



Roby Park Primary School Newsletter

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Friday 3rd March 2023

This week's news...

Mother's Day Celebration Assemblies



We are excited to invite Mums/carers/special women in our lives to our Mother's Day Assembly celebrations on **Friday 17th March**.

Celebration assembly times have had to be slightly amended due to Y4 swimming. Assembly times are now as follows:

EYFS @ 9 – 9.45am

Y3 & Y4 @ 10.00 – 10.45am

Y1 & Y2 @ 1.10 – 2.00pm

Y5 & Y6 @ 2.10 – 2.50pm

Attendance and Punctuality

Attendance for week commencing 27.2.23							
Nursery	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
92.0%	93.4%	97.1%	93.8%	95.2%	95.5%	96.7%	87.5%

Punctuality for week commencing: 27.2.23							
Nursery	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
3 lates = 37 mins	1 late = 9 mins	4 lates = 126 mins	2 lates = 20 mins	1 late = 28 mins	1 late = 3 mins	0 lates	2 lates = 21 mins

Whole school attendance has dropped to 94.8%. Holidays will occur warnings and £120 fine per parent per child should unauthorised holidays continue following a warning. There were 244 minutes of missed learning this week due to poor punctuality. Parents/carers need to make sure their children don't fall behind because they are late. Learning starts at 8.45am. 13 children from 11 families were late this week and some multiple times. 14 unauthorised lates in the space of 10 weeks will result in a fixed penalty notice. Please be on time.

If your child has repeatedly been late, expect a home visit from the Local Authority Attendance Team.

If your child is missing school, they are missing out on learning, enrichment experiences and time with their friends which all will have a negative impact upon their wellbeing.

Spring Progress Meetings



We look forward to inviting all parent and carers to our Spring Progress meetings **this Thursday**, when you will find out all about your child's progress and how they are getting on across the curriculum, as well as in their personal, social and emotional development.

Over 72% of families have booked their appointments already. If you haven't booked yours, please head to <https://parents-booking.co.uk/ROBYPARKPRIMARYL36>

Thank You for Your Sponsorship

Thank you to everybody who got involved in our Ready, Steady, Listen/Read event. We have collected over £350 so far.

In addition to the sponsorship money, Usborne will also donate up to 60% of the total raised in **EXTRA FREE BOOKS** to the school which will be picked by the school council.



No Mobile Phones on Site

Use of mobile phones are not permitted **anywhere** on our premises, for any reason. Please make sure mobiles are put away before entering and leaving our gates otherwise a member of staff will have to ask you to leave the premises.



Upcoming Strike Days



Just a reminder that upcoming strike days fall on 15th and 16th March.

Class Science Trips this Month

Upcoming Science Trips are as follows:

- Reception: 13.3.23 @ Imagine That Science Discovery Centre
- Year 1: 28.3.23 @ Catalyst Museum—Soap Suds Workshop
- Year 2: 14.3.23 @ Catalyst Museum—Materials Workshop
- Year 3: 23.3.23 @ Catalyst Museum—Light Workshop
- Year 4: 22.3.23 @ Catalyst Museum—Plastics Workshop
- Year 5: 29.3.23 @ Catalyst Museum—Making a Medicine Workshop
- Year 6: 24.3.23 @ Catalyst Museum—Light Workshop



Please make sure trip payments are settled ahead of your trip. Trips cost £8.50. Trip payments were set up on Parent Pay in early January to allow for low weekly instalments to help cover the cost over a longer period of time.

If there are any issues regarding payment, please do not hesitate to contact the office.

Oh What a Night!

Thank you to everybody who attended our Bingo fundraising event on Friday. We have raised over £2000 which enables us to subsidise our Y6 residential trip to London by a considerable amount.

We were amazed at what a fantastic night it was for all and we would like to give a special shout out to Di from Angels & Scallies who was an incredible host and MC B for a fabulous old school set! Thank you for supporting our school and our children. We can't wait for the next event!



Uniform Expectations—Reminder

A polite reminder that your child should be prepared for school and in the correct uniform every day. If children are sent in to school with the wrong uniform, PE kit or footwear, parents will be called and asked to bring the correct items in immediately.

Dates for your diary

Date	Spring Term 2 Events
20.2.23	Start of term.
1.3.23	Forest School for Y2 & Y6.
2.3.23	World Book Day.
3.3.23	Y2 Class Assembly - prompt 9am start. Please be early.
3.3.23	Adult Bingo Party Night (7-10pm).
7.3.23	It's Your Child's Life Parent Programme for Y3/4 parents - Session #1
8.3.23	Forest School for Y3 & Y4.
9.2.23	Spring Progress Meetings.
9.2.23	Adult Bingo Fundraising Night
10.3.23	Y1 Class Assembly - prompt 9am start. Please be early.
13.3.23	YR trip to Imagine That Discovery Centre
14.3.23	Y2 Catalyst Museum Trip - Materials Workshop.
14.3.23	It's Your Child's Life Parent Programme for Y3/4 parents - Session #2
15.3.23	Forest School for Y5.
17.3.23	Mothers' Day Celebration Services.
21.3.23	World Down Syndrome Day.
21.3.23	It's Your Child's Life Parent Programme for Y3/4 parents - Session #3
22.3.23	Y4 Catalyst Museum Trip - Solids, Liquids & Gases Workshop.
22.3.23	Forest School for YR & Y1.
23.3.23	Y3 Catalyst Museum Trip - Light Workshop.
24.3.23	Y6 Catalyst Museum Trip - Light Workshop.
24.3.23	YR Class Assembly - prompt 9am start. Please be early.
28.3.23	It's Your Child's Life Parent Programme for Y3/4 parents - Session #4
28.3.23	Y1 Catalyst Museum Trip - Soap Suds Workshop.
29.3.23	Y5 Catalyst Museum Trip - Making a Medicine
30.3.23	Easter Discos (EYFS 2-3pm; KS1 3-4pm; KS2 4.15-5.15pm).
31.3.23	Easter Egg Hunt.
31.3.23	End of term @ 1pm.

Y3/4 It's Your Child's Life Parent Programme sessions 5 & 6 will continue on 18th and 25th April.

These dates are subject to change so please keep an eye on Class Charts for weekly updates.



***If your contact details change at any time, please inform the office.
It is important we can contact you in case of emergencies. We must have TWO emergency contacts per pupil.***

