



NEWSLETTER

DATE January 2019

UP COMING DATES

Week beginning:

4/2/19 Mental Health Week

15/2/19 Break up for half term

25/2/19 School reopens

1/3/19 World Maths Day

7/3/19 World Book Day

2/4/19 Y3/5 Easter Disco 4-5:00pm

4/4/19 Y4/6 Easter Disco 4-5:00pm

5/4/19 Break up for Easter

Road Safety

It has been brought to our attention that some of our pupils are not being safe whilst on the Queensway. As we all know, this is a very busy road and we do not want any of our children hurt when they are either arriving or leaving the academy. We will be having assemblies focusing on road safety and each teacher will be working with their class to improve the children's understanding of keeping safe but we are asking all parents to talk to their child/ren about the importance of road safety. <http://www.brake.org.uk> has lots of information to support you with this very important life skill. Thank you in advanced for your support.

Food Bank

Thank you for your overwhelming generosity. All donations have been taken to the Scunthorpe Food Bank. The food bank is still open and we are still receiving donations on behalf of our community. Please, where possible, continue to support this worthy cause.

Sandwiches

I know we have mentioned this before, but please do not send children to school with products / sandwiches that may contain nuts. We have several members of the school community who have serious nut allergies and for those, coming into contact with such a product, could have serious implications.



As part of OPADiscover, Y3 visited a local museum to prepare them for opening their own museum at OJAB



Y4 are looking at invaders and settlers and have made their own archaeological dig to hook the children in!



Y6 launched their new topic, Blitz and Pieces, by taking advantage of our new Commando Joe box!

Welcome Back

What a start to 2019! The children were eager to get back into school and are already hooked into their new topics. I was amazed with the standard of last terms home-school projects and can't wait to see what the children produce this term!

Mental Health Week

As an academy, we will be supporting the National Campaign for Mental Health and wellbeing, commencing the week of the 4th February. During this week, we will be exploring the key focus of 'Healthy Inside and Out', addressing areas like sleep, diet and exercise, appropriate screen time and acts of kindness, through a range of practical and discussion based activities. We will also be delivering assemblies and workshops from experts around these issues.