

Dear Parents/ Carers,

Welcome back to you all, I hope you enjoyed a good Easter break with your children. The children have come back enthusiastic and as eager to learn as ever for their last term in Reception Class.

Thank you for helping your child to make some fantastic flowers with their chocolate egg wrappers! They are great and make a lovely display in the classroom. If your child has not yet finished them, please bring them in, it's not too late! It was great to see that many of you have played dice games with your child over the holidays, thank you for posting these on Tapestry.

This week we have started our monsters topic by reading the story where the wild things are and talking about if monsters really exist? We have written about an imaginary island we would like to visit if we had a boat like Max in the story. We drew our very own monster pictures and painted pictures of what we think our imaginary island would look like. We are looking forward to seeing your child shoe box island and we are planning on displaying these in the main school corridor.

In maths we have been learning about the names and properties of 3D shapes. The children have enjoyed playing with 3D shapes, playing 3D shape bingo and learning simple rhymes to help them remember the properties of 3D shapes.

We will be starting PE next week, please make sure your child has a full PE kit in school on a Tuesday. Can you also ensure that your child brings their wellingtons back to school.

Please can you make sure that you inform us if there is going to be anyone different collecting your child from school. We will not allow your child to go home with someone other than yourselves, unless you have informed us otherwise. Please write down on the noticeboard in the classroom who is going to be collecting your child, to avoid any misunderstandings, thank you.

As the term progresses and the weather warms up (hopefully), please can you make sure that your child brings a sun hat to school. Sun cream will also need to be applied by yourselves before the school day.

Tonight we are hosting a Fashion Show at the high school, please come along and support us. You can buy tickets on the door and all monies raised go towards our outdoor canopy fund.

Have a great weekend!

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