Friday 24th May 2024

# Safeguarding: Moving for Mental Health

Doing physical exercise is an excellent way to boost children's mental health and wellbeing. The Mental Health Foundation has plenty of ideas to help you move more, even in the smallest of ways. Click <a href="here">here</a> for more information.

# Planet Protectors – 30 Days Wild

30 Days Wild is The Wildlife Trusts' annual challenge event, where everyone involved does one wild thing a day throughout the month of June. For inspiration, please refer to the wild idea cards attached. We will be taking part once we are back in school after half term but if you would like to sign up yourself, click <a href="here">here</a> for more info.

### **Second Hand Uniform Sale**

Please remember to transfer money to the PTA account for any uniform taken from yesterday's stall if you didn't have cash with you. The PTA bank details are: Scotton and Lingerfield PTA, Sort Code: 05-05-45, Account Number: 33830383.

# **Weekly Attendance Figures**

Reception - 91.67%

Class 1 - 95.17%

Class 2 – 92.92%

Class 3 - 93.91%

Well done to Class 1 who achieved the highest attendance this week! The expectation is that schools maintain an attendance level of at least 97%. This is the measure that schools are subject to during both local and national inspections. Figures below that level will be heavily criticized. We appreciate your support with this. It is also a legal requirement for children to attend school regularly. Please ensure that children are in school and on time every day and please avoid term time holidays. We are aware that there are lots of illnesses going around at the moment, please refer to the NHS guidance here when determining whether or not to keep your child off school.

Over 97% 90 – 97% Under 90%

### **DID YOU KNOW?**

Whilst 95% attendance doesn't sound too bad, across a year it means your child would have missed 9 days of school, or 45 lessons. Over 7 years of primary school, 95% attendance each year would add up to 12.5 weeks or 3 months or one whole term of missed school.

# **Diary Dates – Subject to Change**

#### <u>June 2024</u>

Mon 3<sup>rd</sup> – School re-opens / Class Photos / Multiplication check period for Y4 begins

Wed 5th - Class 1 Swimming - 6/9

Fri 7th – Grandparents Afternoon

Mon 10<sup>th</sup> – Phonics screening check period begins / Phunky Foods engagement session for Reception parents (details TBC)

Tues 11th - Dogs Trust visiting all classes

Wed 12th - Class 1 Swimming - 7/9

Fri 14<sup>th</sup> – Walk to School Day / School Council's Non Uniform Day and Cake Stall for Water Aid

Tues 18th – Sports Day (parents invited from 1.15pm)

Wed 19th - Class 1 Swimming - 8/9 / Dodgeball Festival (year groups and timings TBC)

Tues 25<sup>th</sup> – Reserve Sports Day

Wed 26th - Class 1 Swimming - 9/9

Thurs 27th - First Aid Course for all children

### July 2024

Wed 3<sup>rd</sup> – KJS Transition Day / Move Up Day in school

Thurs 4<sup>th</sup> – KJS Transition Day / Move Up Day in school

Wed 10th - Y3-6 Athletics Festival (timings TBC)