



Friday 6<sup>th</sup> March 2020

## DATES TO REMEMBER



**09.03.20 Easter Egg Competition Entries**  
**Yrs 3,4,5 & 6**  
**All entries to be in school no later than**  
**27.03.20.**

**Winners will be announced 03.04.20**

- 09.03.20 School Nurse Drop in Session 2pm
- 11.03.20 Years 3 & 5 Swimming
- 11.03.20 Year 1 Parents Phonics Session @ 2.50pm
- 13.02.20 Netherbrook V Bromley Hills Under 10's quarter finals.
- 17.03.20 Class Group Photographs
- 17.03.20 3H Class Assembly @ 9.00am
- 18.03.20 Years 3 & 5 swimming
- 20.03.20 Year 5 Think Tank Visit
- 20.03.20 EYFS Mother's Day Assembly  
 NAM & RMW @ 11.00am  
 30HRS & RH @ 2.15pm  
 NPM Mother's Day Sing-a-long 2.30pm
- 23.03.20 School Nurse Drop in Session 2pm
- 25.03.20 Years 3 & 5 Last Swimming Session
- 26.03.20 Parents Evening 4.00pm-8.30pm
- 03.04.20 EYFS Easter Bonnet Parade - Hall  
 NAM & RMW @ 11.00am  
 30HRS & RH @ 2.30pm
- 03.04.20 Break Up for Easter 3.15pm

### Parents Evening Appointment Slots



Booking your appointment for Parents Evening will be available from

**Monday 9<sup>th</sup> March.**

Please use the School Life App to select an appointment slot to suit your preference.

All appointments should be done via the app.

If you can't make it on that evening please see your child's teacher to arrange another convenient time.

Please contact the school office if you have lost your log in details.

### Attendance Class Heroes.

Here Everyday Ready On Time.

3H & 6J - 100%

Well Done Miss Hockley's & Miss Jervis's Class



Dear Parents and Carers,

Please note that from Monday Parents Evening slots can be filled – these are filled on a first come first served basis. Also our Year 3,4,5,6 Easter Egg Decorating Competition starts on Monday, so it will be great to see what creative genius our children (and their families) can come up with this year!

Next week we will be upgrading our health and safety arrangements in light of the increasing numbers of Coronavirus cases in the UK. From Monday all children will wash their hands at the start of the day, at break time, lunchtime and after sporting activities (and of course after they go to the toilet). This will involve some time management issues for lessons as the washing of hands (especially for younger children) takes time. However, we feel that it is important to take this matter seriously.

To help us with this, it would be ideal if all children can bring in their own hand sanitiser, these can be bought in small bottles and kept in school with the children's teachers. It is much quicker to have a spray of this whilst lining up than it is to use the liquid soap at the limited number of sinks in school. If possible please send your child in to school on Monday with a small hand sanitiser that has a 60% alcohol content (this is the required amount to kill viruses). This should be named to ensure pupils know which is theirs. We will be having a delivery of more of this in the next week, at which point all visitors to school will be asked to sanitise their hands before entering the site.

I would strongly advise parents to avoid holidays to parts of the world listed as category 1 and 2 for this outbreak and if you are in close contact with family members or friends that have travelled recently to these areas then please follow the Public Health Department or NHS advice on their websites such as : <https://www.gov.uk/guidance/coronavirus-covid-19-information-for-the-public>

Thank you for your support in keeping our children and community safe from infection.

Please note that due to unforeseen circumstances 3Hs class assembly has been moved back to Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> March.

On Monday, I will be writing to ask for volunteers for our Sex and Relationships Education (SRE) consultation workshop. This will be held on Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> April at 1.00pm and will finish at 3.00pm. It is vital we have some parental representation, so that your views are taken into account when we write our policy and begin the curriculum teaching in September. If you have a strong opinion and can't make the meeting you can always send us your thoughts to [info@netherbrook.dudley.sch.uk](mailto:info@netherbrook.dudley.sch.uk) and we will refer to these in the session too.

Have a great weekend. ☺

### Students of the Week

Imogen W, Jensen J, Melody B, Faye W, Jacob G, Amsha I, Warren D, Tyler F, Ozine B, Logan C, Charlie S