

Easter Garden entries must be in school by 9am on Monday morning. The Y1 doors will be open from around 3.10pm at the end of school so parents/carers can come and view the eggs.

We will be walking to church on Thursday morning. Any parent/carer support would be much appreciated.

Year 3 learnt how to play Tag Rugby and had a mini hockey tournament. They have been busy making things for their topic show case. Hope to see you there!

Year 2 have been working extremely hard this week during testing. They have all shown great resilience. We are also really enjoying our whole class read 'The Owl who is afraid of the dark'. We are excited to find out what happens next.

F2 have been talking and writing about what we did at the Deep last week using words like 'First', 'Next' and 'Finally'. We have also been busy making lots of sea creatures and thinking about how they are the same or different.

Year 5 Lions have been working hard on completing their individual projects on 'Record Breakers', ready for the topic showcase next week. Can't wait to see you there!

F1 have introduced a new topic this week, Pirates. We have been reading about Pirate Pete and his adventures. Inside we have been looking for treasure in the sand pit and have created a large Pirate for the wall.

Year 1 have been practising days of the week in Maths and writing a recount in Literacy. We have also been preparing for our Topic Showcase - Wednesday 21st March, 2:15-3:45.

Miss Davies will be leaving us just before the Easter break, a huge thank you to her for her hard work and good luck with her future plans

Year 4 Toucans have had an excellent week and all the children have done brilliantly on the testing. We have spent a lot of time this week getting our Topic Showcase ready which we are all very excited about. Please remember to read at home and that your homework is brought in on the Thursday.

We are looking forward to seeing you all at the topic showcases in the coming week!

#### Safeguarding – e-safety

Please take time to look at these useful links to help keep your child safe online

<http://ceop.police.uk/>

<http://www.thinkuknow.co.uk>

<http://www.childnet.com/>

<http://www.netSMART.org/Safety/SafetyTips>

<http://www.kidsmart.org.uk/>

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/cbbc/topics/stay-safe>

Anti-extremism and radicalisation website -

<http://www.educateagainsthate.com>

Thank you for your continued feedback. As The Parks Academy strives to ensure achievement for all: working in partnership with our families to enable learners to develop emotionally, socially and academically within a safe and secure environment. Mr Irving holds regular Parent Voice meetings. Staff are available to answer questions or queries and Mr Irving is usually on the yard before and after school. Please feel free to come and speak to us.



Another busy week at the academy. The children have been working hard showing off their skills during testing and they are making fantastic progress! Well done!



Whole School Attendance

94%

Every School Day  
COUNTS

Please take your holidays during one of the 13 weeks pupils have

### Attendance Matters ...

Please make sure if you or your child has an appointment that effort has been made to make sure no school time has been missed. If your child needs to miss school that an appointment card has been shown to the school office. Thank you for your continued support Mrs Adamson



### Star of the Week

- F1 Caterpillars: Millie H
- F2 Butterflies: Alyssa M
- Y1 Otters: Sering B
- Y1 Seals: Maddison H
- Y2 Polar Bears: Katie W
- Y2 Penguins: Grace S
- Y3 Flamingos: Emily H
- Y3/4 Macaws: Remi P
- Y4 Toucans: Mia B
- Y5 Lions: Elliot S
- Y5/6 Leopards: Nicola S
- Y6 Tigers: Ryan G

### Dates for your diary

- 19th March Easter Gardens entries (into the office by 9am) & parents to view at 3pm
- 19th March NAPA 10.30am for Y3/4 parents
- 20th March Easter Crafts morning-tickets already given out
- 20th March Y5 & Y5/6 Topic showcase 2.30pm
- 21st March Y1 & Y2 Topic Showcase 2.15 until 2.45
- 22nd March Easter Service at St Michael's Church
- 23rd March Last Day



98% - Y5 Lions

97% - Y2 Polar Bears

96% - Y1 Otters & Seals



95% - Y2 Penguins

95% - Y3 Flamingos

95% - Y3/4 Macaws

91% - Y6 Tigers



88% - Y4 Toucans

87% - Y5/6 Leopards