



# Springtime Smiles & Easter Excitement!



## School News Bulletin

### Easter Fun Day – Donations Needed! 🍫🥚

We are planning a fun-filled day of Easter activities on Tuesday 24th March.

To help us run games and competitions, we are asking for donations of chocolate Easter eggs to be used as prizes. These will support activities such as:

- 🏆 Best Easter Bonnet
- 🏆 Best Decorated Egg
- 🎲 Easter Egg Bingo

All donations will be gratefully received and can be brought to the school office up to the morning of 24th March.

- ⚠️ Please remember we are a NUT-FREE SCHOOL.
- 🚫 We cannot accept any chocolate containing nuts.

### Easter Bonnet & Egg Decorating Competitions 🎀🐰

we're delighted to confirm:

- 📅 Easter Bonnet Decorating for Reception, Year 1 & Year 2
- 🥚 Decorate-an-Egg for Years 3, 4, 5 & 6
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Please bring bonnets and eggs to school on Tuesday 24th March. The bonnets will feature in a short in-school parade, and both bonnets and decorated eggs will be displayed in the school hall.

We can't wait to see everyone's amazing creations — and there may even be a chocolatey surprise for the winners! 🍫🌟

### A Busy Week & What's Coming Up 🚀

This week we have had:

- ✓ Height & weight measurements
- ✓ Dentist visit
- ✓ Youth for Christ assembly

And the next two weeks are even busier as we approach the end of term!

### 📅 Key Dates & Events

#### 🌟 Friday 20th March – Red Nose Day 🎭❤️

We are excited to be supporting Red Nose Day on Friday 20th March.

This year's theme is "Take Yourself Funny for Money" — encouraging everyone to embrace silliness for a great cause.

Children are invited to wear something silly:

- 🌈 bright colours
- 🧦 odd socks
- 🎩 funny hats

...anything that brings a smile!

If possible, please send a small cash donation for Comic Relief, supporting families and communities in need.

Let's fill the school with laughter and kindness as we take ourselves funny for money! 🎭😄

### Festival of Words – Display at Moira Furnace 📖🎨

A huge well done to the children for their fantastic work decorating our 'I' & 'N' letters for the Festival of Words.

These will be displayed at Moira Furnace, along with the other letters from local schools.

📷 Photos are available on our school website for anyone unable to visit the Furnace.

### A Polite Reminder – Memorial Bench 🪑🌸

We have been made aware that some children have been climbing or standing on the bench outside the school wall.

This is a memorial bench, and climbing on it has caused damage. Please support us in reminding children that the bench is for sitting only, so we can keep it in good condition and show respect.

### 🌟 Tuesday 24th March – A Very Busy & Exciting Day

- 🏛️ Easter Service at 2:30pm in the church
- 📅 Easter Bonnet Competition
- 🥚 Decorate-an-Egg Competition
- 🎲 Fun and Games with a Chocolate Twist

🍽️ Relish Menu Tasting

Relish will be in school at the end of the day offering tasting samples of the new Summer Term menus.

📖 Scholastic Book Fair – After School

The book fair will be open Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday after school.

- ☀️ Playground (weather permitting)
- ☔ If bad weather: School Hall
- 📖 Don't forget to bring your World Book Day vouchers! All book sales help us buy new books for the children.

🎨 KS1 Self-Portrait Gallery – After School

On Tuesday 24th March, KS1's beautiful self-portraits will be showcased in the School Hall Gallery.

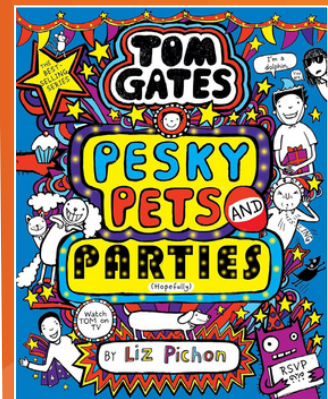
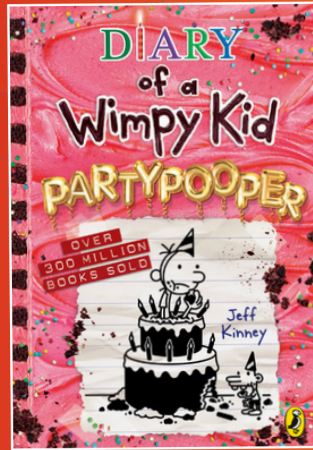
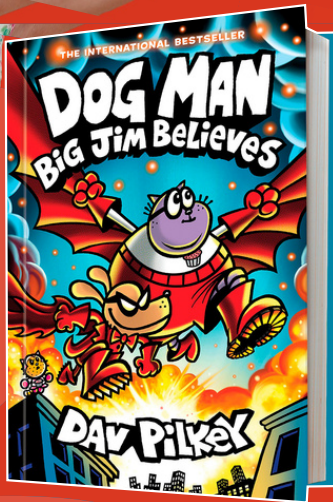
Families are warmly invited to come and enjoy the artwork!

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