



KEYWORTH NEWS

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Important Dates for your Diary

Friday 1st March 2019 – Tutorial Day – School Closed except for parent meetings

Thursday 7th March 2019 – World Book Day

Monday 8th April – Monday 22nd April 2019 – EASTER HOLIDAY

Reminder to parents: Please remember that there will be no choir for the next 3 weeks due to half term and two weeks where Marion is away. Session 6 of choir will start back on Wednesday 13th March.

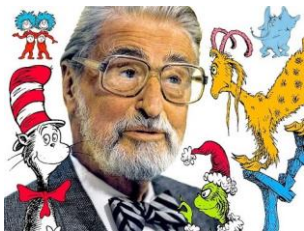
Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back to the second half to spring term! Welcome to March! We hope you have been enjoying the brighter days and the sunshine.

It is World Book Day next Thursday, so all the pupils will be engaging in activities to celebrate reading and authors throughout the week. On Monday it will be the grand launch; on Tuesday the teachers have planned a variety of engaging World Book Day lessons; on Wednesday it will be Design a Book Token Contest; Thursday will be to dress up as your favourite book character (£1.00 to join in) and a Costume Contest.

Another of the ways we'll be celebrating World Book Day is a Keyworth Read-a-thon! Keyworth will be running a Read for Good Sponsored Read-a-thon and we'd love your child to join in. It's been proven that children who read for pleasure are more likely to be successful and happy throughout their lives (OECD). There will be a letter coming home to you with more details.

The take up for appointments for Tutorial Day has been fantastic, but if you were unable to attend please contact the office for an alternative appointment. As we are half way through the academic year it is a crucial time to talk about progress so far, if your child is on track to make expected progress and what the school and you will do to help support your child.



***The more you read, the more things you will know.
The more that you learn, the more places you'll go.***

- Dr Seuss

Have a safe and happy weekend from Sarah, Elizabeth, Ray and all at Keyworth!

INTERNET SAFETY WARNING! MOMO

Thank you to the vigilante parents who have made the school aware of a horrible and destructive online “game” called MOMO. It encourages young people to harm themselves and in some cases even take their own lives. It started in Brazil and has been reported in the UK for the first time. There was a similar ‘game’ called Blue Whale in recent times.

Momo, described as a WhatsApp “suicide challenge”, features an avatar of a woman with dark hair, pale skin and oversized eyes, who sends young people images and instructions on how to harm themselves and others.

Speaking to the BBC, Rodrigo Nejm of Brazil’s NGO Safernet warned that it was probably a form of “bait” used by criminals to steal data and extort people on the internet.

It has been reported in the press that police have “warned parents that the game is actually an attempt by hackers to harvest information”. In a post on Facebook, Craigavon police said that “open source research” suggests that Momo is “run by hackers who are looking for personal info” and warned parents: “Make sure you know what your child has online access to.”

It can appear as ‘pop ups’ whilst children are playing other games. We will be raising pupils’ awareness here, so be alert at home and stress the importance to your children of not joining in and letting you know if they see it.

Week Commencing 04th 2019 Lunch Menu

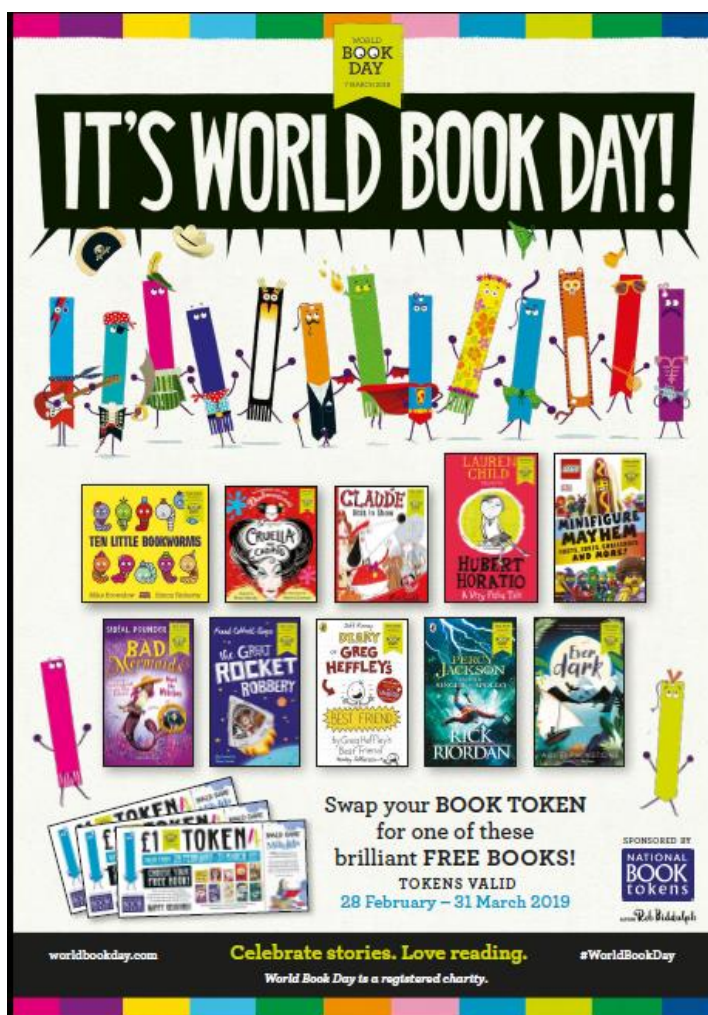
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 3: 12th Nov/ 3rd Dec/ 21st Jan/ 11th Feb/ 4th Mar/ 25th Mar				
Vegetable Chow Mein	Beef Lasagne	Roast Turkey with Roast Potatoes & Gravy	Caribbean Brown Chicken Stew with Rice	Lime & Corriander Baked Fish with Boiled Potatoes
Cheese & Tomato Pasta Bake	Shepherds Pie	Macaroni Cheese	Roasted Vegetable Pizza	Cheese & Leek Pasty with Chips
Broccoli & Cheese Quiche	Butternut Squash Risotto	Beany Ratatouille Wrap	BBQ Chicken Pizza	Jacket Potato with Baked Beans
Carrots Green Beans	Braised Red Cabbage Peas	Broccoli Roasted Root Vegetables	Green Beans Sweetcorn	Baked Beans Peas
Fruit Salad/ Yoghurt	Fruit Salad/ Yoghurt	Fruit Salad/ Yoghurt	Fruit Salad/ Yoghurt	Fruit Salad/ Yoghurt

The following are available daily: Jacket potatoes; Freshly prepared salad bar with 4-6 choices; organic fresh white and wholemeal crusty bread; chilled water

World Book Day at Keyworth!

To celebrate **World Book Day on March 7th 2019** we will be participating in various exciting activities from March 4th to 8th, including:

- The launch of the Keyworth Read-a-thon on Monday March 4th 2019 (see accompanying parent letter)
- Author / Illustrator Masterclasses in lessons all week
- National Book Token Design Contest
- **Dressing up for World Book day!** On **Thursday March 7th** children are invited to come to school dressed as their favourite book character. Prizes will be given for the most creative costumes - particularly if they are homemade!
- Don't forget, every child at Keyworth will go home with a book token for one free book that can be redeemed from all participating book sellers.



WORLD BOOK DAY
7 MARCH 2019

IT'S WORLD BOOK DAY!

TEN LITTLE BOOKWORMS
CINDERELLA
GLADDE
LAUREL CHILD
HUBERT HORATIO
MINIFIGURE MAYHEM
BAD NERMOOD
THE GREAT ROCKET ROBBERY
DORIS OF GREG HEFFLEYS
BEST FRIEND
PERRY JACKSON
RICK RIORDAN
In the Dark

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Keyword Houses and Rewards



Diamond
583



Ruby
545



Sapphire
612



Emerald
586

W/E 25/02	STAR	MATHS	WRITER	CHEST TOTALS
1CS	Abdul	Keishana	Aila	14
1PH	Aiden	Keeva	Abdullah	40
2EM	Davonte	Benite	Maryama	39
2MV	Samiya	Kaalayah	Rose	19
3KW	Roger	Salma	Hamza	12
3TA	Whole Class	Issa	Zoe	57
4BP	Annabel	Akeilah	Mohamed	10
4JB	Keanu	Georgia	Jessica	20
5JC	Mehdi	Joshua	Saleema	24
5JA	Damien	Jun	Ashley	35
6JG	Gabby	Amaar	Morayo	58
6RC	Lateef	Danielle	Zara	32

Well done to Class 4JB for having the best attendance this week achieving 98.51%!