

# Sutton St James CP School

## Weekly Update

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### Reminders:

- ◆ Tuesday 7th February—  
Open Morning
- ◆ Tuesday 7th February—Art  
Gallery, 6—7.30pm
- ◆ Wednesday 8th February—  
Year 5 SATs and 11+ meet-  
ing, 6pm
- ◆ Tuesday 21st February—  
Parents Evening
- ◆ Wednesday 22nd February—  
Parents Evening
- ◆ Friday 3rd March—World  
Book Day
- ◆ Tuesday 21st March—  
Science Day
- ◆ Friday 24th March—  
Mothers Day and celebration  
assembly
- ◆ Friday 24th March—Comic  
Relief Day
- ◆ Tuesday 28th March—Whole  
school visit to Magna Sci-  
ence Adventure Centre
- ◆ Wednesday 29th March—  
PTA Disco, 6.30-8pm
- ◆ Thursday 30th March—  
Easter Extravaganza, 2-3pm

### 2016/17 Term Dates

- Term 3—4th Jan—10th Feb  
17,
- Term 4—20th Feb—31st Mar  
17,
- Term 5—18th Apr—26th May  
17,
- Term 6—5th Jun—19th Jul 17



### The Day the Romans Invaded School

Monday morning got off to an interesting start with a whole class full of Romans turning up to school! The children and teachers in Owls class had a great day,



dressed in costume and in role as Romans. The children shot a ballista in the hall (Don't tell Miss Willows) and they went outside and watched Dan fire an arrow from his bow. He brought lots of weapons with him to show the children. Everyone in the hall got a chance to take part in an acting role, some children were soldiers, some were a Roman army and Stanford, Tyler, Aronas and Oliver were Emperors! The children all took part in a time travelling activity and a quiz. Trying

on armour was a highlight of the day too!



Thank you to all parents who helped to make this such an amazing day by providing their child with a costume. It made it much easier for the children to get into role and have a really memorable day!



### School Council go to Houses of Parliament

Through a local cluster of schools the Year 5 and 6 school councillors have had the opportunity this week to go to the Houses of Parliament on a visit to learn all about democracy and how Parliament works. The children travelled by coach with a member of staff to London, where they had a tour of the Houses of Parliament, met an MP and completed activities in the visitor centre—all free of charge.



### Parents of Year 5—Meeting about SATs and 11+

On Wednesday at 6pm there will be a meeting regarding the SATs tests and 11+ test that your child will sit during Year 6 at our school. The meeting will give you information about the tests, the format of them and the importance of them. It will be an opportunity for you to ask any questions that you may have and both Miss Francis and Miss Willows will be available for you to speak to after the meeting. We hope that you will find this meeting informative and that it will help you to appreciate what will be expected of the children by seeing actual test papers and what will be expected of your child next year.

### World Book Day

On Friday 3rd March we will be holding our annual World Book day. On this day the children will be invited to come in dressed as a favourite book character. They can come dressed as any book character. Hopefully by giving you lots of notice this means that you can get creative over the holiday in preparation, helping you to spend minimal money sorting a costume for this day.

Get your thinking caps on and get creative!



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