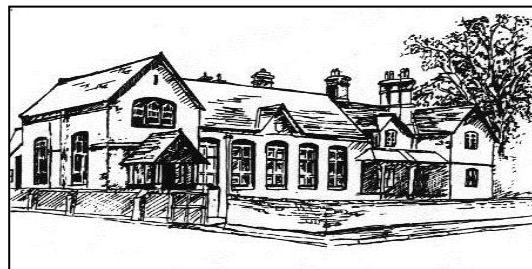


EARDISLEY CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

Giving Children Roots and Wings



Value and British Value
for January

Wisdom
(Love & Humility)

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER 19th JANUARY 2018

Dear Families

Thank you to everyone who was able to come to our Oak SATS meeting earlier this week. It was lovely for Miss Turner to be able to meet some of you and to tell you about all we are doing to support children in their learning this year. We are ordering Revision books for all the children in the class to have so they will be with your child soon. Please do come and talk to Miss Turner or me if you missed this meeting as we will be happy to take you through the presentation, which will be sent out.

On Thursday 25 January the whole school will take part in an E safety day to learn how to keep safe online. The day will be led by Mark Sanderson, who will run a Q in k workshop for parents at 2.30 pm. Do come if you possibly can. It will be invaluable.

Wisdom: Our Value of the Month

We were treated to a beautiful and enchanting assembly from Beech Class this week. Through the medium of dance, they told us the story of Icarus and shared with us the wonderful stories and prayers they had written. The quality of their work and the assembly was really superb. Thank you to all the parents and families who were able to join us for this magical start to the day. If you didn't manage to see it, Mrs Small has a film of the dance that she would love to share with you.

We are organising parent meetings in March – please look out for the letters – but don't feel you have to wait until then if you would like to discuss your child and their progress. We are always happy to meet with you at any time!

With all good wishes

Bridget Knight.

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NOTICES AND INFORMATION

Clubs

Computer Club – there will be no Computer Club on next Monday 22nd January.

Art Club – no Art Club on 31st January

DVDs of Christmas Productions

Can all orders for DVDs please be sent into school by 2nd February at the latest please? No orders can be taken after this time. Thank you.

Team Challenge

Year 6 had a super time at the Team Challenge day on Thursday. The theme for the day this year was 'Young Apprentice' and the children all worked together very well in their teams. Thank you to Lady Hawkins School and staff for organising this day.

Worcester University Students

We have been host to four PGCE students from Worcester University this week. They have thoroughly enjoyed their time with us and we have enjoyed having them.

Attendance for the Christmas Term

Congratulations, Eardisley CE Primary School! Our overall attendance was 96.7%. Let's see if we can beat our score this spring!

Class attendance is as follows:

General guidelines for Attendance:

High above 96% above average 95.1% to 96%

Average 94% to 95% Low below 94%

Eardisley School Attendance	
Autumn 2017	
Whole School	96.7%
Oak Class	96.6%
Beech Class	97.0%
Willow Class	96.9%
Rowan Class	95.9%

Reminder - Parents of pupils in Year R and Year 6 - NHS Height & Weight Measuring – 1st March 2018

You should have received a letter in December via your child's book bag from the NHS concerning the Height and Weight Measuring programme which will take place in school next year. **If you do not wish your child to take part in this exercise, please contact the number on the top of the letter and inform them. If they have not received an opt-out from you, your child will be entered into the programme.** Thank you.

HCA Young Photographer Competition 2018

This year's competition theme is BRAVERY and the competition is open to photographers between 9 and 19 years. The deadline for entries is Friday 16 February 2018. Details on how to enter are at blogs.hca.ac.uk/young-photographer

Bizzie Lizzies Holiday Club

Please see attached some information on a Holiday Club which Bizzie Lizzies are running at half term. It is a new and exciting club for primary school children. Please contact the Nursery for further details and to book a place.

What's happening next week?

Monday	Netball Club Yoga Club	Thursday	E Safety Day 2.30 pm Forest Schools KS1 Street Dance Club Rainbows
Tuesday	Mother & Toddler Group am Football Club	Friday	
Wednesday	Swimming Beech Class Rugby Club Art Club KS1 Dance Club		

DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES	
Thursday 25 th January	E Safety Day – parents welcome at 2.30 pm
Friday 2 nd February	FOES running Kington Community Shop for a week
Thursday 8 th February	Circus Skills Day
Friday 9 th February	Maths Challenge at LHS Year 3/4 to be confirmed FOES Disco at Village Hall
Thursday 15 th February pm	Lucton School Cross Country Event
Friday 16 th February	Break up for half term
Friday 2 nd March	Year 6 Women's World Day of Prayer Service – Eardisley Church 1.30 pm
Tuesday 6 th March	Rags 2 Riches Collection – look out all your old clothes!
Thursday 8 th March	FOES Quiz & Curry Night at Ye Old Tavern, Kington
Week beginning 19 th March	Parent/Teacher meetings – more details will follow



Dates For Your Diary

****February 2018****

Kington & District Community Shop

Foes take over the shop in Kington on Friday 2nd February and man it every day for a week selling bric a brac, clothing, toys, and even furniture. Any unwanted treasures would be greatly appreciated and can be dropped off in the school office for our collection.

Volunteers are still needed for our staff rota so if you can spare just a few hours that week please let us know.

School Disco

On Friday 9th February we are holding a well overdue School Disco. Key stage 1 will be 6pm-7.15pm & Key stage 2 will be 7.30pm-9pm. Anyone who can help set up, clear down or chaperone in the evening, please speak to Kelly Gore. Letters have been sent out with further details.

****March****

Quiz & Curry Night

We are holding a Fun Quiz and Curry night @ Ye Old Tavern in Kington on Thursday 8th March. Tickets will be sold on a first come, first serve basis so don't miss out. Further details will follow soon.

Rags to Riches

Our annual Rags to Riches collection is taking place in March. As always bags will be sent home before hand for you to send in any unwanted items. Spare bags will be available in the school office.

Easter Competition

We will hold a "Decorate an Egg" competition on Thursday 29th March. Children will be invited to pay £1 to enter their creations and a prize will be awarded for the best efforts.

Bizzie Lizzies Holiday Club

Bizzie Lizzies is an outstanding day care provider and are offering a brand new Holiday Club for primary school aged children from 5—10 years.

9am—4pm (optional wrap around hours 8-5.30 available)

£25.00 per day with second sibling discount available at £21 per day.

Spaces are limited so book early to avoid disappointment.

Payment in advance required to secure booking.

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Bring along packed lunch and wet weather gear.

Monday 19 th February	Tuesday 20 th February	Wednesday 21 st February	Thursday 22 nd February	Friday 23 rd February
Art Attack	Mad Scientist	Get Outdoors	Epic Engineering	Spring Watch
Clay, salt dough, junk modelling? You decide! Then It's time to get creative and design your model!	It's time to try your hand at being a mad scientist with a morning of science experiments.	Team up with your friends to build a den in our Forest School site.	Take part in some awesome STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) challenges.	Join us for a muddy walk looking for the signs of Spring. We may even be lucky enough to visit some lambs! Don't forget your wellies!
Famous Artists. We will explore some famous artists work and recreate our own masterpieces.	Make your own Flubber slime to take home.	Help the Nursery children to get their planting area ready for Spring. Paint your own flowerpot and plant a bulb to take home.	Design a paper plate marble maze.	Flower Crafts. Choose from a selection of flower crafts and design some flowers to take home.

As well as the structured activities outlined above, there will also be a range of free play activities on offer. Construction toys, craft materials, puzzles, board games, Hama beads, Cosmic Yoga, outdoor games, parachute games and walks to the park to name a few.