

# Holy Trinity CE Primary Academy Newsletter



C. E. PRIMARY ACADEMY  
(HANDSWORTH)

## Number 11 - 17.2.23

### Parents Evening

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*Thank you to those parents who attended the Parents Evening last night. I do hope that you found it useful to speak to your child's class teacher to find out how they are progressing now that we are half way through this academic year. Below is a table showing attendance for each class at last night's parents evening. The table shows the number of appointments made and then the number of appointments attended. We would love for each class to have an attendance rate of 100% as it is really important for us to work in collaboration for the best for your child.*

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### Parents Evening February 2023

Year group	Appointments made	Attended appointment
Reception	16/20 80%	15/20 75%
Year 1	14/20 70%	10/20 50%
Year 2	22/30 73%	21/30 70%
Year 3	15/23 65%	14/23 61%
Year 4	21/30 70%	20/30 67%
Year 5	26/30 87%	24/30 80%
Year 6	18/27 67%	17/27 63%

### Wedding

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*Over the half term break, Miss Wilson will be getting married. When we return we will all have to try to remember to call her Mrs Clark. Hopefully, it won't take us too long! We all hope that Miss Wilson and her family and friends have a lovely day and we wish the future Mr and Mrs Clark a lifetime of love and happiness.*

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## Industrial Action

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*As you may have seen in the news over the last week the NEU, a teaching union, will be asking their members to go on strike again on Wednesday 1st March. At this current time none of our teachers here at Holy Trinity are going to go on strike. Therefore, **school will be open as normal to all pupils on Wednesday 1st March.** I will keep you updated if there are going to be changes to this.*

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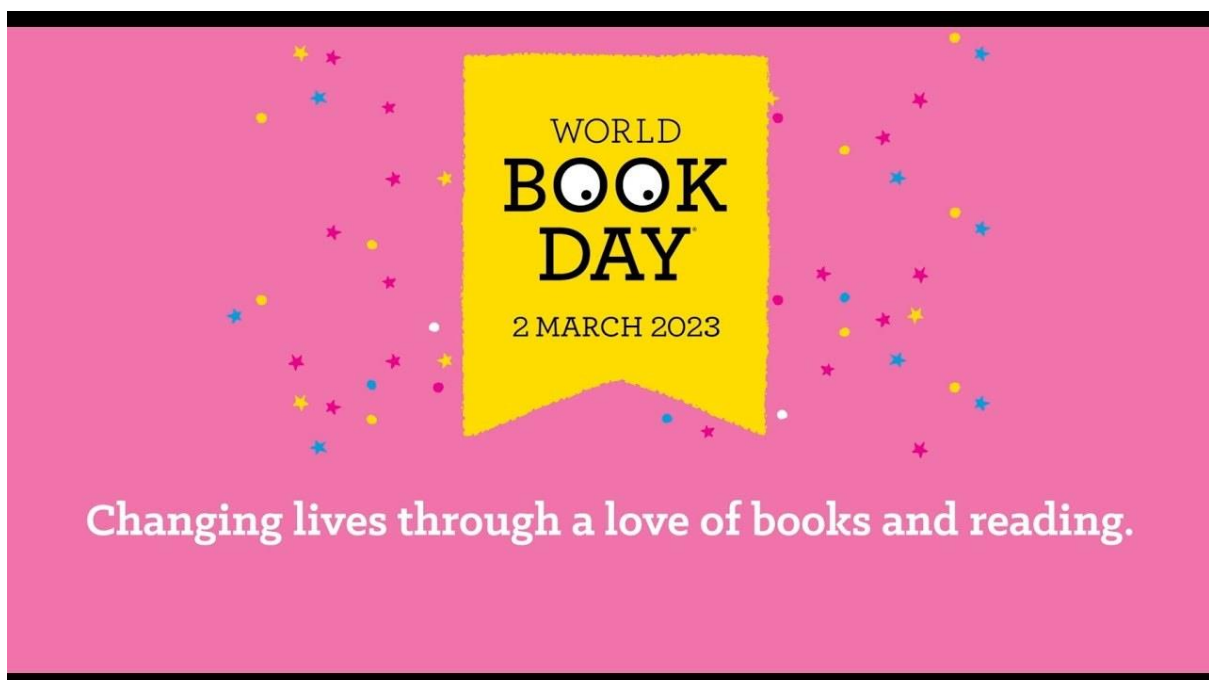
## CHANGE OF DIARY DATE

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*You may have seen in the end section of this Newsletter that we had planned a Teacher Day on Friday 31st March. We have been evaluating our current school priorities and have made the decision to cancel this day as we feel that it is more important to have the children in school. Therefore school will be open to ALL children on Friday 31st March. The Teacher Day that is planned for Friday 26th May will still take place.*

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## World Book Day



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*World Book Day will take place on Thursday 2nd March 2023. The children will be taking part in lots of exciting activities throughout the day. To make the most of this special occasion, we are encouraging all children to come to school dressed in their pyjamas and all classes will finish the day with a bedtime story.*

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## Holiday Activities and Food Programme - February Events - Open for bookings now!

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*A message from Birmingham Children's Partnership:*

*"We're delighted to offer two opportunities for children and families to join in some exciting events taking place across Birmingham during February half-term.*

*The events are aimed at children and young people in Birmingham aged 4-16 who are eligible for benefits-related free school meals.*

***Come and Try Bring it on Brum! - from Monday, 20 February to Friday, 24 February***

*These FREE 'taster' sessions will allow children and families to experience some of the services and activities available through Bring it on Brum, and be encouraged to sign up for the Easter Summer, and Winter holidays!*

*There'll be lots of activities on offer including sports and games, arts and crafts, dance and music, and sharing of information and advice for the whole family!*

***Bring it on Brum! Family Food Festivals - from Saturday, 11 February to Sunday, 26 February***

*These FREE events are designed to include a variety of practical demonstrations, workshops for children and adults alike, and offer information and advice on cooking for a family".*

***Open for bookings now and no HAF codes required!***

*Visit the Bring it on Brum! website: [www.bringitonbrum.co.uk](http://www.bringitonbrum.co.uk)*

*For queries or further information please contact: [Birminghamholidayactivities@streetgames.org](mailto:Birminghamholidayactivities@streetgames.org)*

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## Red Nose Day 2023



**FRIDAY 17 MARCH**

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*Red Nose Day, or Comic Relief, will be taking place on Friday 17th March 2023. On this day we will be holding a non-uniform day and we are asking for £1 donation, which will go to Comic Relief.*

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## Attendance for week beginning 6th February 2023

Class	% Attendance
Whole school	94.97%
Reception	98%
1	94%
2	92.9%
3	96.96%
4	95%
5	93%
6	96.3%

## Year 3 swimming

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*Thursday 16th February will be the last swimming session for Year 3 this academic year.*

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## Diary dates

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*Friday 17th February - Children break up for half term*

*Monday 20th February-Friday 24th February - Half term*

*Monday 27th February - Children return to school*

***Friday 31st March - Children break up for Easter - CHANGE OF DATE***

*Monday 3rd April-Friday 14th April - Easter holiday*

*Monday 17th April - Children return to school*

*Monday 8th May - Bank holiday (Kings Coronation)*

*Thursday 25th May - Children break up for half term*

*Friday 26th May - Teacher Day*

*Monday 29th May-Friday 2nd June - Half term*

*Monday 5th June - Children return to school*

*Tuesday 26th July - Children break up for summer holiday*

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