Half Acres Primary Academy

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Dear Parents and Carers,

We have had a wonderful return to school this week and are beginning to see more evidence of Spring by the day.

The children have been excited about their learning and it has been a pleasure to welcome parents and carers into school for our maths workshops. We look forward to continuing the workshops in addition to library visits, visits to Ledston and the Y6 Residential before the Easter break.

<u>Dojo</u>

Thank you to everyone who has already signed up for Dojo in order to support communication between home and school. Many families have said how great this is and it is being well used currently.

Nursery have 97% of the children signed up so far!! There will be a prize for the first class to achieve 100% so please return your signed agreement as soon as you can! Speak to your child's class teacher if you need any further information or support.



World Book Day - Thursday 7th March

We are looking forward to dressing up as a book character on World Book Day and would like all children to be able to take part if they wish to. With this in mind, we would welcome any outgrown costumes that you may have and would be happy to pass them on. Please bring any contributions to the office and please ask if we have anything available to offer you in return. Thank you in advance.



Dates for your diary

Please see the most up to date attached.

February		
Tuesday 27 th	Maths workshop at 9.15	5B
	Maths workshop at 9.15	5R
Wednesday 28th	Maths workshop at 2pm	2C
	Maths workshop at 2pm	2K
March		
Friday 1 st	Library visit	3Br
Monday 4 th	Ledston visit	5R
Tuesday 5 th	Maths workshop at 9.15	1T
Wednesday 6th	Maths workshop at 9.15	1AP
Thursday 7 th	World Book Day	Whole school
Friday 8 th	Library visit	5R
Monday 11th	Ledston visit	5B
	Chocolate Raffle tickets on sale	Whole school
Wednesday 13 th -15 th	Low Mill Residential	Year 6
Friday 15 th	Red Nose Day – charity	Whole school
Friday 22 nd	Finish for Easter	Whole school
-	Visit to National Coal Mining Museum	Year 2
	Attendance ticket draw	Each phase
	Chocolate Raffle	Whole school

Attendance

Congratulations to Y4W for achieving the highest attendance again this week!

Nursery AM 96% Nursery PM 94.11% **Nursery Whole 95.05%** EY2F 90.83% EY2N 92.86% 1AP 95.98% 1T 94.64% 2C 94.83% 2K 93.33% 3Be 97.50% 3T 91.18% 4NR 94.00% 4W 99.38% 5Be 87.95% 5R 96.55% 6Ri 96.21% Whole school 94.15%

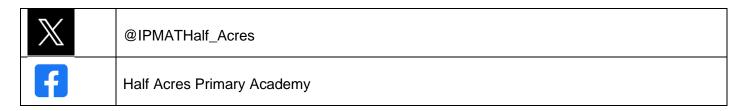


Lates

We understand that there can be unexpected reasons for lateness on occasions however, there continues to be a number of children who are frequently late and are therefore missing valuable teaching and learning time. It is unsettling for children when they arrive once the lesson has started and also has an impact on staff who meet, greet and take children to their classes.

Please ensure that children are arriving at their classroom door in order to be welcomed at 8.50am and make a prompt start to their day at 9am.

Please follow us on our social media platforms to see any key information and weekly learning that is taking place in school.



Kind regards and enjoy the weekend Mrs Taylor