

Newsletter - 14th March 2025

Dear Parents,

An exciting week of learning has passed, and we look forwards to welcoming all parents to school next week for parents evening, if you have not yet made an appointment please speak to the school office to arrange an appointment to discuss your child's learning.

On Tuesday next week our Early Years and selected Year 1 and 2 pupils are looking forwards to their Dance Festival at Ashville College. Please could you ensure your children come to school dress in their PE uniform and have a water bottle. I know the team are looking forward to a fun filled session.

Thank you to all parents for their support and swift action on Thursday re the school emergency closure due to a burst pipe. Thankfully the Local Authority acted quickly and efficiently supporting the team on the ground resolve and thankfully school opened as normal today.

Have a lovely weekend.

Kind regards, Rob Lakin Interim Headteacher

Attendance

Attendance Matters



| | Spofforth | |
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| Year | This | Last |
| Group | week | Week |
| Reception | 94.23% | 88.89% |
| Year 1 | 87.84% | 91.67% |
| Year 2 | 90.15% | 87.12% |
| Year 3 | 97.55% | 97.06% |
| Year 4 | 99.24% | 89.39% |
| Year 5 | 99.43% | 96.43% |
| Year 6 | 90.38% | 88.46% |

National expectation 97%

Our Worship Themes



Values for Life: Service

British Values: Democracy

Dates for the diary



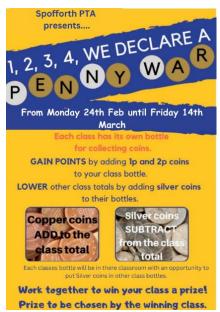
| 18 th March | Parent Consultations | |
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| 19 th March | Class 1 Parent workshop 9:10am | |
| 20 th March | Parent Consultations | |
| 28 th March | Bunny Bounce (in school time) | |
| 3 rd April | Easter service at Spofforth Church | |
| | 9:30am. Decorated Easter egg | |
| | competition | |
| 4 th April | Break up 2.30pm | |

| Summer Term | |
|--------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 22 nd April | School re-opens |
| 1 st May | Class 4 Sharing assembly 2:50pm |
| 5 th May | Closed Bank Holiday Monday |
| 8 th May | Class 3 sharing assembly 2:50pm |
| W/C 12 th May | Year 6 SATs week |
| 15 th May | Class 2 sharing assembly 2:50pm |
| 22 nd May | Class 1 sharing assembly 2:50pm |
| 23 rd May | Walk to School Day |
| 23rd May | Break up 3.20pm |

General School News

PTA Fundraising

The penny wars are well underway, and the jars are starting to fill, keep bring in any spare coins to help your win.



Class 2 Workshop

In Class 2's DT lessons they have been learning how to design a moving story book. During their Class workshop on Wednesday, the children enjoyed designing and decorating a moving story book with their adults. The children thought of their own backdrop and characters. The following day, in class the children enjoyed presenting their book and showing the story, without words, using the sliding mechanisms.









Community News

Parking

Drop off and pick up times can be very busy, and we ask that everyone is considerate of local residents on their journeys. Please park and walk sensibly to ensure everyone is able to arrive and depart from school safely.

Rise and Shine



If you would like to register your child for a place at Rise and Shine Breakfast Club, at Spofforth, please contact Sharon on 07841 615845 or email: sharon1932@live.co.uk

Monday Monkeys Playgroup

