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Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back to the new half term! As promised, a paper copy of our Newsletter has been sent out so everyone can stick the dates inside on their Fridge or other areas of the house! Please take the time to read about some exciting events and activities as part of our Anti-Bullying week next week (odd socks at the ready for Tuesday!)

JODRELL BANK

This week, Class 7, 8 and 9 visited Jodrell Bank and immersed themselves in a variety of experiences to help further deepen their understanding of our solar system. In addition to an incredible video presentation inside the 'space dome', the children were given time to explore the exhibition spaces and take part in a range of activities with the incredible Lovell Telescope providing a fitting backdrop for the day.



EARRINGS/STUDS/HAIRSTYLES

It is expected that all children will dress according to the school uniform policy and will wear the correct school uniform, including footwear, every day.

A reminder that NO JEWELLERY IS ALLOWED IN SCHOOL. This includes earrings and studs (as well as plastic/clear studs). Please note that plasters will not be allowed to cover earrings/studs. No tattoos, nail varnish or make-up are to be worn in school. Hair styles should be kept simple and appropriate for school.

'Razored' or 'Tram Line' styles and hair colouring are not appropriate.

We ask all parents and carers to support us in ensuring our children understand the importance of school uniform and being a member of the team.

Thank you for your support, Andrew Maley



SCAN ME



PARENTS'/CARERS' EVENING — Monday 20th and Wednesday 22nd Nov.

A reminder that bookings are open on the School Spider App. It is vital that all parents attend in order to find out how your child is doing in school and how to support their learning at home. Bookings can also be made directly through the school office in person or by phone.

Don't forget parents' evening!



Class P.E. Timetables (Days also on Website)



EYFS/KS1	Days
Reception	Friday
Class 1	Tuesday
Class 2	Wed, Thu
Class 3	Wed, Thu

LKS2	Days
Class 4	Tue, Fri
Class 5	Thursday
Class 6	Mon, Thurs

UKS2	Days
Class 7	Wed, Friday
Class 8	Tue, Wed
Class 9	Tue, Wed

Children are to attend school in their P.E. kit on these days. All children access the same amount of P.E., however some may have a double session on one day due to timetabling arrangements etc.

Please note, P.E. days highlighted pink have changed from the previous half term.

Year 6 Swimming on Wednesdays this Half Term

2023/2024 Save the Dates!



Date	Time	Event
Mon 13th to 17th Nov.	All Week	Anti-Bullying Week
13th, 14th and 15th Nov.	3 Days	Year 4 Residential—PGL
Tuesday 14th Nov.	All Day	Odd Socks Day
Friday 17th November	All Day	Children in Need Day (Own Clothes Day for a £1)
20th and 22nd Nov.	Evening	Parents/Carers Evening
Wed. 29th Nov.	All Day	LKS2 Trip — Norton Priory
Friday 1st December	All Day	Own Clothes Day for Chocolate Bingo Donations!
Thursday 7th Dec.	Evening	Christmas Bingo!
Friday 8th December	9am	Class 8 Celebration Morning
Wednesday 13th Dec.	All Day	Christmas Jumper Day / Christmas Meal Day!
Thursday 14th Dec.	9:15am	Early Years Nativity
Friday 15th December	am / pm	KS2 and KS1 Church Service
Monday 18th December	pm	Early Years/KS1 Christmas Parties
Tuesday 19th December	pm	KS2 Christmas Parties
15th to 19th January	All Week	Musical Maths Week
Fri 26th January	9am	Class 6 Celebration Morning
5th to 9th February	All Week	Children's Mental Health Week
Friday 23rd February	9am	Class 4 Celebration Morning
Friday 1st March	9am	Class 7 Celebration Morning
Friday 8th March	9am	Reception Celebration Morning
18th to 28th March	2 Weeks	Shakespeare Festival

More details will follow prior to any event!

Families are invited to join us in school on the dates highlighted in yellow!

We hope you can join us for your child's class celebration morning. During these, your child's class will perform an assembly, after which you are all invited back to class to celebrate their work with them!

Summer Term Celebration morning dates will be provided at a later date.

Anti-Bullying Week—Next Week!

Next week, #teamcarrmill can't wait to take part in #antibullyingWeek 2023 and have lots of fun activities planned to help #MakeANoise about bullying. They will also enjoy the following special events – check these out below!

We're supporting
Anti-Bullying Week 2023

MAKE A
NOISE
ABOUT
BULLYING
You can too!

Anti-Bullying Week - 13-17th November
#AntiBullyingWeek #MakeANoise

ANTI-BULLYING
ALLIANCE

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WHAT'S ON NEXT WEEK?

ANTI-BULLYING WEEK 2023



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#ANTIBULLYINGWEEK

Next week, #teamcarrmill will be taking part in national anti-bullying week. The children will complete lots of activities to explore the impact of bullying and 'make a noise' that it is not ok in our school. They will also enjoy the following special events:



MON

#teamcarrmill will be completing random acts of kindness
We will also be launching our new kindness awards



TUE

#teamcarrmill can wear odd socks to recognise that everyone is an individual and should stand out and be unique



FRI

#teamcarrmill can come to school in their own clothes with a £1 donation for this charity if they can.



SCAN ME

As a parent or carer, you are a vital piece of the puzzle in tackling bullying. You have a unique role to play in guiding and supporting your child through their school years and there are lots of positive steps you can take to help keep your child safe from bullying and harm. One of the steps is knowing when to ask for support. Scan the bar code to access KIDSCAPE'S free parent/carer guide full of top tips and activities.

#teamcarrmill Attendance Focus

Well done to Classes 7 and 2 who earned a 'Kid's Choice' session this afternoon due to having the highest attendance scores.



Congratulations to #teammcarrmill who have earned a special treat next week for collectively beating our whole school attendance target of 96%!!!! WELL DONE

Nursery	95.14
Reception	96.35
Class 1	97.71
Class 2	98.47
Class 3	92.35
Class 4	97.88
Class 5	97.96
Class 6	97.88
Class 7	99.43
Class 8	93.65
Class 9	96.06
Whole School	96.62

#teamcarmill **WRITING CHAMPIONS** Awards



This week we have a change to our usual VIP awards. This week we celebrate our **WRITING CHAMPIONS** who have all achieved a **PERSONAL BEST** with their **HANDWRITING**. Congratulations to all our Champions - check out our Writing Champions video on Facebook.

Key Stage	Writing Champions
Early Years	Dottie Y
	Annie-Rae A
Key Stage 1	Ella-May
	Elliot U
	Kyle C
	Alice C
Lower Key Stage 2	David H
	Rosie B
	Jaygo W
	Abigail C
	Riley H
	Ronnie P
Upper Key Stage 2	Frankie P
	Phoebe B
	Lucas O
	Lavin N
	Charlie G
	Lucas E

