



19th March 2021

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NEXT WEEK:

Dear Parents

THANK YOU for your support and patience this week as we endeavour to carry on while Mr Hibbert is absent due to his family's sudden bereavement. He will remain off next week as we approach the Easter Holiday.

Friday - school uniform as usual, but Easter hats required! In the afternoon, we will be holding a mini hat parade in school to celebrate. Watch out for pictures on Class Dojo!

EASTER HATS Please remember Easter hats for Friday 26th March
It can be any kind of hat (sunhat, baseball cap, card or paper strip etc). It needs to be decorated with Spring / Easter items or pictures at home.

BOOK OF CONDOLENCE

Thank you for all the messages so far. If you are unable to write in the book but want to offer a message to Mr Hibbert and his family, please feel free to email either Heather Rawden (bursar@byfield.northants-ecl.gov.uk) or Alison Turner (aturner@byfield.northants.sch.uk) by Friday 26th March and we will print them off and stick them into the book during the Easter holidays.

COMIC RELIEF

The children certainly rose to the occasion and have put on some of their craziest clothes today! The school is buzzing with excitement! Thank you to everyone who has donated money for this very worthy charity. Giving to others and being kind is part of the mental well-being learning we have been doing and with the positive feeling around school today, you can see the children feel happy to be part of something bigger and knowing they are helping others. THANK YOU.

HOLIDAY HOMEWORK

Although we have only had 3 weeks back as a whole school, we recognise that this has been a long term for everyone. We have therefore decided not to set any homework over the Easter holidays leaving the children free to play, read and notice nature for fun!

NEXT TERM HEADS UP!

Just to let you know that next term, the learning topics in each class will be:

Owl Class = Climate Change
Kiwi Class = Climate Change
Penguin Class = Wonder Women
Robins Class = Dinosaurs
Nursery = Dinosaurs

Face Masks

Please can all adults continue to wear a facemask when on school grounds. This includes when dropping off to Breakfast Club and After School Club.

Byfield Good Neighbours Scheme

The BGNS has done, and continues to do, amazing work supporting families through these difficult times. If you feel you would benefit from some support, then do please get in touch. Contact details are below or if you prefer speak to or email Miss Rawden in the school office who will be able to help.

ByfieldGNS@gmail.com

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Dates for the Diary

Music String music lessons – every Monday, Guitar and keyboard music lessons – every Tuesday
Hotshots – every Tuesday Years 1 - 6

Friday 26th March – Easter Hat Parade – whole school

Friday 26th March – break up for Easter 3.15pm

Saturday 27th March – Earth Hour (turn off all electricity for one whole hour)

Wednesday 12th April – school opens 8.45am

Monday 3rd May – Bank Holiday School Closed

Tuesday 4th May – Bikeability Tuesday – Friday (Owl Class)

Friday 28th May – Inset Day – school closed

Monday 31st May – Friday 4th June – Half term

Monday 7th June – school open 8.45am

PLANTS

If you have any cuttings of houseplants or houseplants you now longer want, we would like to create some "green" areas in school. We hope that having plants in classes and shared areas will help improve mental well-being (there is, believe or not, research into the positive effects of plants in the classroom!) as well as give children something to look after and be responsible for.

Also any spare bedding plants would be gratefully received.

6 AirPurifying House Plants

