



## Springfield Primary School

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Dear Parents

I have been into all classrooms this week, to have a look at children's learning and the progress they are making. Every class was a pleasure to be in due to the hard work of the children and the fantastic support provided by our staff. I have had some excellent conversations with children who have amazed me with their learning and knowledge.

### Star of the week

**Congratulations to our Stars of the Week:**

**Reception – Anemutsa Year 1 – Ziara Year 2 – Suhail Year 3 – Daisy Year 4 – Keven Year 5 – Keanu Year 6 - Callum**

#### Year 4

Earlier this week, Year 4 visited Hamptonne to help with their science work on animals and habitats. They looked at local birds and how these use local areas to live and nest. The feedback was excellent, and the children were a credit to our school.



#### Hive Hackers

This week, our Year 3 and Year 4 children started a series of computing coding sessions. The sessions will continue for the coming weeks and the children will be exploring coding and control programs as part of the computing curriculum. This is a great way of building skills for the future in an ever increasing digital world.



### **Covid**

We are starting to see a rise in covid cases in school again at the moment. It is important that we minimise the spread of the virus to ensure children and staff are able to attend school as normal. If your child has covid symptoms, please do test them with a lateral flow test if possible. If the test is positive, the government guidance is still to stay at home as much as possible to stop the virus spreading. Once the symptoms start to subside or the lateral flow test is negative, children can return to school. Your support with this is appreciated.

### **MMR Vaccine**

Please see the attached letter from Public Health regarding the MMR vaccine.

### **School Uniform**

Last week, I sent out a short survey to collect your thoughts on some possible changes to our school uniform going forward. This is something we discussed at our HSA this week and I want to now hear from as many parents as possible regarding the possible small changes. The survey will be open for a little longer, please take a minute or two to complete it.

### **[Springfield Uniform](#)**

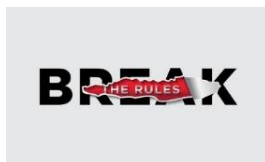
### **School Disco**

The HSA have organised a school disco for Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> February. Letters were sent out last week but I have attached it again in case you missed it.



### **Non-Uniform Day – Break the Rules**

We will be holding our next non-uniform day on Friday 9<sup>th</sup> February. We will be returning to a 'Break the Rules' day and children will be able to pay for the privilege of some relaxed uniform rules. See the poster attached.



### **School Meals**

Below are the cut off dates for ordering meals for the remainder of this term.

| Meal Dates                     | Order By   |
|--------------------------------|------------|
| 24.01 - 02.02.2024             | 10.01.2024 |
| 05.02 - 09.02.2024             | 17.01.2024 |
| 12.02 - 16.02.2024 (HALF TERM) | No Orders  |
| 19.02 – 23.02.2024             | 31.01.2024 |
| 26.02 – 01.03.2024             | 07.02.2024 |
| 04.03 – 08.03.2024             | 14.02.2024 |
| 11.03 – 15.03.2024             | 21.02.2024 |
| 18.03 – 22.03.2024             | 28.02.2025 |
| 25.03 – 29.03.2024             | 06.03.2024 |

Wishing you a lovely weekend,

Mal Robson  
Headteacher

| <b>Date</b>                                  | <b>Event</b>   |
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| 30 <sup>th</sup> January                     | Y1 visit to Hamptonne  |
| 8 <sup>th</sup> February                     | HSA Disco Rec/Y1/Y2 5.00pm – 6.00pm Y3/4/5/6 6.15pm – 7.30pm |
| 9 <sup>th</sup> February                     | Non-Uniform Day Break the Rules                              |
| 12 <sup>th</sup> - 16 <sup>th</sup> February | Half Term  |
| 21 <sup>st</sup> /22 <sup>nd</sup> February  | Parent Consultations   |
| 21 <sup>st</sup> February                    | Cross Country competition                                    |
| 22 <sup>nd</sup> February                    | Y6 Du Putron Challenge Quiz                                  |
| 14 <sup>th</sup> March                       | Swimmarathon   |
| 25 <sup>th</sup> March                       | Y5 States Chamber  |
| 26 <sup>th</sup> March                       | HSA Easter Bingo 6.pm – 7.15pm                               |
| 27 <sup>th</sup> March                       | End of Term  |
| 15 <sup>th</sup> April                       | INSET Day  |
| 16 <sup>th</sup> April                       | Summer Term starts   |