

# COTTERIDGE PRIMARY SCHOOL

## NEWSLETTER



Issue 24

Friday 16th March 2018

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## TTENDANCE

Whole school target is 97%

|              | EYFS | YEAR 1 | YEAR 2 | YEAR 3 | YEAR 4 | YEAR 5 | YEAR 6 |
|--------------|------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Attendance % | 96%  | 97%    | 96%    | 95%    | 98%    | 95%    | 96%    |

Whole School Attendance this week

**96%**

Attendance superstars  
for this week

**1B 98% / 3J 99%**

Our Ofsted visit on Tuesday means that we've had a busier than usual week at Cotteridge School. As with all inspections, we cannot tell you the result immediately but we are looking forward to doing so.

Back to normal school business and our Reception children have been enchanted and engaged by our living eggs. Some of the eggs have hatched quickly this year and the chicks are a delight to see. The Reception Team, led by Mrs Briley, have also run two very successful workshops for parents on working with your child.



Across in Year 1, Mr Bungaroo and Miss Peters led two excellent Reading Inspire workshops which we hope will be useful in helping parents support their children with reading. Thank you to all parents who attended these workshops.

I'm off on a visit today with Year 4 to The Big Bang Science Fair at the NEC and if it's anything like last year's event it will be a fantastic day.

I wish all families a lovely and relaxing weekend, Miss Lacey.

### Upcoming Diary Dates:

|                |                                     |
|----------------|-------------------------------------|
| <b>Fri 16</b>  | Y4 'Big Bang' Science Trip          |
| <b>Sat 17</b>  | Bournville Book Festival            |
| <b>Tue 20</b>  | Y6 Parents' SATS meeting<br>9.10am  |
| <b>Wed 21</b>  | 2W Class Assembly 9.10am            |
| <b>Thur 22</b> | Parents' Evening 5S only            |
| <b>Fri 23</b>  | PTA Non Uniform Day 50p<br>donation |
| <b>Mon 26</b>  | Parents' Evening                    |
| <b>Wed 28</b>  | Parents' Evening                    |

*See the website for future dates*

### Term Dates 2017/18:

#### Spring Term

Mon 26th Feb – Thur 29th Mar

#### Summer Term

Mon 16th Apr - Fri 25th May

**Half Term:** Mon 28th May - Fri 1st Jun

Mon 4th Jun - Fri 20th Jul

#### Teacher Training Days

Monday 23rd July 2018

Tuesday 24th July 2018

#### Voting Day

**3rd May - SCHOOL CLOSED**



Question of the week  
Is it more  
important  
to be liked  
or respect-  
ed?

#### Netball Next match:

High 5 tournament at KNGS Wednesday 21st March at 3.30pm. Home friendly against Bournville Wednesday 25th April.

**Netball Player of the week: Emma 5T**



#### Right of the Week: Article 5 Chosen by Year 3 UNICEF

ambassadors Mia 3J and Jasmin 3B. Governments must respect the rights and responsibilities of parents and carers to direct and guide their children as they grow up, so that they can enjoy their rights properly.



Achieving Excellence

Inspiring Dreams

## Year 1 Reading Inspire Workshops

This week, Year One held their reading workshops. It was great to see parents supporting their children and learning new things. The Children enjoyed playing teacher, showing their parents how to use phonics in reading and writing.



## Reception Parent Workshop

Reception had a successful workshop this week. The children really enjoyed working with their parents doing lots of different activities and showing them our new little chicks! Thanks to the parents for your continuous support.



## PTA Update

'Silver Smarties' are coming home today with your child. Hope they enjoy them! In return we ask that they do tasks at home to earn their 'silver' to fill the tube and return to school on Friday 23rd March. On return to school prizes will be given to those collecting the most In each year group and the overall winning class will win a class prize.

16/3/18. Silver Smarties tubes home.  
23/3/18. Silver Smarties tubes returned to school.  
23/3/18 Non-Uniform day for a donation.  
23/3/18 Cake and Pre-loved uniform sale - Cake donations welcome please.  
28/3/18. Silver Smarties prize day

