



Park Primary School

Newsletter

Spring 1 - Week 6

Forest School

A huge thank you to our wonderful PTA for their generous support in funding new supplies for our Forest School!

The money has been used to purchase new tools which will be used to enhance outdoor learning, build shelters and support nature-based activities.

Your support makes a real difference, helping our children connect with nature and develop new skills in the great outdoors!



Science Week:

10th–14th March

The Fun Science Company is back!



Each class will enjoy an interactive workshop tailored to their year group, covering topics like potions (Year R), weather (Year 1), hydraulics (Year 2), states of matter (Year 3), plants (Year 4), friction (Year 5), and circuits (Year 6). The week will consist of lots of hands-on experiments and take-home creations making this an exciting week of learning!

To support this event, we kindly ask for a £5.00 contribution per child via Arbor.

Thank you for helping make Science Week a fun and educational experience!

Parents Evening

Our next Parents' Evenings will take place on Tuesday, 1st April, and Thursday, 3rd April. Further details will be shared after half-term.

Appointments will be available to book via Arbor, and we will notify you once the booking system is live.

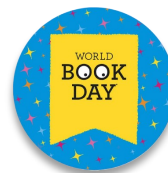
School Uniform

We kindly ask that all children arrive at school each day wearing the correct uniform. On PE days, they should come dressed in their PE kit.

If a child is not in the correct uniform, they will be provided with spare items, which must be returned the following day.



World Book Day



We're excited to celebrate World Book Day on **Friday 7th March!**

On this day, children can dress up as their favourite book character or come to school in their pyjamas and join the fun with our staff.

Class Photographs

Class photos with teachers will take place on **Monday, 3rd March**. Please ensure children come to school in full uniform and ready for their pictures to be taken.



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YOUNG VOICES

For over 29 years, Young Voices has been at the forefront in delivering an extraordinary concert experience for primary school children. It is the largest children's choir concert in the world!

Our school choir and children from KS2 attended the O2 Arena in London on Monday 3rd February to take part in Young Voices 2025.



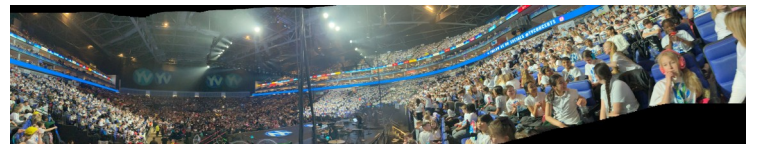
On the day of the concert, along with up to 9,000 other young voices, our children rehearsed together for the first time, creating a vibrant collective experience.

In the evening, the concert performance featuring special guest appearances from MC Grammer, Tommy Blaize and Souparnika Nair.



The UK's leading sound and light technicians enhanced the performances.

7000.00 people watched from the audience.



The excitement and energy in the arena was an unforgettable sensation for each child, making it the most memorable school trip of the year!

Thank you to the members of staff who took the children: Mrs Bolam, Miss Rogers, Miss Nash, Mrs Woolley, Mr Rapley and Mrs Straffron. A very special thank you to Mrs Bolam, our Music teacher, for all her hard work teaching the children the songs.



Headteachers Award

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Reception	Mark - For producing some amazing writing and using his phonics very carefully.
Year 1	Anna - For always trying to show all the school values.
Year 2	Malek - For improving fluency in reading and helping his partner.
Year 3	Joseph - For improvement in his 10 times table.
Year 4	Arabella - For positive to all her learning.
Year 5	Harrish - For showing improved focus and challenge in all areas of leaning.
Year 6	Teddy - "ENGINEER OF ENTHUSIASM" - For excellent enthusiasm in maths sessions, especially with long division.

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Reception	Dehans - For trying hard to show good listening and for working hard in Phonics.
Year 1	Alessandro - For showing the value of perseverance in all his learning, particularly his writing.
Year 2	Igor - For contributing well in maths lessons and challenging himself.
Year 3	Philip - For perseverance with his DT castle project.
Year 4	Areeb - For trying hard to challenge himself in maths.
Year 5	Mason - For his brilliant vocabulary choices in his writing.
Year 6	Kieran - "KING OF KEENNESS" - For consistent positivity and enthusiasm across the curriculum.

If you have any questions or queries, please contact the school office.

Email: admin@park-pri.hants.sch.uk

Call: 01252 324159

Diary Dates

Spr 1- Wk 6
School Menu Week 1

Wed 12th Feb
Choir (3:15-3:45pm)

Thurs 13th Feb
Year 4 Swimming
Year 5 Swimming

PTA Bake Sale

Fri 14th Feb
Last day of Term

Half Term

**17th February - 21
February**

Spr 2 - Wk 1
School Menu Week 2

Mon 24th Feb
First day of term

Wed 26th Feb
Year 3 Trip

Spr 2 - Wk 2
School Menu Week 3

Mon 3rd March
Class Photos

National offer day for Year 7
2025 school placements

Wed 5th March
Choir (3:15-3:45pm)

Thurs 6th March
Year 4 Swimming
Year 5 Swimming

PTA Meeting

Fri 7th March
World Book Day

Spr 2 - Wk 3
School Menu Week 1

**Mon 10th March - Fri 14th
March**
Science Week

**Tues 11th & Wed 12th & Thurs
13th**
Science Workshops

Wed 12th March
Choir (3:15-3:45)

Thurs 13th March
Year 4 Swimming
Year 5 Swimming

Spr 2 - Wk 4
School Menu Week 2

Wed 19th March
Choir (3:15-3:45)

Thurs 20th March
PTA Wonderful Woman Event

Year 4 Swimming
Year 5 Swimming

Spr 2 - Wk 5
School Menu Week 3

**Wed 26th March - Fri 28th
March**
Book Fair in School

Wed 26th March
National Skipping Day

Choir (3:15-3:45)

Thurs 27th March
Year 4 Swimming
Year 5 Swimming

Attendance

If you wish to take your child out of school during term time, you are required to complete an absence request form at least one month in advance. These are available from the school office and should be returned before booking holidays. Holidays will not usually be authorised during term time. Lower cost of holidays or parent leave dates are not considered an exceptional circumstance for absence. Unauthorised attendance may result in a fine being issued or other legal action being taken.

Please see our Attendance Policy, attached or on the school website for more information.

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Spring 2

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Mon 10th March
Science Week

Wed 12th & Thurs 13th
Science Workshops

Wed 26th - Fri 28th March
Book Fair

Thurs 27th March
PTA Wonder Woman Event

Thurs 3rd April
PTA Easter Egg Tombola

Fri 4th April
3.10pm Last day of term

Summer 1

Mon 21st April
Easter Monday - School Closed

Thurs 24th April
PTA meeting - Summer Fayre
planning

Mon 5th May
Bank Holiday - School closed

Mon 12th - Fri 16th May
Year 6 KS2 SATs

Thurs 22nd May
PTA Bake Sale

Fri 23rd May
3.10pm Last day of term

Spring Half Term

**Mon 17th Feb -
Fri 21st Feb**

Easter Break

**Mon 7th April -
Monday 21st April**

Summer Half Term

**Mon 26th May -
Fri 30th May**

Summer 2

Mon 2nd June
First day back for pupils

Mon 2nd - Fri 13th June
Year 4 Multiplication Tables
Tests

Summer 2

Mon 9th– Fri 13th June
Year 1 Phonics Testing and Year
2 Phonics Retakes

Wed 2nd July
INSET Day

Inset Days 2024/2025

Wednesday 2nd July 2025

Hampshire Term Dates

[https://www.hants.gov.uk/
educationandlearning/schoolholidays](https://www.hants.gov.uk/educationandlearning/schoolholidays)