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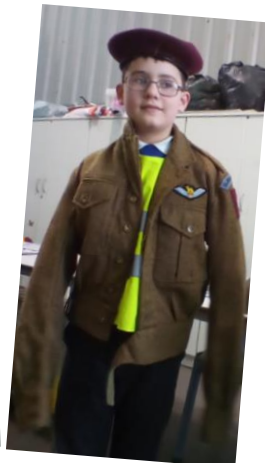
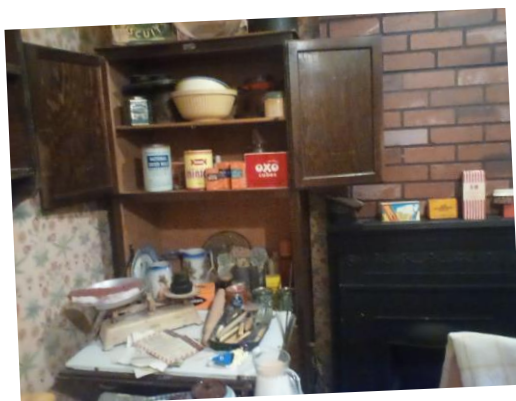
Friday, 9<sup>th</sup> February 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope that this newsletter finds you and your families well. This is the final newsletter before half-term and we look forward to seeing the children when they return to school on Monday 19<sup>th</sup> February.

**Spotlight on the Curriculum: History WW2 – Y6 Visit to the Army Flying Museum**

Last Friday Year 6 enjoyed a fantastic visit to the Army Flying Museum as part of their Second World War Topic. They had a museum tour, an object handling and dressing up session, a propaganda trail and time to explore the 1940s house. I would also like to thank M7 Education for generously sponsoring the whole trip covering the full cost of the museum entry and the coach travel.



### Headteachers' Awards

Today, we celebrated: **Jaxxon** and **Harriet** (Acorn Class); **Achintya** and **Casey** (Y1); **Corey** and **Di'ana** (Y2); **Evie M** and **Lillie-Mae** (Y3); **Alisha**, **Bobby** and **Brooke** (Y4); **All of Year 5!** (Y5); **Evie** and **Conor** (Y6).

Huge congratulations to these children who have displayed **Aspiration** during this week and are role-models for us all.

**Resilience, Community, Kindness** and **Respect** form our other core Values.



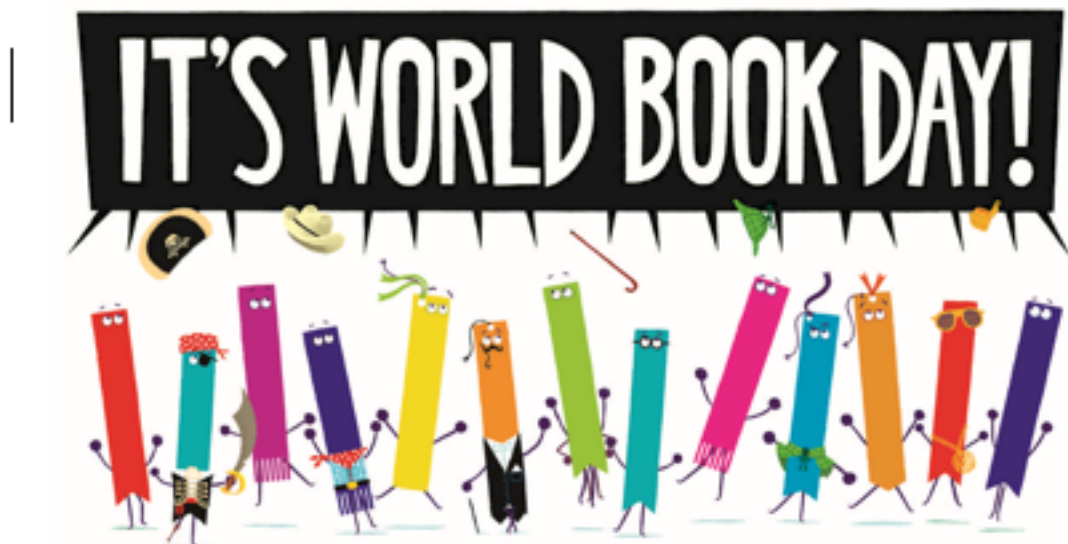
# Book at Bedtime

Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> March 2023

To launch our World Book Day celebrations, Children are invited to join their teachers for a special Book at Bedtime evening on **Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> March**. Children can come back to school in their **pyjamas** to enjoy a selection of favourite stories.

Children should **arrive at School at 4.25pm**, ready for a 4.30pm start.  
Children to be **collected at 5pm**.

The School Hall will be open for parents/carers who would like to wait on site.

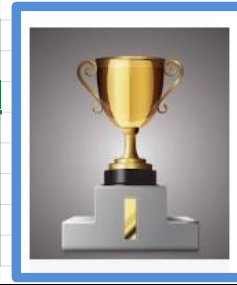


**Don't forget** – children are invited to come into school dressed up as a book character on **Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March**.

There will be prizes for the best costumes!

Today, **Blue Team** won the trophy for achieving the most Team Points and they had an extra playtime this afternoon. Very well done.

Team Points Cup					
Date: 09.02.24					
	Green	Yellow	Red	Blue	
Y1	1	3	2	4	
Y2	2	3	1	4	
Y3	1	3.5	4	3.5	
Y4	2	1	4	3	
Y5	3	1	2	4	
Y6	1	3	4	2	
	10	14.5	17	20.5	



**Class Attendance Cup** – every week we have a competition that celebrates the class with the highest attendance. Congratulations to **Beech Class** who are the winners for the third week running with an attendance of 94.9%.

Attendance Cup		
Date: 29/01/24 - 08/02/24		
	Class	pts
1	Beech	7
2	Willow	6
3	Cedar	5
4	Hazel	4
5	Maple	3
6	Ash	2
7	Acorn	1



Attendance Cup Spring Term League Table		
	Class	pts
1	Beech	21
2	Ash	14
	Hazel	14
4	Cedar	11
	Willow	11
6	Acorn	7
7	Maple	6

### Safeguarding – Online Safety

As part of our commitment to help you keep your child(ren) safe online please look under the Safeguarding tab in our Online Safety section - <https://woodlands.wilts.sch.uk/safeguarding/online-safety/>

Please click here for the latest **Online Safety Newsletter – February 2024** -> [Woodlands Primary School and Oak Tree Nursery.](#)

### Spotlight on the Curriculum – Reading Y3 Book Review

This week's book review comes from Year 3. He has chosen to review the classic text that the children are currently studying. Many thanks to Alex for giving up his time to write this book report.





## Dates for the Diary

<b>Final Day of Term 2</b>	Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> February	Normal Time Finish
<b>Half-Term</b>	Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> Feb – Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> Feb	School Closed
<b>Start of Term 4</b>	Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> February	Gates Open 8.45am
<b>Non-School Uniform Day - £1 donation</b>	Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> February	all day
<b>Book Week</b>	Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> – Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> March	all week
<b>Book at Bedtime</b>	Wednesday 6 <sup>th</sup> March	4.30pm-5.00pm
<b>Book Week Dressing Up Day***</b>	Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> March	all day
<b>Y5 Mini Police Session</b>	Wednesday 6 <sup>th</sup> March	1.20pm-3.00pm
<b>Red Nose Day – wear something red to school</b>	Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> March	all day
<b>Year 6 Residential – Osmington Bay</b>	Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> – Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> March 2024	all day
<b>Y5 Mini Police Session</b>	Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> April	1.20pm-3.00pm
<b>Y5 Mini Police Session</b>	Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup> June	1.20pm-3.00pm

**\*\*\*Please note that at Woodlands we are having our Book Week dressing up day (and assembly) on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March and not on the Thursday because several members of the teaching staff are not in class on the Thursday morning.**

Kind regards,  
*M Kitley*  
**Matthew Kitley**  
Headteacher