

Sutton St James CP School

Weekly Update

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Reminders:

- Tues 6th Feb—Open morning 9—11.30
- Weds 7th Feb—Y5 parents meeting regarding SATs and 11+
- Tues 27th Feb—Parents evening, 4.30—7pm
- Wed 28th Feb—Owls visit to Cambridge museum
- Thurs 1st March—Parents evening, 3.30-6pm
- Fri 2nd March—World Book Day
- Fri 9th March—Mothers Day assembly
- Tues 13th March—Planetarium visit to school
- Wed 21st March—Spring and Easter celebration at the Baptist Church, 6pm
- Mon 26th March—Whole school science visit
- Tues 27th March—Easter Extravaganza, 1.45pm
- Tues 27th March—PTA Disco, 6.30-8pm
- 2017/18 Term Dates**
- Term 3—3rd Jan—9th Feb
- Term 4—19th Feb—28th March
- Term 5—16th April—25th May
- Term 6—4th June—20th Jul



Gratitude Success

On Tuesday, last week, the JPCSOs were delighted to see their Gratitude Box fill and overflow with very generous donations from the children across the school. They were overwhelmed with the generosity of their peers who had donated numerous toys, books and games for people who are less fortunate than themselves.



The JPCSOs were proud to hand over the fantastic donations to one of the local

PCSOs to take and give to charity. A big thank you goes to everybody who donated their old (and in some cases brand new) toys and games which they no longer wanted/used. It is lovely to know that we have a school full of children who want to help others and support each other in their efforts to help the community. Well done JPCSOs—we are very proud of your efforts!

Outdoor Gym Update

As you will have seen the outdoor gym equipment has now been installed. Unfortunately, it is not ready to be used yet as we are waiting for the top layer of safety surfacing to be laid underneath it and this cannot yet be done as the ground is too wet at the moment. This will be finished as soon as possible and then the children will be trained how to use it safely before they are timetabled to use it at playtimes, lunchtimes and during PE.

Safer Internet Day

Tuesday 6th February is Safer Internet Day and we will be linking many of our activities in school on this day to the safe use of the Internet. Unfortunately many children in today's society are exposed to inappropriate content on the Internet which has a negative impact on



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their behaviour and understanding of what is acceptable in society. We will be using the age appropriate resources available on the website <https://www.saferinternet.org.uk/safer-internet-day/2018> to support our work in school. If you would like to reinforce the work that we will be doing in school on the day please feel free to take a look at the activities available on the website and use them with your child at home. If you would like any advice on keeping your child safe on the Internet at home please contact us and we will be happy to point you in the right direction. Thank you for helping us to keep your children safe.

Open Morning—Tuesday 6th February

Please remember that on Tuesday 6th February, next week, we open our doors and invite you to come in and work alongside your child in the classroom. The children really enjoy having their family members in the classroom so that they can show them how they learn every day and impress them with how amazing they are! Doors will open at 9am, tea and coffee will be provided at break time in the hall, and the morning will end at 11.30, allowing time for the children to get ready for lunch. We look forward to seeing lots of you there and hope that you enjoy the morning as much as other parents have in the past!