

Spring 1 2019

E—Safety update

Thank you to all the parents who attended our e-safety 'Watch me learn' session on Tuesday 5th March. Your feedback shows that this was a valuable session to help keep your children safe while on-line.

I would like to draw your attention to an App called IMVU which children are currently using. This App can be used to create an avatar and then message people. Please child your child's phone to ensure the content of these messages in appropriate.



Moorpark Holiday Club Open this February Half-term

Book your place now for the February half term holiday club. This week will be filled with fun and activities based around the Chinese new year with a visit to Buffet Fever!

**£20.00—Full Day, £11.00 Half Day,
£6.00—3 hours £3.00—1 hour**



REMINDER—YOUNG VOICES

Thursday 14th February 2019

A fantastic opportunity to sing from a stage with lots of other schools and a chance to meet some celebrity guests!

Be safe online with your child's new Christmas devices

Please take the time to keep your children safe online

Here are a few great sites to help you stay ahead (click on links below):

www.childrenscommissioner.gov.uk/2017/11/28/how-parents-and-carers-can-support-their-children-to-manage-their-rights-and-privacy-online/

www.saferinternet.org.uk/online-safety-live

Diary dates Spring 2019

- * Tuesday, 12th February—Year 5D Blithbury Reindeer Lodge.
- * Wednesday, 13th February—Year 5S Blithbury Reindeer Lodge.
- * Thursday, 14th February—Young Voices Educational Visit.
- * February Half-Term Monday 18th—Friday 22nd February.
- * Monday 25th February—School Opens.
- * Thursday, 28th February—Parents and Carers meeting.
- * Tuesday, 12th March—Year 5 Educational Visit—National Space Centre
- * Wednesday, 13th March—Watch Me Learn Science.
- * Thursday, 14th March—Year 6 Educational Visit—Blackpool Dudgeons

**Breakfast club 7.30am—8.50am £3 per day
Breakfast and activities**

**After School Care Club
3.10 pm—6.00 pm
£7.00 per day teatime
and activities**

BOOK YOUR PLACES



Business Enterprise Week

Congratulations to Year 6 pupils for making the most profit from designing and selling their products at the Business Enterprise Fayre. They are currently deciding on the best investment of their profits.

New Year Helpful Reminder Checklist



- ⇒ Label all items of clothes (check lost property for missing items)
- ⇒ Reading book, diary and water bottle in school every day
- ⇒ Practice at home : spellings , reading, times-tables and telling the time
- ⇒ Correct uniform, hair and no jewellery (as below)
- ⇒ Check new PE and swimming days (on website/ text updates)
- ⇒ Leave all other unnecessary items at home e.g. pencil cases and toys
- ⇒ Speak to staff about any concerns or questions



Uniform, Jewellery, Hair & PE KIT

Thank you for your support with this, our families always uphold a high standard of uniform and presentation and it makes a huge difference to the pride the children show for themselves and their school.

- ⇒ **Black shoes only** (no white soles)
- ⇒ **NO** hair art (shaved lines or patterns) or hair dye.
- ⇒ **NO JEWELLRY** on any day (a watch is acceptable if it's not causing a distraction.) - if your child is having their ears pierced please do so at the start of the Summer holidays so that they can be out by September, we believe that there is no justified reason to have ears pierced during the school year.



Please ensure your child has a **navy blue tracksuit** to wear on PE days with a white T-shirt and trainers or pumps. **LABEL** all items with your child's name.

Your child may use their navy blue sweater with navy jogging bottoms if you do not wish to purchase a full tracksuit. Moorpark tracksuits are available to order.

New Year Parking and Road Safety

Please be alert on all the roads around school when dropping off and picking up your children, please do not park on double yellow lines, yellow zig zag lines or the entrance up from the school which includes the ally way. This is purely for the safety of your children.

Talk to your children again about road safety on the way to and from school and try to walk to school whenever possible.



Please let us know if you would like a larger printed version of the newsletter— you can also access a full colour version on the website.



Swimming Days

Spring Term—Monday

Class 5D will continue to swim until 11th March.

Class 5S will commence on the 18th March.