



Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> April 2021

Dear Parents/Carers,

Another great week of learning, and although the weather has been cooler, at least it has been mostly fine. This morning there has been some great Year 2 potion making and this afternoon those children are looking forward to spending some time at our allotment. Please make sure your child comes to school/nursery every day dressed for the changeable weather. Also please make sure you apply sun cream before they come to school as we cannot have sun cream in school at the moment.

**PLEASE MAKE SURE COMPLETED QUESTIONNAIRES ARE RETURNED AS SOON AS POSSIBLE, AND THANK YOU FOR TAKING THE TIME TO DO THIS. Your feedback is very much appreciated.**

**HEROES STAMP DESIGN COMPETITION:** I will send all entries off on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> May to ensure they arrive before the closing date, so this gives you plenty of time. If you need another entry form you can pick one up from the cabin.

**SCHOLASTIC BOOK CLUB:** If you want to order anything from the leaflet you had last week please complete and return the order form, plus payment, by tomorrow or you can order directly online.

**WORKERS OF THE WEEK:** We want to celebrate children who work hard and try their best whether they are learning at the moment at school or at home. When your child is chosen as 'Worker of the Week' they will come home with a certificate on Friday afternoon (even if you're at home at the moment a certificate will be made – don't forget to look on the back of it to see the photo/photos of them being busy in school/at home. Our 'workers of the week' this week are:

**Parrots – Finley Upton**

**Penguins – Emelia Russ**

**Toucans – Theo Hodgkinson – Denzel Lowton**

**Puffins – Jack Robinson**

**Flamingos – Jean-Paul Taylor**

My Head teacher awards this week go to:

**Joseph Beresford (Year 2) for working super hard at homes with your maths every evening. Joseph this is having a positive impact on your work in school and I am very impressed with your commitment towards your learning. Keep this up! 😊**



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Joseph Lees (Year 2) for settling back into school really well after the Easter holidays, and for engaging very well during my Maths lesson on Wednesday. You did some great recording of those number sentences and I was very pleased with you. Joseph I am impressed with how well you are doing in school. Keep this up! 😊

Maisie Smith (Year 1) for being super brave in hospital before and after your operation. I loved seeing the picture of you sitting up in bed eating that muffin (it looked delicious!) and the one of you with your certificate from the hospital. We are looking forward to seeing you back in school very soon. Well done Maisie! 😊

Sebastian Liston (Year 1) for working steadily and trying hard in your lessons – I noticed this in phonics this morning when I was teaching your group. Seb I often see you learning and playing really nicely with your friends and this is great to see. Keep this up! 😊

Ethan Brown (FS2) for being an interested and interesting learner! Ethan you are doing SO well at the moment and this is especially so in phonics and maths. I love seeing how enthusiastic you are about the world around you, and listening when you explain things you are doing or have been doing to me. You have such a great vocabulary, and you are very expressive. Keep being you! 😊

Daniel Benyei (FS2) for engaging with some lovely play and learning. Daniel, it's lovely to seeing you happily playing with your friends; you were great at jumping like a frog and a kangaroo and I loved hearing about the Easter eggs you had. Keep it up! 😊

**UNIFORM:** We have a large stock of new uniform now in school. This can be purchased for use now or for September. If you would like to order anything please pick up a paper copy of the order form from the cabin or click on the link below. Payment is requested upon collection. There is also plenty of pre-owned uniform in the cabin that can be purchased.

[Click here](#)

**DECORATE A TILE – CORONAVIRUS IN PICTURES:** If you would like your child to take part in this activity please ask for a tile and pens. This will be an ongoing art project as we only have a couple of sets of pens, but hopefully we can put the tiles together in a frame, similar to the Year 2 Remembrance tiles) to remember the past year – an event that will go down in history that we all were a part of!

**BREAKFAST CLUB & AFTER CARE:** Please book in using the link below.

[Summer Term 1 – Breakfast and After School Care – Click here](#)

**CLOTHING:** Please make sure any clothing your child wears to school is clearly named. This is especially important for school sweatshirts, cardigans and coats. Please make sure your child always has appropriate clothing, for example a waterproof and weatherproof coat, suitable footwear, a hat, gloves etc. NO SCARVES PLEASE.



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**JEWELLERY: CHILDREN ARE NOT ALLOWED TO WEAR ANY JEWELLERY TO SCHOOL or NURSERY. THIS INCLUDES PLAY JEWELLERY, BRACELETS, WATCHES & EAR-RINGS (other than plain studs).**

**WATER BOTTLES: Please make sure your child has a fresh bottle of water every day. Bottles of water can be purchased in the cabin for 50p if you forget.**

**Please find a list of dates below. These will be updated as necessary weekly so please do keep checking them for changes/additions.**

Day, date & time	Class/Year Group	Event
Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> May 2021	May Bank Holiday NO SCHOOL & NURSERY	
Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> May 2021	Break up for May holiday week	
Monday 7 <sup>th</sup> June 2021	Back to School & Nursery for Summer Term 2	
Thursday 1 <sup>st</sup> July 2021, 8.30am departure from school-4pm departure from Lea Green	Year 2 Puffins & Flamingos	Education Day at Lea Green
Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> July 2021	INSET Staff Training NO SCHOOL & NURSERY	
Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> July 2021	1.30pm, School Sports Afternoon for school & nursery Summer Fayre	
Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> July 2021	Whole School Outdoor Activity Day – an exciting day of learning outdoors for all school children	
Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> July 2021	Whole School Sports Activity Day – Paralympic athletes will be joining us for the day to deliver a variety of sporting opportunities across the school day	
Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup> July 2021	Whole School & Nursery Birthday Party to celebrate everyone’s birthday from September 2020 - August 2021	
Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup> July 2021	End of term for children in Nursery – usual collection times	
Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July 2021, 10am	Year 2 Leavers Assembly – this will be held on the school field, more information to follow	
Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July 2021	Break up for Summer holidays – collection from 1pm No After School Clubs or Care	

Your child’s safety, well-being and happiness will always be a top priority for us throughout the year. If there is something worrying your child, please let us know – little things can quickly escalate if they are not dealt with. If you are not able to speak to your child’s class teacher at the beginning of the day please feel that you can pop up to the office to see me, or catch me around school if you have any concerns or worries about anything you feel may



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affect your child's education. It is very important we are kept informed so that we can ensure your child receives the best care and education.

Please also remember to let us know if your immediate contact details change, especially mobile phone numbers.

If you ever need to make contact with school after we have closed please be aware that you can send a text via Teachers2Parents, (07786208446) or by email, [headteacher@tibshelf-inf.derbyshire.sch.uk](mailto:headteacher@tibshelf-inf.derbyshire.sch.uk) I will usually pick up messages from both or one of these sources until about 10pm, and of course, if you need me to, I will contact you. Sometimes there may be something worrying or upsetting your child and you might not be able to get to the bottom of it – please do not feel you have to worry all night!

You can log onto our website at [www.tibshelf-inf.derbyshire.sch.uk](http://www.tibshelf-inf.derbyshire.sch.uk) or contact us via email [info@tibshelf-inf.derbyshire.sch.uk](mailto:info@tibshelf-inf.derbyshire.sch.uk) or [headteacher@tibshelf-inf.derbyshire.sch.uk](mailto:headteacher@tibshelf-inf.derbyshire.sch.uk), or phone **01773 872571**. If we are not in the office when you phone you will hear a lovely answer phone message from one of our Year 2 pupils – just leave your message and we'll get back to you. Weekly newsletters can also be found on our website.

Have a good week,

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