

North Beckton News



Dear Parents/Carers,

It has been a lovely end to the term this week as we've had our Achievement Assemblies (and the warm weather has meant that playing out has been far more enjoyable!) It was particularly pleasing to hand out 140 certificates to children across the school who have 100% attendance from September; I felt this was extremely impressive and , as I pointed out to the children, better than Ms Helm who has had one sick day!

There are lots of things going on in the community over the half-term break so please use this newsletter as a way of finding out more about the different options available.

Thank you for your continued support as we move together in partnership. Regards, Ms Helm



It's been a very proud week celebrating lots of things in our Achievement Assemblies. We talk about being pleased and proud for our friends, even if we didn't win anything for ourselves.



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Monday 18 February Thursday 21 February 11.30am-12.30pm 11.30am-1pm Spelling Bee and Anagrams Playful way to test and increase your vocabulary spelling. Ages 6-14. Sow and Grow workshop using recycled containers. Ages 5+. 12.30-1.30pm Slime making workshop. Ages 4+. 2-3pm Road Awareness Try out a virtual reality headset and test your 3.30-4.30pm road awareness. Register in advance. Ages 10+. **Arts & Craft** Create characters from The Hound of the Baskervilles with playdough. Ages 5+ **Obstacle Course** Tuesday 19 February Get fit and have fun with your family and 10.30-11.30am Light refreshments provided. **Sing-a-long storytelling**. Story and rhyme time session. Ages 0-5. Friday 22 February 11.30am-1.30pm Lego Club Exercise for your body and brain. Ages 5+. Use your imagination and our bricks for creative construction fun. Ages 3-8 Performance of Sherlock Holmes and The Hound of the Baskervilles. Join the world's finest detective and his trusty **Bowling and Table Tennis**Get fit and have fun, All ages sidekick as they attempt to solve a canine 3.15-5.30pm Family Movie. All ages. mystery. Ages 4+ Wednesday 20 February Saturday 23 February 11am-12pm Recycled Crafts 10.30am-12.30pm Design your own artworks using recycled Saturday Family Fun materials. Ages 4+. Family stay and play. Under 4's. Detective themed Tea Party Code Club. Age 8-13. With storyteller and activities. Age 4-11 years. Light refreshments will be provided. Bring a library card to access computers. 2-5pm Family Movie. All ages. 4.45-5.45pm Chess Club Come and Learn to play chess. Ages 5+. Times may change on the day and we ask for your patience. All children in the library should be accompanied by their adult at all times.

Spring Term Events:

Friday 15th February: Last Day of Term

Monday 25th February: First Day of Spring 2 Term

Wednesday 27th February: Year 2 at British Museum

Thursday 7th March = World Book Day.

"THE *MAGIC* OF READING" - this might be | Harry Potter, fairy tales, the Magic Finger or any other magic characters . . .

Friday 8th March: Year 5 trip to Colchester Zoo.

Friday 8th March: Some year 3/4 children meeting author at Stratford Library

Monday 11th March: Year 4 trip to Science Museum.

Thursday 28th March: TTLT Spelling Competition

| Thursday 4th April: WHAT WE HAVE | LEARNT AFTERNOON—PLEASE COME | AND JOIN US TO FIND OUT MORE | ABOUT OUR SPRING TERM LEARN-| ING

Parents' Evening

Save the Date . . .

Our second Parents' Evening of the year will be on Tuesday 2nd April and Wednesday 3rd April

Please save one of these dates so you can come along and see the amazing work your child has been doing this term.

Cricket Trip to Lord's Cricket Ground

On Friday 18th January 2019, 10 pupils from Year 5 were very lucky to visit the home of cricket, Lord's Cricket Ground. During their visit they received expert coaching to help them improve their fielding, bowling and batting skills. They then used these skills to play a game amongst themselves. At the end of the day they had a tour of Lord's Cricket Ground and got to sit in the stands. The pupils really enjoyed their visit and were exceptionally well behaved. Well done to all those who attended the visit.







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SSAT Educational Outcomes Award

We were very pleased to have received the following news this week:

Congratulations to you and everyone at your school for your achievements in the national tests last year. At SSAT we believe it's important to celebrate and share the success stories of schools across the network. I'm delighted to announce that your school has won an SSAT Educational Outcomes award for Children's Attainment - top 10% and Children's Progress - top 10%.

This means that your school has enabled pupils' attainment at both expected and higher standards at KS2 in Reading, Writing and Maths to be in the top 10% of all schools nationally, and has enabled pupils to make progress in Reading, Writing and Maths which is significantly higher than the national average at KS2, and is among the top 10% across all schools nationally.

Congratulations on your SSAT Educational Outcomes Award