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Spring 1 Newsletter

2024



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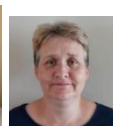
Lucie



Matt



Mimi



Rachel



Jay



Michelle



Natasha

### Welcome

Welcome back 'Lilies'! We hope you had a fantastic Christmas and a very happy new year. It does seem a little earlier than usual, but we are back and ready to dive into our new theme of volunteering and charity work this half term. We look forward to raising awareness and money for some of our local charities.

### This term our focus is...



### Curriculum

This half term pupils will explore the charity and volunteering sector. They will have the opportunity to learn about different local and national charities, their aims and how they achieve this. Classes will have the opportunity to raise money for a chosen charity and will also develop awareness, with opportunities to share this with the wider school community.

Our core studies continue in which pupils discuss and review current affairs, our weekend news and communicating for a purpose. In numeracy we begin to focus on money and the associated skills. This will tie in very nicely with our charity projects and enterprise schemes, allowing pupils to put skills in real life scenarios with growing independence. In PSHE classes we will begin an RSE unit, looking at healthy relationships, a letter will follow with further details.

Our weekly sessions of food and nutrition, forest school and the immersive 4D room continue. Swimming also continues if parent contributions meet our minimum requirement.

### Whole School Diary Dates

11.01.24 – Nick Williams (The Bird Man)

20.02.24 – Lorry simulator at school

W/C 11<sup>th</sup> March – British Science Week

12.03.24 & 13.03.24 – Parents' Evening

W/C 18<sup>th</sup> March – Careers Week

Food and nutrition – Please log into your ParentPay account to make a £7.50 voluntary payment towards the cost of ingredients for food lessons.

### Key Class information

**Monday-** Swimming

**Tuesday-** Cooking sessions

**Wednesday/ Thursday-** Forest school

### Keeping in touch

Please use the home school book to inform us of any important information relating to your child. We will check it every day but please log into Tapestry for your daily class update. Don't forget to add any home experiences to Tapestry as this provides us with a valuable link to home.

Any absence or to notify us of a medical appointment or for general enquiries please email:

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