

Family Update

18th March 2022



Updates

Hello everyone and Happy Comic Relief Day. We've had a crazy mix of wild and intricate hairstyles today to celebrate Comic Relief and to raise money for lots of worthy community projects and charities. Thank you for helping your child to join in the fun. For National Science Week the children have been scientists all week too, investigating a giant egg that had suddenly appeared in our school grounds. They have seen it, sniffed it, poked it, moved it, shaken it and even zip wired it to try to work out where it came from, what it is and if anything will hatch from it. The intrigue mounts! We also have some hens' eggs in our Learning Tree room where children are regularly checking on the eggs and 'candling' them to see the movements of the unborn chicks inside.

In our Towards Independence department we are extending our range of Entry Level Qualifications to include those under the AQA Awarding Body. For this reason we have undergone an inspection this week to ensure that we have all the relevant policies in place and can secure accommodate the examination material. Exciting times as we increase the academic focus for some of our students.

As part of our vocational preparation for adulthood programme we have had a visit today from a Prison Officer from Swinfen Prison. She shared with the students in Adventurers and Towards Independence Department, just what is involved in her work and all the requirements for the job.

Have a wonderful weekend, keep safe and well. From Your Leadership Team

Photos from the Week



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British Science Week

This week is British Science week and a huge egg appeared over night in the playground! First the nest arrived, then the egg and now it looks like something may be hatching . Pupils have been investigating the egg, researching what may have laid it and predicting what might happen next. We also have the great opportunity to have some real eggs in school—pupils have loved learning how to candle the eggs and monitor how they are changing. Arrivals expected in 10 days!



Red Nose Day

Pupils have been raising money for Red Nose Day by coming into school with their hair decorated and looking fabulous! There has also been lots of baking, solving puzzles and even a treasure hunt around the playground.



Parents Recommend

We have had another great recommendation:

"I can also recommend Bodrumorphix in Derby. It's a UV neon glow studio which can be hired out for a minimum of 1-3 people up-to parties of a maximum of 15 people. My son loved the lights, exploring all the toys in a safe & relaxing environment. The lady that runs the studio is so friendly and helpful making sure your needs are met ."

If you have anything you would like to share, please email it to:

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Key Dates

21st March—Towards Independence Learning Conference

31st March—Full Governors

6th April—Easter Assembly
(Investigators Department)

11th April—Easter Holidays

25th April—INSET Day (school closed to pupils)

26th April—Return to school



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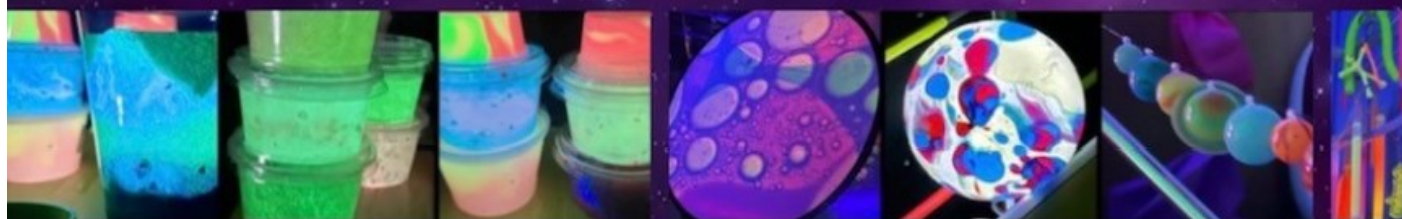
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