



# **Old Oak Primary School Newsletter 6<sup>th</sup> March 2020**

# Keeping everyone healthy!

We continue to follow the guidelines for **Covid 19** (Coronavirus) from the government. At the moment this remains similar to last week but we will inform you as soon as anything changes. The latest advice is below is taken from the Department for Education action plan:

"Personal hygiene is the most important way we can tackle COVID-19, especially washing hands more; and the catch it, bin it, kill it strategy for those with coughs and sneezes – also help in delaying the peak of the infection.

The action plan is a framework that outlines the types of options open to government in each of these four phases. But this document is only a list of the types of measures we could consider – not those we are planning to implement.

Current advice remains in place: No school should close in response to a suspected (or confirmed) COVID-19 case unless advised to do so by Public Health England."

We are speaking with the children about handwashing and looking to provide hand sanitiser, which is proving very difficult to find.

## **Attendance and Punctuality**

#### 02/03/2020 to 06/03/2020

Group	Authorised Absences	Unauthorised Absences	% Attend	Late Marks
R Peach	1.9	0.0	98.1	11
1 Hazel	3.3	0.0	96.7	11
1/2 Rowan	3.0	0.9	96.1	9
2 Maple	1.0	0.0	99.0	1
3 Laurel	3.3	0.8	95.8	5
3/4 Magnolia	4.6	0.0	95.4	15
4 Sycamore	2.9	0.0	97.1	4
5 Willow	2.1	0.0	97.9	7
5/6 Plum	9.0	0.0	91.0	4
6 Hawthorn	2.5	0.7	96.8	3
Totals	3.5	0.2	96.3	70

#### **Punctuality:**

EY/KS1: Maple class only had 1 late marks this week KS2: Hawthorn class had 3 late marks this week

Attendance:

EYS/KS1: Maple class with 99.0 KS2: Willow Class Had 97.9 and Sycamore class had 97.1

### Mother's Day Lunch

Our Mother's Day lunch will take place on Wednesday, 18<sup>th</sup> March. Please register for this by Tuesday morning, 10<sup>th</sup> March. The cost is £4.50 and any profit will be donated to school for new books for the library. Please go to Jenny or Carina on the front desk for more information or to pay. Nursery will hold their Mother's Day event on Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> and Peach class on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> March. Look out for more information on these from Early Years.

## **Parent Evenings**

These will take place on Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> March from 1.30pm as usual. Nursery will hold their meetings on the 25<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> March, and again look out for details from the nursery. You can sign up for these from next Tuesday morning.

## WORLD BOOK DAY

Thank you for the wonderful constumes and it was great to see so many of you come into the school in the morning with your child. Thanks also to Bubble and Squeak for the food, Miss Morley and Miss Hepworth for organising and to Annette and Sue who made the toast and bagels for everyone!

## Pictures of the Week- World Book Day!







Have a good weekend. Mr. Brown

### **BAGELS IN THE MORNINGS**

Due to delivery problems with our partner, Magic Breakfast, we were unable to provide bagels earlier this week.

We hope to have bagels next week in the key stage 1 playrground from 8.40am.

## **MEDICINES FROM HOME**

Can we remind all parents to complete a form to allow the school to give any prescribed medicine to children. This form is your permission for us to do this and means we can keep your child safe. The forms are available at front reception. Please do not send in your child with medicine in their bag. We will have to phone you to ask you to complete the form. Many thanks.

#### **DATES FOR THE DIARY**

Monday, 9<sup>th</sup> March – Maple class to visit the library Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> March – School Council visit John Betts House Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> March – last day to apply for the Mother's Day lunch Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> March – Hawthorn class visit to the library Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March – Willow class visit the library Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> March – Mother's Day lunch Music, PE, Gymnastics and multisports continues throughout the school as usual