



Speen C of E School

Monday Newsletter - 10 March 2025

Star of the Week:

Reception: Zayne
KS1: Wilfred

Lunchtime Manners trophy: Cole

Headteacher's Award: Ava

Well done to those children!

Housekeeping:

Book Week celebrations: We hope all children enjoyed our Book Week celebrations last week and that they are enjoyed taking part in the Sponsored Read.

Many thanks to the children who have already brought in their Sponsor forms, the deadline is Friday 14th March.

KS1 Trip to Maidenhead Synagogue: The deadline for permission slips and contributions towards the trip was last Friday, and we followed it up with an email to a number of Parents who had not yet responded. Unfortunately, we do not have enough contributions for the trip to go ahead. For those Parents who have not yet filled in their forms or given permission along with their contribution, please contact the School office as soon as possible so we can support you. We will decide tomorrow and confirm with you by email whether or not the trip will go ahead. Thank you.

Medicines given at home: Please can you let us know when your child has any sort of medicine at home so we can record it. Thank you.

Personal Possessions at School: We are having increasing numbers of children bringing toys and games into school. We have reminded them to leave things at home as when they get lost or damaged the children get very upset. Please reinforce this with your child.

From the Children:

Year 2 represented our school in the cross-country tournament last week. Thank you to the runners and the best supporters in the world!



Social Media

Do follow Speen School and Little Apples on Facebook and Instagram:

<https://www.instagram.com/speencofeschool/>

<https://m.facebook.com/SpeenSchool>

Tapestry/DoJo

You should be getting alerts when a member of staff posts something using our communication to Parents programs. Please do 'like' it or add a comment as staff appreciate it when you have shared in your child's learning in this way.

Weekly learning

Reception:

Please remember to keep reading books and yellow record books in your child's bookbag each day (after they have been read). Thank you.

At the end of each week we are uploading information to the School Website for the following week's learning and subsequent homework activities. We have included links to these pages to make it easy to access for you:

<https://www.speenschool.com/bramley-class>

<https://www.speenschool.com/pippins-class>

Parents can also find information on how to help children at home in the parent section of the website:

Reception link:

<https://www.speenschool.com/page/?title=How+to+Help+at+Home&pid=42>

KS1 link:

<https://www.speenschool.com/page/?title=How+to+Help+at+Home&pid=42>

Library Days – please remember to send in your child's book to replace:

Thursdays: KS1

Fridays: Reception

After School KS1 Clubs:

Mondays – Dance Club – Ends: Monday 31st March 2025

French Club – returns: End date to be advised

Thursdays – Sports Club – Ends 03 April 2025

Diary Dates:

(for Diary dates set for this academic year, please see the calendar link)

<https://www.speenschool.com/calendar/?calid=1&pid=5&viewid=1>

These dates are not set in stone as they sometimes get changed for reasons beyond our control, so it is very important that you read this reminder letter very carefully and make a note of any dates / date changes.

PTA Dates for your diary

Bake Sale – A huge thank you to everyone who baked and donated to the Bake Sale on Friday. There were lots of delicious cakes, we hope everyone enjoyed them.

Safari Supper 22rd March –Less than two weeks to go to Safari Supper. We are really looking forward to seeing lots of you there.

As part of this event we offer desserts from the school hall. We still need 3-4bakers to help with this. Please contact Fleur Ridley if you are happy to bake for this event.

Easter Bonnet competition – Get the creative juices flowing. This year as part of our Easter celebrations we will be holding an Easter Bonnet competition. Wear / bring your creation along to the school disco on the 4th April. There will be prizes for the best bonnets.

Mental Health First Aider:

We now have a trained member of staff in this qualification. Should you feel the need for any support please do not hesitate to get in touch via the School office. All enquiries will be treated confidentially. This note will stay in Monday Reminders weekly.

We hope you find this Monday Newsletter email useful, and if you need to know anything at all or would like clarification about the above, please do not hesitate to contact me. I work in the office every day: Monday/Fridays – an earlier finish of 1:30pm but the rest of the week is a 3:00pm finish. If you have emailed something that is urgent for the same day, and I have not replied, please give the school office a ring 01494 488321, Mrs Robyn Moore.