



Killamarsh Infant and School

World Book Day

On Thursday we are asking the children to bring in a photograph of their favourite places to read. On world book day in classes the children will be having special stories and talking about their favourite authors and illustrators.

I was fortunate earlier in my career to attend a course with the wonderful Quentin Blake who illustrates many books and illustrated many of Roald Dahl's books. He was amazing.

There are so many beautiful books available today. My son when he was younger enjoyed Percy the Park Keeper books and Captain Underpants. He was a reluctant reader but he loved hearing about Percy and reading Captain Underpants. He loves reading now but it took time .

It is a shame the library in Killamarsh is closed at the moment but they have wonderful books to borrow and share. When we visited the library they made us very welcome and the children loved it. Do visit with your child



If you have not made an appointment for Wednesday evening please ask your child/rens classteacher for an appointment. We have tried our best to fit them in when you want them. Please remember that these interviews are very short and if you have any other concerns to make another appointment. The children's books will be available to look at and so it would be good to arrive a little earlier.

Nursery



Derbyshire County Council

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Special points of interest:

- ☺ 1/3/16 Reception Reading morning
- ☺ 2/3/16 1J assembly 10.15
- ☺ 2/3/16 Parent Consultations
- ☺ 3/3/16 World Book Day
- ☺ 3/3/16 Reception classes to Early Rider Festival
- ☺ 7/3/16 KS1 Reading morning
- ☺ 8/3/16 FSD/H assembly 10.15
- ☺ 10/3/16 Nursery maths morning
- ☺ 14/3/16 Start of Science Week
- ☺ 16/3/16 FS2S Assembly 10.15
- ☺ 17/3/16 Education Group working with the children
- ☺ 18/3/16 Sport Relief
- ☺ 21/3/16 Work Shadowing
- ☺ 23/3/16 Easter Bonnet Parade
- ☺ 23/3/16 Break up for Easter

Celebration Assembly



2W Max Stephens, Jonah Simmonite, Lewie Caudwell, Tyler Dinnitto
2/1B Thomas Rowbotham, Chloe Brady, Evie Cunningham, Harrison Crumpton
1J Millie Briggs, Skye Miles, Demi Lowe, Luidzi Churas
FS2S Darcy Hawes, Manraj Kharoud, Mischa McDonald, Mischa McDonald
FS2D/H Freya Watson, Millie Heiland, Oskar Pacula, Fraya Jones
Nursery Stars Finley Morton Copley, Rudi Baker, Charlotte Hames
Attendance Rec D/H, 2W, 2W, 2W

New arrangements for the start of the day

Although we have had some verbal feedback from staff we really would like to know from parents about the changes and how it works for you. The school does seem a lot calmer at the beginning of the day and we would like to thank parents for working with us. We have already seen some problems and we will address them as quickly as possible.



The children in KS1 are feeling very grown up that they come into school and are organising themselves. The children are managing very well and coats are hung up etc.

Book bags

We ask parents to check book bags each day for letters etc. We now put information onto the website and in a newsletter or flier. We feel we are trying our best to communicate with you and would prefer to keep text messages for emergency messages or when new information has arrived. The website is regularly updated with events etc. We also try to put messages around school as much as possible.

Good luck
clearing
your
messages



Our tradition of Celebration Assemblies has always been that parents are informed the day before as it is meant to be instant reward and recognition for exceptional work in that week. We do delay when parents ask.