

# Week Ending Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2024



### Welcome Back

Welcome back to a busy spring term two. The children are fully immersed into their learning with Geography as well as Maths and English and Computing, PE, MFL and PSHE and RE being learnt at the moment. Science will also be learnt later this half term. Our termly newsletters will be on the website soon too. We are sharing all the exciting learning via Class Dojo, thank you for you comments alongside this every week.

### Spring Term Parent Teacher Meetings NEXT WEEK

We are holding our spring term parent teacher meetings on **Monday 26<sup>th</sup> February and Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> February** The meetings will be held in person after school in the hall, on these dates or on TEAMS, **please book via the Calendy** app (link on Dojo) and clarify if you need a TEAMS meeting so the teacher can be somewhere quiet to log in and speak with you on the evening. Our parent evenings are a great way to hear how well your child is doing in school and how you can further support your child.



Well done to Year 3 who have achieved 98% attendance this week Last term our attendance at the end of last term was 94%. Well done everyone as that's inline with the national average! Let's keep this going everyone.

#### Wrap Around Childcare

We are currently exploring options to offer wrap around childcare here at Hogarth Academy. Please would you clink on the link to complete a short survey to allow us to plan further. The survey will run for two weeks. https://forms.gle/rAJrLfEBnybGiW28A

# Year Three and Four trip to the Church - Monday 25th March 2024

The children in Year Three and Four will be walking to St Cyprian's on the Monday 25<sup>th</sup> March to learn about the Easter story as part of our RE curriculum. The children will be able to see the Easter Story depicted throughout the church and learn about how Christians worship in the church at this special time. A permission letter will be sent out to classes directly.

#### Year Four and The Great Orchestra Project

Year Four are participating in the Nottingham Music Partnership's Great Orchestra Project on the 20<sup>th</sup> March at the Albert Hall in Nottingham. A letter with further details will be sent out nearer the time. There will be no cost involved in this amazing opportunity.



# Gardening and Growing Together Club!

We are all aware of the rising costs of fruit and vegetables at the moment and so as a school we think it would be a nice idea to set up a joint parent and child gardening club, making use of our vegetable plot. Food grown together will be shared out to the families involved from the beginning to the end to help save food bills and provide a family community approach. The club would run on a Tuesday 3.00pm – 3.30pm. Parents would be needed to attend on some days to help dig out and repair the allotment and then the children can join to sow seeds and plants to create a growing area in school. NO experience of gardening needed, just a willingness to have a go. Please let the office know if you would like to be part of this project by MONDAY 4<sup>th</sup> MARCH 2023.



#### HELP!

Does anyone own a shop or restaurant, or know someone that does that the children could visit to see how people work behind the scenes? Please let me know.

Do you work in industry or in a role that you would be happy to talk to the children about in assembly? Our children would love to hear about all the different careers that are available. If you would be happy to talk to the children about your role, we will be alongside you! please let me know as soon as possible.

#### World Book Day -Thursday 7th March

We look forward to seeing everyone dressed up as their favourite book character on this day – no money required!

#### **Reading Angels**

If you would like to volunteer to come and hear children read, please speak to Miss Cooper about the training and supervision given to help you, help our children with their reading.



#### School Council Cake Sale

The School Council and fundraiser group of pupils will be holding a cake sale on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March, please send in any home-made or purchased cakes for the sale on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> and the morning of Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March. **A polite reminder we are a nut free zone in school.** 



# Diary Dates - all on Class Dojo too

<b>26</b> Feb	MONDAY - SCHOOL EVENT parents evenings - booking through Calendy App again 3:00 PM - 5:30 PM 5 comments
<b>28</b> Feb	WEDNESDAY - SCHOOL EVENT Parents Evening booked through the Calendy App 3:00 PM - 5:30 PM 3 comments
<b>7</b> Mar	THURSDAY - SCHOOL EVENT World Book Day 2024 All day
<b>15</b> Mar	FRIDAY · SCHOOL EVENT Red Nose Day 2024 All day
<b>18</b> Mar	MONDAY - SCHOOL EVENT Book Look <b>3:15 PM - 3:45 PM</b>
<b>20</b> Mar	WEDNESDAY · SCHOOL EVENT International Francophonie Day All day

