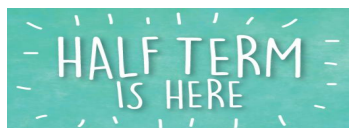


Monday 25th February – Children return to School

Friday 1st March – Class 5H Assembly at 3pm



It is hard to believe that by

the end of this week we are halfway through this academic year and half way through the Spring Term...amazing how time flies but also how wonderful it has been to see your children continue to flourish each and every day. They have earned their week off next week with some incredibly consistent, hard work through this half term.



Enrolment Mass

Congratulations to all the children who

were officially enrolled at Mass last Sunday. They are currently preparing for their First Forgiveness, which will take place next half term.

Congratulations to Miss

Whitehead who gave birth to a beautiful baby girl last Friday, which was a little earlier than planned! Eleanor Elizabeth weighed 5lbs 13oz and is absolutely gorgeous. Both mummy and baby are doing well and big brother Michael is delighted with his new sister. Mrs McNulty also left last week to go on Maternity Leave and so we now eagerly await her exciting news!



Weekly Attendance

Congratulations to Class 5B for having the best attendance this week and for winning the cakes!

It is vital children are in school on time every day so they don't miss crucial learning time.

F2 – 93.8%	Year 4 – 93.7%
Year 1 – 86.5%	Class 5B – 97.3%
Year 2 – 93.2%	Class 5H – 91.4%
Year 3 – 95.0%	Year 6 – 95.9%

ADVANCE NOTICE

World Book Day is Thursday 7th

March and all children will be invited to dress up as a character from a book.

Goodbye and Good Luck to Miss Bennett who leaves us today for a new job. We hope she enjoys her new role and wish her all the best for the future!

Congratulations to our Year 4 & 3 gymnasts who performed really well in @WirralSG gymnastics competition. They have worked so hard over the last few weeks to learn two routines and a vault. We are very proud of them all!



Parents Evening It was lovely to see so many of you at parents evening. We hope you found this opportunity to discuss your child's progress useful.



Parents Questionnaire -

Thank you for the amazing response to our parent questionnaire. The

results can be found on the information page of our school website. Please take a look. We are delighted with the results and the staff really appreciated the lovely comments. Your feedback is extremely important to us and helps us focus on what we feel is working well and what can be improved.



Pupil Questionnaire – Over the last two weeks the children have also been completing a pupil questionnaire about our school. The results for this can also be found on the information page on our school website.

We have been working hard on improving our school environment. If you visit school you will see how beautiful some of the displays are around school. We are very lucky to have some very talented staff and lots of very gifted children.



Our value of the month is.....**JUSTICE**

Justice means giving all people - particularly the poor and oppressed - what it is right and fair for them to have: life, health, freedom and dignity. It is about acting out of a concern for what is right and seeing right prevail. It is about social justice, especially for those who suffer most and are least able to protect themselves.

Pope Francis said, 'The Beatitudes are a roadmap for our life; they invite us

to keep our hearts pure, to practice meekness and justice, to be merciful to all, to live affliction in union with God.'

Beatitudes

Matthew 5:3-10

Blessed are the poor in spirit,
for theirs is the kingdom in heaven.
Blessed are those who mourn,
for they will be comforted.
Blessed are the meek,
for they will inherit the earth.
Blessed are those who hunger
and thirst for righteousness,
for they will be filled.
Blessed are the merciful,
for they will be shown mercy.
Blessed are the pure in heart,
for they will see God.
Blessed are the peacemakers,
for they will be called sons of God.
Blessed are those who are persecuted
because of righteousness, for
theirs is the kingdom of heaven.



We have found so many books linked to 'JUSTICE'. We have learnt about many inspirational people who have stood up for 'justice'. I was very impressed with a little girl in Year 4 who shared her book about Rosa Parks with me. Can you think of any more books or stories about justice and fairness?

