



Woodbury C of E Primary School

23rd February 2018

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Dear Parents

The first week has flown by! It is hard to miss the new gates and fencing which have been installed on the playground. The height is the standard regulation and they have been installed to improve the safety of the children – although we are finding an additional bonus is that they stop any balls inadvertently escaping at playtime and during PE lessons!

40 Acts of Kindness

This year we are looking to build on the success of last year's "40 Acts of Kindness" during Lent. 40 Acts is the generosity challenge for Lent created by Stewardship, a UK Christian charity. For seven years, 40 Acts has asked the questions: What if Lent could be about more than just giving stuff up? What if it could be a time of radical generosity as well as spiritual discipline? Our Ethos Group have influenced the choice of our acts of kindness, to ensure that they reflect both our school and Christian values. They have also led Collective Worship this week explaining to the rest of the school about the acts of kindness and ideas for how to achieve them. You will find our 40 Acts of Kindness poster attached to this email as well as on the school website.

World Book Day: Fancy dress, book donations and Scholastic vouchers

We will be celebrating World Book Day on Thursday 1st March. To add to the day we ask if the children can come to school dressed as a book character and the learning throughout the day will be focussed upon book related activities.

We are also asking the children to donate a book which is in good condition to the school library. The children will be given a name plate to stick inside the book to show who made the donation. The donations you made last year made a tremendous difference to the choice of books the children have to read and we would be delighted if you could do the same again this year.

We will be sending home a **£1 World Book day voucher and a Scholastic booklet**, which you can redeem your voucher against. Scholastic will give us free books depending upon the number of sales made. **Please make cheques payable to DCC and return by 2nd March.**

End of the day on the playground

The children should not use the climbing equipment un-supervised - if you do let them play here this is entirely at your own risk. Please note that you will need to have left the premises by 3.30pm as the school gates will be closed at that time for security reasons.

Reminder: Parents Meetings 13th and 14th March

If you have yet to sign up, please could you do so on the school website using your eschools log in details.

Lost Property

There are quite a few unnamed items of clothing, footwear and packed lunch boxes in the lost property. Please have a look next week as on Friday afternoon the box will be cleared.

Wishing you a lovely weekend

Mrs Sparks