

# PARNWELL NEWS

## Message from the Head teacher:

It's been a very busy half term and I would like to thank all the children and teachers for their hard work and I hope you all have a well-deserved break next week. We have lots to look forward when we come back and I am particularly excited to see all the children and staff costumes for world book day on the 5 March. Finally, we say a sad farewell to our School Business Manager Mrs Underwood as she starts a new job. I'm sure you will all join me in wishing her well for the future.

## Bikeability:

Last week there were a number of children who learnt how to ride a bike with the company Outspoken. They all had great fun and I am thrilled they passed the course and were awarded with a certificate. Well done everyone.



## Coronavirus:

There are no cases of the Coronavirus locally, but Public Health England have issued the following advice: always carry a tissue to catch your cough or sneeze, bin the tissue, and kill the germs by washing your hands with soap and water or a sanitiser gel. If you have a cough, fever, or shortness of breath and have been to China, Thailand, Japan, Hong Kong, Taiwan, Singapore, Malaysia, Macau or the Republic of Korea, stay indoors and call NHS 111.

## Attendance Congratulations

Classes with 96% and above:

RJS with 98% and 4YS with 98.1%

## Celebrating Punctuality

Lowest number of late marks

KS1 – 1DG

KS2 – 5TM

## Class attendance:

We have placed a real focus on attendance this term, with a trophy being awarded each week to the class with the highest attendance. This week, 4YS won the trophy with 98.1%, but the class with the best attendance for this half term is RJS with 95.8%

## Dinner menu:

On Monday 24 February 2020 we start week 2 of our [school dinner menu](#)

## World Book Day:

World book day will take place on 5 March 2020. Children can come to school dressed as a character from a book and there will be lots of reading focused activities taking place in school. Dressing up is optional.

## Half term

Have a lovely half term break and remember to set your alarm clocks ready to start school on **Monday 24 February at 08:50.**

## Upcoming events:

<b>5 March</b>	Choir performance at Cresset
<b>5 March</b>	World Book Day
<b>13 March</b>	Red nose day
<b>27 March</b>	Rock Steady end of term concert
<b>11-14 May</b>	Year 6 SATs
<b>18 May</b>	Year 4 Flag Fen Trip