

News Update

| Dates for the Diary | |
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| Wednesday 9th March 2.40pm | Dewberry Class Assembly |
| Wednesday 15th March 2.40pm | Walnut Class Assembly |
| Wednesday 23rd March 2.40pm | Rowan Class Assembly |
| Thursday 31st March | Spring Disco |
| Friday 1st April | Nursery – Spring Bonnet Parade. |
| Friday 1st April | Reception, Year 1 & 2-Spring Bonnet Parade |
| Friday 1st April | Year 3-6 Egg Role |
| Friday 1st April | Last day of term |

Academy Update

Thank you to all the parents and carers who took the time to give their views on the Ofsted parent view survey, via e-mail or face to face with the inspection team. We are incredibly proud of how our pupils managed the week and spoke to the inspectors with confidence. The pupils were a credit to the academy as were the staff team throughout the process. Please see the letter sent out to parents explaining what happens next.

Children and staff had a great day on Thursday celebrating World Book Day . We hope you enjoy our photos we have shared with you.

Look at these fantastic pictures of one of our Year 3 pupils who came first at the Eastbourne Music and Arts Festival.



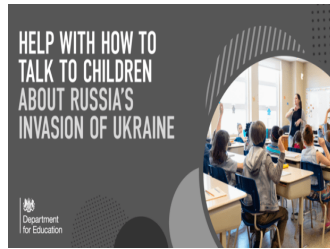
Great achievement by our netball team who came 2nd in a local schools tournament on Wednesday. Your hard work and determination has paid off - look at those smiles!



Achievement Award winners

This week's winners are:

- Reception: Jenson & Alfie
- Year 1: Evelyn & Freddie
- Year 2: Chloe , George & Charlotte
- Year 3: Alexa & Summer
- Year 4: Harriet & Lexi
- Year 5: Freya & Jasper
- Year 6: Jake, Lennon and our school Netball team.



There is a good resource on the Education Hub of Gov.uk to help parents to have conversations with their child about the invasion of Ukraine by Russia which you may find useful.

Cross country

We are so proud of our Year 6 pupils who took part in the final round of the Cross Country Finals this week. We came 2nd out of 150 in the Yr 6 girls race and 100th in the Yr 6 boys race—well done for competing and demonstrating such determination!



Lost property

Reminder to parents & children that there is a box of lost property placed outside the inclusion block every Friday afternoon.



TERM 4 Week 2

World Book Day

We started the day with a storyteller guest in assembly where pupils engaged in reading stories. Pupils were invited to dress up as their favourite animal book character and the outfits did not disappoint. Pupils enjoyed reading activities throughout the day such as reading with another class (reading buddies), storytelling tents, reading games, reading prizes, all classes reading and writing an ending to the story 'The Whisperer' by Nick Butterworth and listening out for the siren that tells pupils to drop everything and read!

