



Week beginning 4th March

Monday 4th March

Clubs: netball, forest school

Tuesday 5th March

- **Swimming Year 5**

Clubs: outdoor activities, art, football

Wednesday 6th March

Thursday 7th March

- **WORLD BOOK DAY**
- **Swimming Year 3**
- **Family learning 1.15pm**

Clubs: cricket

Friday 8th March

Clubs: gardening

Spring Term Events

Can you believe there are only 3 weeks until school breaks up for Easter! Although it is a very short term, it is a busy one.

Thursday 7th March – World Book Day. See information in this newsletter.

11th – 13th March Condovery trip – Year 4. A text was sent on Friday 1st March to all “Contact 1” from families whose children are booked to go. Please tell your child’s class teacher if you did not get this text.

Tuesday 12th March – Reception trip to Envirosort

Monday 18th March Year 1 trip to Birdland

Thursday 21st March – Easter bonnet and egg competitions. More information next week

Week beginning 18th March – parents meetings Days/times to be confirmed this week.



**SCHOOL
VALUES**

**PROUD
TO BE ME**

**ENJOY
LEARNING**

**ACHIEVE
SUCCESS**

**RESPECT FOR THE
WORLD**



Keeping Children Safe

Safeguarding and Family Support

Designated Safeguarding

Lead: Mrs S Ricketts

Deputy Safeguarding Leads:

Mrs A Donnelly

Mr D Davies

Mrs R Hussain

Pastoral/ behaviour leads:

Mr D Davies and Mr M Harrold

Special Educational Needs:

Mrs E Davis-Lloyd (SENDCO)

Mrs L Montgomery (Inclusion lead)

If you have a concern about a child or wish to speak about any worries, please see one of our team. They can signpost families to additional support, if it is required.

Anyone can make a referral to Children's services.

[Children's Social Care](#)

[Worcestershire County Council](#)

In an emergency, always ring 999.

Keeping Children Safe Online

It is everyone's responsibility to ensure children are safe in day to-day life and online. Please check your child's online activity,

- Check game age advisory notices
- Limit children's time spent online
- Set filters so that inappropriate material is blocked
- Keep phones, tablets etc out of bedrooms

Attendance update

	Week beginning 19 th February	This term	This year
Reception	88.2	91.1	92.47
Year 1	85.8	91	91.22
Year 2	93.9	93.3	92.2
Year 3	91.3	92.5	93.2
Year 4	87	91.5	91
Year 5	94.4	93.3	94
Year 6	92.9	91.9	94.2

As you will see above, school attendance has been extremely poor this week. There are some nasty illnesses around which mean children can't come to school. Remember if you are not sure if your child is too ill for school there is help on this website:

[Is my child too ill for school? - NHS \(www.nhs.uk\)](http://www.nhs.uk)

Remember to look out for the signs of measles. We have not had any cases at school that we are aware of but children in Worcestershire have been ill with it.

General signs are cold like symptoms; spots in the mouth; rash. If you are in any doubt, please contact your GP.

World Book Day

Thursday 7th March is World Book Day. As always, we will be celebrating 'all things books' with a number of special activities for children that day.

Hopefully your child brought home a flyer this week to explain about our invitation for children to dress up.

The year we would like to invite children to wear their pyjamas to school for "Bedtime Story Day." Dressing gowns, onesies, teddies are all encouraged. However, if you have already purchased or made a book related costume for your child, then of course they can wear that.



Sharing stories with children is so important at any time of day but to help children relax at the end of the day, before going to sleep is perfect.

Remember, dressing up is OPTIONAL. Any child who would prefer to wear their school uniform that day is also welcome!

Website: Hollymountschool.org

Hollymountschool 

