



The Manor CE Primary School

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Newsletter 27

8 April 2022

Dates for the Diary

8 April – Term 4 ends

25 April – Term 5 starts

25 April – Year R National Child Measurement Programme (info sent 16/12/21)

27 April – Class photographs

29 April – Inset Day

3 – 9 May - FOMS clothes collection

W/C 9 May – Y6 SATS

W/C 16 May – Y6 Residential Trip

12 May – FOMS Disco

14 June -KS 1 Sports Day (morning)

15 June - KS 2 Sports Day (morning)

INSET Days this academic year

Friday 29 April 2022

Monday 4 July 2022

It's been another very busy week at The Manor with parent/ carer consultations – thank you to all those parents who attended this. I do hope you enjoyed seeing your children's work and the progress they are making and being able to spend time with class teachers – it's been a great week to end what has been a fantastic term. It really has been wonderful to have some trips taking place this term and to welcome different groups back in to school – it really does feel like business is back to normal at last!

I would like to say a huge thank you to our AMAZING FOMS committee – they have held a number of events so far this year and have raised over £3000 – this is such an impressive amount that will directly help the children in school. They are a small team who put so much into organising these fundraising events which the children enjoy so much.

I do hope the weather is kind to us over the Easter break and you all have a relaxing and enjoyable break.

With very best wishes
Mrs Flanagan

Lunchboxes



If your child brings a packed lunch to school then we ask that it contains a balanced and healthy range of food.

Here's a few tips of things to include:

A drink – water is the healthiest option

Fresh fruit, dried fruit or vegetables

A sandwich, wrap, roll or salad (consider using wholemeal bread where possible)

A small bag of crisps if your child requires this (baked varieties tend to be healthier)

A small biscuit / cake (**no sweets or chocolate bars**)

Please remember that we are a 'nut free' school so no nuts or nut-based products.

For more ideas visit: <https://www.nhs.uk/healthierfamilies/recipes/health>

School dinners

We are delighted to advise that school meal choices will be available on ParentPay from 19th April. Thank you very much for bearing with us during the transition, which was out unfortunately out of our control.

You will be able to book meals for up to 3 weeks in advance and we ask that even if your child is bringing a packed lunch from home that you specify this on ParentPay. Many thanks

Covid-19 vaccinations now available for 5 - 11 year olds

Our local vaccination team have asked us to share the information below about COVID-19 vaccinations for 5- to 11-year-olds, please could you share this information with the parents in your school.

The NHS is now offering COVID-19 vaccines to children aged 5 to 11 years. Appointments are being held in dedicated children's clinics across our area and can be booked online via the [National Booking Service](#) or by calling 119. Some walk-in clinics are also available and details of these, along with information about all the vaccination options in our area, can be found at www.grabajab.net.

Children's clinics are being run by GPs, community pharmacies and the Vaccination Centre @ UWE Bristol, where themed child-friendly pods have been created to make the Centre feel welcoming for young children.

Younger children receive a lower (paediatric) vaccine dose. More information about the vaccination and the effects of COVID-19 in young children can be found [here](#).

Antarctica Class



It may have been the last week of a very busy term in Antarctica Class but that hasn't stopped us! This week we have enjoyed a fantastic Forest School session, created our own calculations with Easter eggs using the 'part, part, whole' approach and have revised all of the sounds that we have learnt in our phonics lessons. It has been great catching up with all of the parents of our lovely pupils in Reception and now we are all ready for a well-deserved break. Happy Easter everyone!

Australia Class



Well this week has been egg-cellent! We have been working hard on our tie dye this week and cannot wait to bring these home tonight to share with you all. Please make sure you wash these on their own and in a cold wash for at least the first wash... no one wants multi-coloured socks :)!

Thank you everyone that attended parents evenings, it was great to discuss the children and their amazing progress with you! If you were unable to attend or wish to discuss anything further please let me know.

Year One have now finished their forest school term so all kit will be coming home tonight, let me know if anything has gone missing and we will do our best to find it.

PE days next term for Year 1 are Wednesdays and Fridays. Please ensure your child is appropriately dressed on these days and have suitable hats on sunny days!

Have a lovely Easter break,

Take care,

Miss Hawkins

Africa Class



What a busy week it's been in Year 2! We have thought carefully about what we want from our final tie-dye t-shirts and have all been successful in creating some beautiful pieces. We also had fun with our P.E coach on Monday- some of us were very quick at catching the ball and beating our partner to it! We also had fun experimenting on the laptops and asking different types of questions. We created graphs after asking our friends what they would rather out of two options and represented their responses on a spreadsheet. **Next term, our P.E days will continue to be Mondays and Thursdays, so please make sure your child is dressed in their kits on the first day back. It was great to catch up with so many of you on Wednesday and Thursday and I hope you all have a lovely break ready for Term 5(!) ☺**

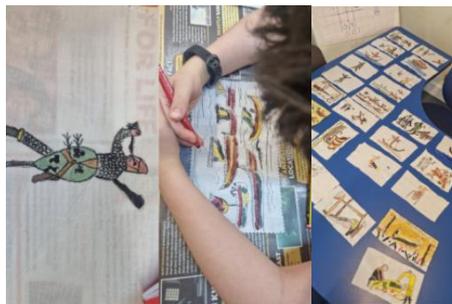
Europe Class



It has been an absolute delight to watch the children engage in their topic lessons this week. They worked so hard and used a huge amount of sapphire and emerald power to help them when creating their own section of the Bayeux Tapestry this week and the results have been wonderful. They were all so proud that their hard work and determination paid off. They have also been working hard in maths this week as they have been learning about formal division. Thank you to everyone who attended parents evening this week. It has been a pleasure to share their amazing work and progress with you all. Just a reminder that PE days will remain the same for Term 5 so children will need to wear PE kits on Mondays and Tuesdays. It has been such a busy term and I hope you all have a restful break over Easter. I can't wait to see you all back at school on Monday 25th April. Happy Easter!

Next term PE will be on Mondays and Tuesdays and children can therefore wear PE kit on these days.

Asia Class



What a final week of term! Year 4 have been using their artistic talents to re-create the Bayeux tapestry! They have really impressed Miss Spencer, other staff and even parents at parents evening with their final pieces! All the children used observational sketching skills to first sketch their battle inspired art before tracing it on to material. Then, the children used their colour mixing knowledge to mix the paints to create the colours they needed for their piece. They have done a fabulous job!

I hope you all have a lovely Easter break! See you next term!

Please note: In Term 5, our PE days will be changing. The children will be doing PE on both Tuesdays and Thursdays. Please ensure they come to school in the correct PE kit on those days starting the first week back. Thank you.

North America



Year 5 have had a great last week in school. We had our final cricket lesson this week and have really enjoyed these sessions this term. We have finished our fantastic explanation texts and published these, focusing on presenting them in a way that makes it easily accessible to our audience.

It was so lovely to see so many of you at the parents evenings this week and to talk about how your children are getting on.

Next Term: PE days will be changing to Wednesday and Thursday and we will be beginning Forest School sessions on Fridays too. A separate letter will be sent out regarding this but for the first week only, we will be doing our Forest School session on Thursday morning as Friday is an inset day. This day children will need to wear PE kits in to school and bring Forest School clothing with them (letter sent yesterday).

South America



We've made it to the end of the term! The children have worked so hard and are ready for a break. In maths, we have worked on multiplying fractions and learnt about the radius and diameter of a circle. In topic, we have been separating a mixture of materials and objects using a variety of techniques. In English, the children have continued to work on their precise vocabulary choices to create an eerie atmosphere. A fabulous week had by all! Have a fantastic Easter holiday and a well-earned break everyone.

PE continues on a Monday and Wednesday next term.

Raise funds by collecting reusable clothes



WE ACCEPT CLEAN, GOOD QUALITY, DRY, REUSABLE CLOTHING

- Adults, Childrens & Babies Clothing
- Jewellery and Accessories
- Paired Shoes and Footwear
- Belts and Handbags

A full list of reusable items is listed on our website
www.rags2riches4schools.co.uk

WE DO NOT ACCEPT

POOR QUALITY ITEMS SUCH AS
DIRTY, WET, RIPPED OR SOILED
CLOTHES.
PILLOWS, DUVETS, CURTAINS,
BOOKS CDs OR ANY UNIFORM

If you are unsure what to put in the bags

STOP AND THINK
WOULD YOU WEAR IT?

Please use the clothing bag provided.
You can also use any additional bag if required.

Collection Date:

Monday 9th May
by 9am

Please remember - **NO UNIFORM**

