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Issue

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19.11.21

Dear Parents and Carers,

This week Mrs Styles and Miss Kular went into all year groups to look at the amazing science work that children are completing. The children were able to talk clearly about what they were learning and were very keen to show off what they have learned.

In school we have begun to review the RHE lessons that the school community were unhappy with. There will be parent meetings held in March 2022 where we will consult on the changes we are making. Lessons that are being amended will not be taught until the summer term after the consultation has been completed and lessons finalised. We are pleased to be working with a consultant who has supported a number of other schools in the local area and look forward to having a finalised plan in place for the delivery of the RHE curriculum.

Today was Children in Need day and we look forward to sharing the money raised with families. Due to unforeseen circumstances Guess the Name of the Teddy and the 1p/2p challenge will take place on Monday. Please send your child with small change and 20p if they would like to guess the name of the teddy. Huge thanks go out to Mr Kundrai, Mr Daniels and Miss Pollitt, who allowed children to throw wet sponges at them for 50p – the children really enjoyed this activity!

Finally, thank you all parents bringing their children to school every day and on time. We continue to get closer to 96% each week.

Kindest Regards
Ms S Taylor
Head of School

Attendance up until 19.11.21

Whole School		
2019/2020	2020/2021	2021 to date
93.7	92.6	95.3

Our attendance target is 96%

Class	Percentage
Nursery	82.9%
R Inkpen	94.6%
R McKee	92.7%
1 Donaldson	96.7%
1 Murphy	95.9%
2 Bloom	94.7%
2 Hoffman	94.0%
3 Fine	97.9%
3 Rauf	94.5%
4 Morpurgo	99.0%
4 Pullman	93.0%
4 Strong	98.5%
5 Blackman	96.5%
5 Boyce	97.5%
5 Zephaniah	95.0%
6 Dhami	95.2%
6 Gavin	98.3%
6 Naidoo	97.1%

If your child is displaying Coronavirus symptoms, please do not send them to school. Call the school office as soon as possible to inform us and then book a PCR test using the link below.

<https://www.gov.uk/get-coronavirus-test>

Other members of the household will not need to isolate unless symptomatic



HIGH TEMPERATURE



NEW PERSISTENT COUGH



LOSS OF SMELL



LOSS OF TASTE

Christmas Dates for your Calendar.

Tuesday 7th December 2021-
EYFS Nativity 2.30pm

Tuesday 7th December 2021-
Children's Christmas Lunch

Friday 10th December 2021 - Christmas Jumper Day

Friday 10th December 2021- Winter Disco

Thursday 16th December 2021 – End of Autumn Term – School closes at 1.30pm

Tuesday 4th January 2022 – Teacher Training Day

Wednesday 5th January 2022 – All Pupils to return to school for Spring Term 2022

Springfield Primary Academy Would Like To Present Our Annual

Winter Disco

Friday 10th December 2021

3.30pm – 4.45pm

£2 per ticket

**Limited Spaces Available (KS2 Only)
Get your ticket before they all sell out!**

**Henna Tattoos/Face Painting/Hair Braiding
Raffle Ticket Sale
Drinks/Snacks and small toys will be available to buy.**

Tickets can be purchased from the playground before and after school on Wednesday 24th November, Thursday 25th November and Friday 26th November 2021

Parenting Smart

Please use the link below to access parenting advice from child mental health experts.

Parenting Smart offers practical advice for parents and carers of children aged 5-11. All the content is created by Place2Be's parenting experts.

It is based on evidence and their experiences working with children, young people and their families.

https://parentingsmart.place2be.org.uk/?utm_source=Sprint1&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=parenting-smart

Reception September 2022

Applications are now open for children who are due to start Reception in September 2022. Do you have or know a child who will be four in September 2022 (born between 1st September 2017 and 31st August 2018)?

Bring them to our open sessions to explore our exciting and inspiring Early Years Provision.

Come and visit our brand new learning environment on Springfield Road at the times listed below where staff will be happy to answer any questions you may have.

Dates For Your Diary

22nd November 2021 -Year 3 Trip – River Cole

23rd November 2021 – Year 4 Trip – River Cole

24th November 2021 – Nasal Flu immunisations

7th December 2021 – EYFS Christmas Production – 2.30pm

7th December 2021 – Year 5 Parent Reading Workshop 9am-10am

13th December 2021 – Year 6 Trip – Coventry Cathedral

14th December 2021 – Year 6 Parent Reading Workshop 9am-10am

16th December 2021 – Break up for Christmas holidays at 1.30pm

4th January 2022 – Teacher Training Day

5th January 2022 – Start of Spring Term

10th January 2022 – School photographer

Attendance Rewards

Children who have 100% attendance from Monday 20th September until the end of the school year will be invited on a coach trip to South Wales accompanied by an adult family member.

Children whose attendance is above our target of 96% will have their names entered into a prize raffle – prizes so far include TWO bikes, that children and parents can select and order from Halfords Bikes.

[https://www.springfieldacademy.org.uk/admin/ckfinder/userfiles/files/Attendance%20strategy%20launch%20\(2\).pptx](https://www.springfieldacademy.org.uk/admin/ckfinder/userfiles/files/Attendance%20strategy%20launch%20(2).pptx)

Please speak to Miss Stringer or a member of staff if you need help to ensure that your child attends school daily.