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Purple Post

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Principal's Message

We want our school to be a place where we are safe: to learn, have fun and work hard. A place where we are kind and mindful of everyone and have positive attitudes for our bright futures.

Happy New Year and Welcome Back! It does seem strange to wish you Happy New Year when we're already at 12th January but as we're at the end of the first week back in 2024 I think it's OK! I do hope that you had a great Christmas and New Year and thank you for making sure that pupils are all smart, ready and excited to come back after the holiday. It's been a settled start to the Spring term with children refreshed and ready to engage in their learning in the new year. Over the next couple of weeks we'll be looking at uniforms to make sure expectations are being met - thanks in advance for supporting us by making sure your child looks smart and ready to learn. As always, we've got lots of fun and exciting opportunities in store for the Spring term - please do check this newsletter and the website frequently to make sure you don't miss anything!
Liz Latham

Dinner Dates

Here are the new dates for booking your child's dinner:

For wk beginning 22.1.24 book by Sun 14th Jan
For wk beginning 29.1.24 book by Sun. 21st Jan
For wk beginning 5. 2. 24 book by Sun 28th Jan
Or book up more in advance!

Class Assembly Dates

Here are the class assembly dates for you to plan ahead! Class assemblies are always on a Tuesday at 2.50pm in the main hall. We look forward to seeing you there!

Kate Wilkinson	16 th January
Onjali Rauf	6 th February
Roald Dahl	5 th March
Benjamin Zephaniah	19 th March
Anna Kemp	16 th April
Radiy Hafiza	7 th May
Oliver Jeffers	21 st May
Rashmi Sirdeshpande	11 th June
Tom Percival	2 nd July



Cake Sale!

Yr 2 are having a cake sale on Thursday 18th January in the Community Room from 3.20pm until they're sold

out! Cakes are being donated in return for a 'dress down day' and sold to raise funds to support their Fire of London experience day in school later this term. Please come along and support by buying a few cakes as a delicious, sweet treat! (Dress down day is for children in Yr 2 only)

Dates for Your Diary

Yr 3 Leicester Museum and Art Gallery	16 th Jan
Yr 2 Dress Down Day	16 th Jan
Y6 pupils work with The Grove	16 th Jan
Cake Sale 3.20pm	18 th Jan
Y2 Fire of London experience EYFS	25 th Jan
Parents reading session	29 th Jan
Bikeability Year 5	5 th Feb
Y6/ F2 Height and Weight check	6 th Feb
Y6 Parents SATs meeting	8 th Feb
Bikeability Year 5	12 th Feb
Yr 1 Beaumanor Hall	14 th Feb

Zig Zag parking

A polite reminder that the zigzag markings outside the school gates mark the area that **should not** be parked in. Please do not park here as it's dangerous for your children.

Uniform checks

Thank you very much to everyone who makes sure our uniform policy is followed. We are very proud of how smart our pupils look both in class and for PE. We will be spot-checking for correct uniform in the next couple of weeks.