



The Wickford C of E School Newsletter



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ATTENDANCE

TARGET: 100%

**WHOLE SCHOOL
ATTENDANCE FOR THIS
WEEK: 98.4%**

CLASS ATTENDANCE:

Kiboko: 97.1%

Tumbili: 100%

Tembo: 97.7%

Mamba: 99.1%

Simba: 100%

Twiga: 96.5%

PADDINGTONS:

Kiboko: Isla-Rose, Olli, Alfie
Bu and Oliver O

Tumbili: Megan, Andre, Alfie
Br and Belle

Tembo: All of Tembo class

Mamba: Thomas C, Ellie,
Ozan and Albie

Simba: Iris, Dev, Matilda
and Ethan

Twiga: Angel, Oscar, Teddy
and Lily

GOLDEN TABLE:

Kiboko: Oliver O

Tumbili: Ronnie S

Tembo: Lilly

Mamba: Ariella

Simba: Evie T

Twiga: Kiamil

Dear Parent/Guardian,

I hope you all had a relaxing week during the half term break. A chilly but great week back!

COLCHESTER ZOO Well done to all Year 1 and 2 children, this trip went very well and the children came back buzzing with excitement. This experience, the discussions and observations will reflect into classroom work.

WORLD BOOK DAY Will be on Friday 9th March. On this day children can dress up as a character of their choice from any text - fiction or non-fiction who represents one of our HEARTS values. There is no charge for coming in dressed up in costume nor is it compulsory, school uniform may be worn instead. However, we do hope that everyone will want to join in to make it a fun occasion.

QUIET TIME WITH FATHER NORBERT A reminder that this will start on Monday 5th March at 2:30pm. It will end in time for you to collect your child from their class. This is aimed at parents who would benefit from a time to be calm, reflective and possibly enjoy some stillness. The Quiet Time group will be held in the library, please come to the office so that you can be signed in.

Little children are welcome but please remember the focus of the group.

LITTLE TEDS PARENTS Sadly, I need to remind parents once again that that Franklin way is the exit once leaving your child in the morning. The school is working by the time you leave and you cannot walk through.

PARENTS EVENING Once again an event that was very supported. These occasions are times for parents to be informed about progress, next steps and how children can be supported at home. Communication is key which is why we have termly events to ensure parents know exactly how their child is performing and how we can work together. It is wonderful to have so many supportive parents.

SHARING ASSEMBLY Friday 2nd March will be sharing for year 1.

There will be no sharing assembly on Friday 9th March.

TOP TECH TIP This is a very useful website that is worth taking a look at.

[E-safety advice for 6-10 year olds | Internet Matters](#)

www.internetmatters.org

Interactive e-safety age guide video and checklist for parents of 6-10 year-olds with advice, hints and tips on how to keep them safe online

MOMENT OF LOVELINESS

Parent lunch for the Foundation Stage families went brilliantly! It was lovely to see so many parents/special family members in attendance, enjoying the food and spending time with little ones. I know it was very well received, full credit to Mrs Boswell, Ms Parker and Mrs Roberts for their hard work in the kitchen.

PAYMENTS All payments coming into the office will now need to be in a sealed envelope with details of the payment and your child's name and class. If change is due this will be returned later. Please remember the FACES and Breakfast/After School club boxes on the office wall can be used for payments.

LOST PROPERTY In the office we have a baby's bangle and a car key for a Hyundai (lost separately). If either are yours please come into the office so we can return them to you.

MILK MONEY If your child has milk, this half term until Easter is £9.28. If you have not paid last half term, please could you pay as soon as possible, that is £9.28 also.

HIRE THE HALL

Need to organise a children's party? Need some space to run an event? If so, please note that the school hall is available for hire. Prices start at £85 for a three hour slot, but we can arrange bookings for shorter or longer periods to suit your needs. Just call into the office and let them know what you are planning. We will try our very best to help.

Have a good weekend.

Mrs Johnson