

# March Holbrook News



## World Book Day

Reading is such an important part of Primary Education. Once you have mastered the phonetic sounds and the tricky red words a whole world of books opens up! There is nothing more exciting than listening to a fantastic story and reading to find out facts and information about the world and beyond!

Even in Year 6, regular reading is critical. Reading is not only enjoyable but it helps expand vocabulary. That is why as a school, we like pupils to read every night at home and record this in the reading diaries. It is great



if you can ask your child questions about what they have read. Make sure you come to your child's story time with their class teacher in their classroom!

World Book Day continues to be a real celebration of books and characters that we have enjoyed reading about. It was great to see so many homemade costumes this year. Well done to all the children (and parents) for making your own outfits.

*Mrs Mc Carthy*



## Forthcoming Events

Monday 9th	<b>ALL CLUBS CANCELLED</b> 3:15—6pm PARENTS EVENING 4:30pm Performance & Standards Governors' Meeting
Tuesday 10th	<b>ALL CLUBS CANCELLED</b> 2pm Year 2, 4, 6 BEST Assembly 3:15—6pm PARENTS EVENING
Wednesday 11th	Y6 Visit Unipart
Thursday 12th	Y5 Butterfly Farm Trip I am Rowing Competition
Friday 13th	Sports Relief

	Class	% Attend
1	4H	97.9
2	6G	97.6
3	1M	97.1
4	1F	96.9
4	RM	96.9
6	4D	96.7
6	5S	96.7
8	2C	96.2
9	RW	96
9	3S	96
9	6M	96
12	3D	95.2
13	2K	94.6
14	2S	94.5
Whole School		94.2
15	6H	92.8
16	1B	92.6
17	4P	92.3
17	5C	92.3
19	Nursery AM	92
20	3R	91.7
21	5F	91.2
22	RL	86
23	Nursery PM	70.5

## Attendance Report

Well done to the 11 classes that beat the target of 96% but there is still far too much blue!

17—21 Feb





6 March 2020



## Parent's Evening

Monday 9th & Tuesday 10th March

A general reminder to all parents and carers that next week is Parents' Evening.

These meetings are a really good way of finding out how your child is doing in school and how we can work together as a team to support your child to do their BEST.

A member of the senior management team will be available during the evening if you want a chat about any concerns.

We look forward to seeing you all over the evening.

## Weekly Challenge

*Be mindful of your BEST!*

- **Be active...** Aim for 60mins of exercise a day
- **Eat healthily...** Remember your five a day
- **Sleep well**
- **Take time for you...**

*Be healthy inside and out!*

This week's challenge is linked to World Book Day on Thursday March 5th

### Challenge 8... Buy a Book!

After seeing an array of amazing costumes yesterday, this week's challenge again links to books!



Buy a book—or rather spend your World Book Day token. As well as lots of book shops, supermarkets stock the books that cost £1 but if you want to buy another book the token can be used to get a pound off the price!

## ARE YOU IN YEAR 5?

Would you like to try a science, art or music lesson?

HOW ABOUT COMING TO A TASTER SESSION?



# Blue Coat

Church of England School & Music College



Email  
admin@bluecoatschool.com  
for booking  
information

## Start of School

Can we remind parents that the school gates are opened from 7:50 for Breakfast Club which starts at 8am—Booking with Mrs McGregor before attending is essential.

For everyone else, registration for school starts at 8:45 so you need to be in the classroom ready for learning by then!

