

# WARK C OF E PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWS



Friday 10th February 2023

## **'Growing well' - Matthew 13: 31-32**



### **Safeguarding**

Road and safety awareness is essential in our area. Please can you make sure that your children are not playing in and around the tree adjacent to the carpark immediately after school. It creates danger and risk for your child as visitors and staff are trying to manoeuvre.

### **Class 2 trip to the discovery museum**

Class 2 are visiting the discovery museum on Thursday, 2nd March. We are moving World book day to Wednesday 1st March.

### **Messy Church**

Classes 3 & 4 will be taking part in Messy church on Thursday 16th February. Classes 1 & 2 will be taking part on the 23rd March.

### **Slippers**

At half term, we are having a new carpet laid throughout the corridors. The school council have asked if we can have a 'no outdoor shoe'

policy in school to keep it clean and hygienic. I have agreed to a trial period following the holiday. More information to follow.

### **Free fundraising**

Please could you use Easy fundraising to raise funds for Wark Primary School when ordering any shopping online. School receives a small percentage of each purchase. I have just added the reminder extension to my browser which prompts whenever I visit a site that gives funding.

### **Gymnastics Competition**

A huge well done to years 3 and 4 who took part in our partnership gymnastics competition. They finished joint 1st as a team, with Francesca in year 4 achieving the highest score of the morning. Amazing effort.

### **Reading Giraffe**

On Wednesday 1st March Lauren from the reading giraffe will be in school with a selection of books for children to buy. All books are £3 each. Children can bring money in on the day to purchase or it can be put on comms. This was a great success last year. Parents are welcome to pop in at the end of the day if they would like to choose with their child/ren.

### **World book day**

This year for World Book Day we would like the children to dress up with a non fiction focus so children can come as someone from a non fiction book.

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## **British Ecological Society Celebration Event**

We are very excited to announce that we have been invited to the British Ecological Society project celebration event on 14th March from 4 - 6pm. The event and awards ceremony will recognise and celebrate all the childrens fantastic achievements during the project. Thank you to the parents who have already agreed to take pupils to this.

## **Let's Get Cooking**

This Half-term children will be making different meals from the Jamie Oliver £1 meals.

Year 3+4 - 17th Feb

## **Young Enterprise**

Children in Y5 and 6 have started a project to build a business in order to raise funds for their residential trip to London this year. They were given £1 each and have already raised an incredible £220. There has been baking, sweet stalls, hand-made bookmarks and bird feeders. I am so impressed with their efforts so far!

## **Comic relief**

Red noses - we have 14 red noses left. If anybody would like one, then please fill in the google form that was sent on Thursday.

## **Second-Hand Uniform**

Please don't forget to send any uniform that is too small to add to our second-hand uniform store. Will place items out in the coming weeks.

## **Academy Consultation**

Thank you for the responses so far. Just a reminder that we will be hosting a parent meeting at 3.30 pm on Tuesday 14th February.

## **Future Dates**

**16th February - Messy Church**

**17th February - Break up for half term**

**27th February - Teacher's training day**

**1st March - World book day/Reading giraffe**

**2nd March - Class 2 Discovery Museum**

**17th March - Red Nose Day**

**31st March - Easter holidays**