

### Advanced Warning

We will soon begin to collect Easter treats for our huge Easter Raffle. This is always such a popular event with children and we are incredibly grateful for your support. There are some deals on Easter eggs in the supermarkets at the moment so please do consider purchasing an extra one and bring it in for us after half term. More details about purchasing tickets will follow in the coming weeks.

**Celebration Assembly** — well done to these children who shared their fantastic work in Celebration Assembly this week.

### Twitter/ X

Remember you can find us on X @JohnHellins. We love to see your tweets and any photos you share. Following us on X is a great way of feeling involved with the school.



### Half Term

We are looking for rabbit sitters for the half term holiday and the Easter holiday. If you would be able to help us and look after the rabbit for one week then please email [office@johnhellins.co.uk](mailto:office@johnhellins.co.uk). Thank you so much!

### Parent/ Teacher Meetings

Bookings for parent/teacher meetings close on Friday 9th February at 11pm. Please do book a meeting if you can as it is an excellent opportunity to find out how your child is getting on. The focus of the meetings will be your child's academic progress. Also, don't forget that if you would like a meeting with Candace (our SEND-CO) or feel you need extra time with the class teacher, then this can be booked through the main school office.

### Coffee Morning 2nd Feb 9-10am

Save the date – our wellbeing team are organising a coffee morning with the theme of “Supporting Behaviour”. If you would like to chat about your child's behaviour, would like to swap top tips with other parents or have any other pressing wellbeing issue then come along. Everyone will be warmly welcomed.



## Whole School Newsletter

### Friday 26th January 2024

### Dates For Your Diary:

- 29<sup>th</sup> January – KS2 poetry week
- 1<sup>st</sup> February—KS2 Poetry event at 3pm
- 2<sup>nd</sup> February—Coffee Morning—Supporting Behaviours
- 5<sup>th</sup> February—Homework due in
- 12<sup>th</sup> February—Parent Meetings
- 19<sup>th</sup> Feb—Half Term
- 27<sup>th</sup> February—Hodgkin class—Moon landing day
- 28<sup>th</sup> February—Anning class SATS preparation Zoom
- 6<sup>th</sup> March—Edison class trip to Warwick Castle
- 15<sup>th</sup> March – Whole School Come and Learn – Reading Focus 8.40am-9am
- 25<sup>th</sup> March—Franklin class trip to Woburn Safari Park
- 28<sup>th</sup> March—Last day of Spring term
- 16<sup>th</sup> April—Start of Summer term w/c 29<sup>th</sup> April—Hodgkin class Bikeability Level 2
- Friday 17<sup>th</sup> May—Coffee Morning—Raising Confident Children

### Ocarina

Year 2 have made an excellent start to their Ocarina lessons.

### Franklin class trip

Please check your emails for more information for Franklin class trip to Woburn Safari Park. Please book your child's place by logging into ParentPay to make payment. Thank you.

### Homework

Just a reminder that homework is due in on Monday for all children in Year 1-5.