



## January 2022

Dear Parents

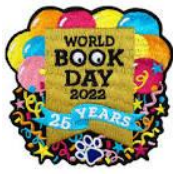


Firstly I would like to say a huge thank you for your continued support and understanding with regard to our recent closure due to COVID. The staff were touched by your well wishes for a speedy recovery.

The children have had a busy time since their return back from the Christmas Holidays. There has been lots of enthusiasm and excitement working together to create a pirate ship, making muddy footprints and using tubes at different heights to make their cars go fast. Through these activities the children have learned new communication and language skills by listening attentively and responding to what they have heard, the ability to ask relevant questions and comment and clarify their understanding of the job in hand.



### Coming up events



**Book Week** – World Book day is coming up after half term, Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2022. During the week of World Book day (Monday 28<sup>th</sup> February – Friday 4<sup>th</sup> March) the children will be having even more opportunity to explore new books which will provide new experiences in building greater vocabulary, improving communication with others and develop a lifetime love of books.

### Comic Relief – Friday 18<sup>th</sup> March

This year we have decided that instead of asking for money we would like it if you could donate some food for the Salvation Army Food bank. At Christmas this was such a great success and we were able to donate lots of food for a great cause. Therefore we would like it if you could donate things like - cereal, tinned soup, pasta, rice, tinned tomatoes/ pasta sauce, lentils, beans and pulses, tinned meat or tinned vegetables.



The children will be able to dress in anything red or something silly, 'like wearing pants on your head!!'

### Termly Reminders

**Clothes** – Please may I remind you to make sure that clothes are **named** in order to prevent loss and confusion, as we have a few children with the same items of clothing. Please may I make a plea that if your child comes home with spare clothes from Nursery that they are returned. We currently have no trousers, please can you send these back as soon as possible.

**Voluntary Contribution** – Thank to those who have already sent in the termly donation of £5. Don't forget you can pay this via School Money. The donations go towards things like cooking and a wide range of malleable resources.



**Fruit** – please bring a piece of fruit for the fruit bowl a couple of times a week. This is shared with the children at snack time.

### Nursery Places

Please let family, friends and neighbours know we still have a few places available in our Nursery, plus it is not too early to register for September 2023.

Chertsey Nursery School has vacancies for 2, 3 and 4 year olds. For further information please call 01932 562225 or email us on [info@chertsey.surrey.sch.uk](mailto:info@chertsey.surrey.sch.uk) to receive our virtual tour.

## **Dates for your diary**

**Monday 14<sup>th</sup> February to Friday 18<sup>th</sup> February** – ½ term, Nursery closed

**Monday 28<sup>th</sup> February – 4<sup>th</sup> March** – Book Week (More information to follow)

**Friday 18<sup>th</sup> March** – Comic Relief

**Monday 4<sup>th</sup> April to Monday 18<sup>th</sup> April** – Nursery closed for Easter holidays

**Monday 30<sup>th</sup> May to Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> June** – ½ term, Nursery closed

**Friday 24<sup>th</sup> June** – INSET DAY Nursery Closed

**Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> July** – INSET DAY Nursery Closed

\* New Dates added

*(Dates are correct at time of publishing; they may be subject to change)*



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