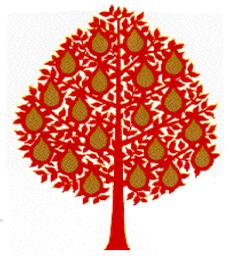




*Whoever you are, be happy, be safe,  
be kind, stay sensible, love learning.*

*Keep caring!*



# The Perryfields Post

Dear Parents and Carers

I hope everyone is enjoying the slightly warmer weather. It is great to get the PE lessons outside again in the fresh air, although coats are still very much needed.

As you know the school has signed up to “Beat The Street” which runs from 28th Feb—10th April. This has started really well. I am personally enjoying walking around the local area and meeting lots of families from Perryfields as well as other local schools whilst also getting fitter at the same time. Over the weekend I managed to walk 6 miles but I still haven’t managed to earn any Gem points!

It is great to see who has been joining in from the Team Leader board, whether that is walking, scooting or riding a bike. I’ll be out and about during the week and weekend again. Please email in any fab photos for us to share!



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## Dates for your diary...

- 8th Mar—Spring Disco
- 15th Mar—Red Nose Day
- 15th to 20th Mar — Travelling Book Fair
- 28th Mar—Last day 1:15pm home time (no Peardrops)
- EASTER HOLIDAY
- 15th April—Children back to school
- 19th April—Class Photos
- 21st May—Open Afternoon 3:05-3:30pm
- 24th May—Sponsored Walk (TBC)
- 24th May—Last Day
- 3rd June—INSET day (staff training no pupils)
- 4th June—Back to school
- 7th June—KS1 swimming starts (details to follow)

## The Big Question



This half term our Core Value is **PERSEVERANCE**. This week we learnt about the story of Robert the Bruce and the spider and how he persevered in battle to eventually win. We have also discussed times in school and home when we have persevered and eventually been successful e.g. riding our bikes, joining letters in our handwriting, remembering our spellings etc. The big question this week is **WHAT SUBJECTS DO YOU FIND DIFFICULT AND WHY?** Please discuss this further at home.



## World Book Day

Although I was at meetings all day yesterday, the feedback I've had from the World Book Day so far has been outstandingly positive. The children enjoyed dressing up in different colours and loved the author visit by Hollie Hughes—FAB!



*Dates continued.....*

### HALF TERM

- 7th June—Summer Fayre inflatables (TBC)
- 18th June—Sports Day PM (TBC)
- 25th—New intake Induction
- 27th June—Reserve Sports Day (TBC)
- 2nd July—New Intake Induction
- 11th July—Move Around Day
- 12th July—Last KS1 swimming
- 23rd July—Last Day—half day school closes at 1:15pm (no Peardrops)

## Reminders

**A GOOD START TO THE DAY**— Please can I remind parents and carers that children should not be running about outside in the playground before school but standing sensibly next to their grown up. This enables the children to come into school calmly and ready to learn. We are seeing more children coming into school either injured, sweaty from running and generally having heightened behaviours. The children have been reminded of this so please can all adults reinforce this with their children.

**TOYS IN SCHOOL**— Please can I remind all parents and carers to ensure that children are not bringing toys from home into school by checking children's coats and bags each day. We have lots of resources in school and our young children become extremely distressed if these are broken, borrowed by another child or lost. Staff are not responsible for these and do not have time to search the classrooms to find them.

## The Big Easter Raffle!

I have been told that there are even more fantastic prizes that have come in for the Big Easter Raffle. Please ask family and friends if they would like to purchase any tickets. If you have sold the tickets that came home then please can the tickets and money be brought into the office.

## Red Nose Day—15th March

On Friday 15th March it is red nose day. As a school we do discuss the purpose of Red Nose Day with the children but do not organise any dressing up events as it is so soon after World Book Day. However, children are able to bring red noses into school that day (please ensure they have names on).

Have a great weekend.

Amanda Reid

**Mrs Farmer's**  
**Attendance**  
**Award -**  
**Topaz Class -**  
**100%**

