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Dear parents and carers,

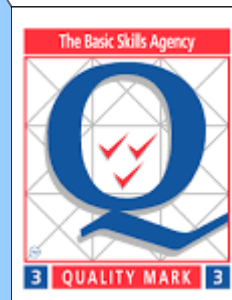


Christmas Theatre Trips.

Both key stages have their theatre trips booked in now, (details over-leaf).

ParentPay has been set up for you to make your payments. Please also log on to give your consent. The costings of the trips are calculated by the ticket price and the cost of transport. As a very small school, we do find the transport cost disproportionately high, and try to minimise this with smaller coaches.

The trips are intended to enhance your children's learning and enjoyment.



House points

Rabbits 48

Dogs 25

Guinea Pigs 45

Cats 50

Lighthorne Heath Heroes!

Congratulations to all of this week's
Lighthorne Heath Heroes! And our Smiler !
Thursday 14th November 2019





Lighthorne Heath Primary School Newsletter

Diary Dates

Friday 15th INSET day– Talk for Reading Training. Children not in school.

Thursday 21st November—Fire Service Visit –R ,Y1 &Y5

Friday 22nd November—Wear your PJ's to school day/ read with your child/Story Time after school.

Thursday 28th November- School Bingo after School

Tuesday 10th December– Nativity Performance at 2.00

Thursday 12th December—Christmas Fair

Friday 13th December– 'Save the Children' fundraiser, Christmas Jumper Day

Friday 13th December– KS1/R/N– Theatre Visit

Wednesday 18th December—School Xmas Lunch

Thursday 19th December—Class Sharing Afternoons

Friday 20th December– Break up for Christmas holidays

Monday 6th January 2019– Return to school for the Spring Term.

Monday 13th January–Mad Science Assembly

Wednesday 28th January– KS2—'Boy in a Dress' Theatre Visit.

THINK WHO'S
LOOKING

GOOD HABITS KIDS PICK UP FROM PARENTS

- P** Park away from school gates
- A** Always hold hands with young children
- R** Remember - your child will copy you
- E** Every road means STOP LOOK LISTEN
- N** Never get children out of a car roadside
- T** Think safer places to cross the road
- S** Secure your child's car seat correctly



**Kids learn from watching grown up's.
Making our roads safe is everyone's responsibility.**

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County Council



Christmas Dinner - 18th December 2019

Christmas dinner this year is on 18th December! Children in years Reception, 1 and 2 will receive this free of charge. If you would like your child to receive a Christmas Dinner on Wednesday 18th December please log in to your parent pay account by Monday 25 November and give consent under the KS1 Christmas Dinner item in order to book your child's meal.

If you would like your child in Year 3,4,5 and 6 to receive a Christmas Dinner on Wednesday 18th December (at a cost of £2.20) please log in to your parent pay account by Monday 25 November and make payment under the KS2 Christmas Dinner payment item in order to book your child's meal.

For those children in KS2 who are entitled to a free school meal, we will automatically book your child a meal. Please contact the school office by Monday 25 November if you **DO NOT** want your child to have a Christmas meal.

Children in Nursery are invited to join us for Christmas dinner and can pay £2.20 for this on ParentPay. Children will need to be picked up at the later time of 12.30 on this day.

Please note that we cannot accept any meal requests after Monday 25 November as the school kitchen cannot place any late food orders.

If your child normally has a school dinner every day, we will not automatically assume that they will be having a Christmas dinner on 18th December and consent/payment for this meal **MUST** be made separately to the appropriate payment item in Parent Pay.

If your child is poorly on the day of the meal, unfortunately we cannot offer a refund as the food will already have been ordered.

Our Christmas dinner always proves to be a popular event and even if your child does not want a Christmas meal, we provide crackers and Christmas music for everyone!

ATTENDANCE MATTERS

every school day counts.

Well done to Vulcan Class who had
the highest attendance at school
last week with 88%

Reception– 85%

Year 1/2/3- 88%

Year 4/5/6– 79%

Whole school attendance– 84%

The minimum acceptable attendance, as
stipulated by Warwickshire Local Authority,
is 95%.

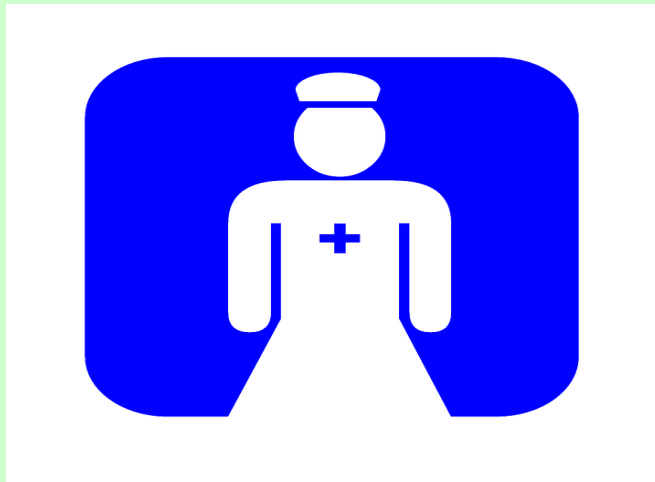
Low attendance results in poorer educational
progress and attainment.

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RIGHTS
RESPECTING
SCHOOLS

UN Convention on the Rights of the Child:
Article 3 (Best Interests of the Child.)



Many children have been unwell this last couple of weeks, with some in hospital. If your child is poorly and needs to be kept off school, please let us know by telephone call to the office on the first day of illness, and each day of illness thereafter. Keep us informed as to when they are likely to return.

If your child needs to attend a medical appointment, please could you provide us with written evidence so that we can update our records.

We are unable to administer any medications, unless your child needs to complete 4 doses a day of prescribed antibiotics, in which case we need to see the dosage instructions.

We administer inhalers to children in accordance with parent's instructions. We do regular reviews to ensure that medications are kept up to date .

If additional steps need to be taken to re-integrate your child after a prolonged absence, please let us know so the we can set up a care plan accordingly.

Our Medicines Policy is available for inspection on our website.



Royal Mail has a free service that
will send your child a personalised
response from Santa.

Send your letters to:
Santa's Grotto
Reindeerland
XM4 5HQ

Before the 8th of December!



Dear Santa,



www.MidgetMamma.com

ECO WEEK—FASHION SHOW



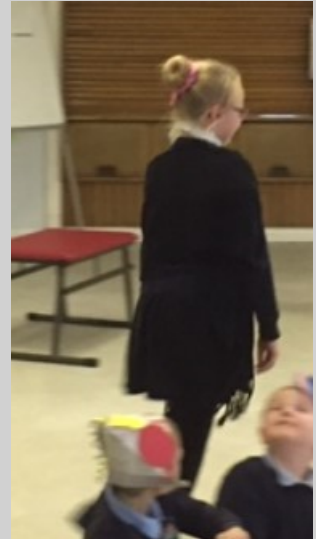
The children really enjoyed planning a fashion show using various re-cycled items from around the school.

They were able to explore their creative sides and to use their imaginations in a fun and engaging way.

It was lovely to see the confidence with which they displayed their work, and the results were fabulous !

Strike a pose.....





Father Christmas



On Friday 13th December we will be taking children in Reception, Year One and Year Two to Warwick Arts Centre to watch a performance of "Father Christmas" by Raymond Briggs. Please see the letter sent home in book bags for more information.

Join Santa as he awakes from a dream of sun, sea and sand only to find it is the busiest day of the year, Christmas Eve.

Watch as he prepares his Christmas deliveries, feeds his reindeer and finally takes flight into the snowy night.

This heart-warming adaptation is full of merry touches with plenty of live music, songs and playful puppetry. It's a perfect introduction to theatre for young children who won't be able to look away as secret doors and hidden hatches are revealed in this beautifully visual show.

"Magnificent" ★★★★★ The Observer

"Magical" ★★★★★ The Upcoming

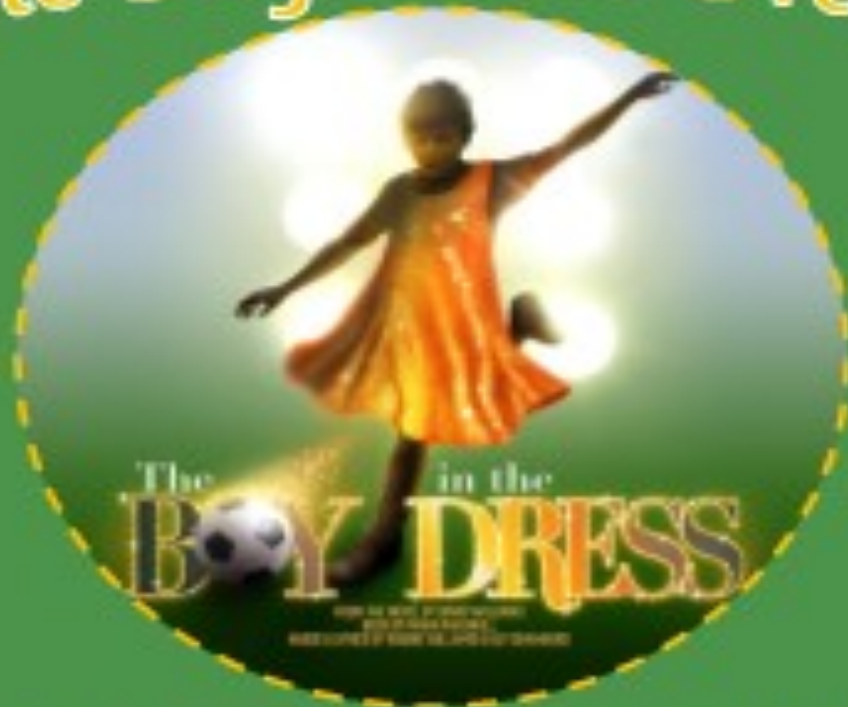
YR/1/2 Christmas Theatre Trip

UN Convention on the Rights of the Child

Article 31: Leisure, Play and Culture



The Boy in the Dress



On Wednesday 27th January, we will be taking children in years 5/4/3/6 to The Royal Shakespeare Theatre to see a production of David Walliams', "The Boy in the Dress."

Please see the letter sent home in book bag for more information.

Dennis is 10 years old and his school football team's star striker. But when Mum leaves home, life is tough. The only reminder Dennis has of Mum is a photo of her in a beautiful yellow dress. A dress rather like the one on the cover of *Vogue* on sale at *Next* newsgazette. And also a bit like the one that Liam James, the coolest girl in the school, is sketching in her note book. What do you do if you like both football and dresses? And what will Mr Havers, the headmaster, do when he discovers that his strict uniform code has been broken by a boy in a dress?

David Walliams' heart-warming comedy is brought to the stage for the first time in a musical with all new songs from Robbie Williams and Guy Chambers, script by former RSC playwright in residence Mark Ravenhill and in a production for all the family directed by RSC Artistic Director Gregory Doran.

KS2 Theatre Trip



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