

### Blakehill Primary School

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Spring Term

## 2019

## **World Book Week 2019**















# **Upcoming Diary Dates**

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March class photographs

Monday 25<sup>th</sup> March: Penalty Shoot Out sponsor money deadline

Wednesday 27th March: Year 6 at

Immanuel production

Thursday 28th March: Year 5 at

**Immanuel Production** 

Friday 29th March PTFA Mothers' Day

Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> April Year 3 pedestrian training

Monday 8th - Wednesday 10th April Year 4 residential to Nell Bank

Friday 12th April: Wear a Hat to School Day in support of Brain **Tumour Research** 

Friday 12<sup>th</sup> April: School closes

Monday 29<sup>th</sup> April: School reopens





Thank you to everyone who helped to make our World Book Day 2019 a super special event. We received some amazing entries for our 'potato competition' - who knew how versatile a spud could be! Hopefully we have helped to create more treasured memories for the children.



#### Parent and Teacher Consultation Evening Reminder

Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> March 3.45 pm -7.00 pm
Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> March 3.45pm – 7.00pm
We are looking forward to meeting with you next week!

Please contact the school office if you still need to make an appointment to see your child's class teacher.





#### **Cross Country**

A huge well done to our six cross-country runners who represented both Blakehill and Bradford at the West Yorkshire County finals last week. This group of Year 6 pupils showed great strength, stamina and determination before, during and after the event! Well done team – we are incredibly proud of you! Thank you to Mrs Russell, Miss Dobson and all of the accompanying parents.

#### Good Luck Mrs Javed

Mrs Javed left on Wednesday to start her maternity leave. Her baby is due at the end of the month. We are all very excited for her and wish her all the very best.

We are delighted to welcome back Mr Harding, who has worked as a supply teacher in school since 2017 and will be teaching 5J.





#### Reading Café

Friday mornings are reading mornings for parents/grandparents and children in Year 1. What a wonderful way to start the day! The children clearly love having their adults in school to share books with.



During the summer term, the whole school will be involved in a SPACE topic to commemorate 50 years since the first moon landing. If anyone has any memorabilia or can help with resources/ideas, please contact either Mrs Keighley, Mrs Rashid or Mrs Hall who are already busy planning the project.









More pictures on our school website/Twitter



#### **Easter Egg Appeal**

On Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> March our Chair of Governors, Mr Cavalier-Lumley will be doing an assembly about this year's Easter Egg appeal. All donations may be left at the office.

## Attendance



Well done to
Aman and Tegan
for achieving the
100% attendance
award



Current whole school attendance is 96.5%. This time last year it was 95.8%. Thank you!

Well done to the following children who received celebration certificates in assembly on Monday  $4^{th}$  and  $11^{th}$  March

RD - Alba Mitton and Lilia Kerin

RP - Amelia Hildreth and Ruby Georgas

1W - Harman Kaur and Lola Oram

16 - Grace Atkinson and Blake White

**2P** - Zack Ferris-Eamer and Teegan McKinnon

25 - Tilly Robinson and Liam Pearson

3R - Mollie Simpson and Sachleen Kaur

3Ro - Edward Grattan and Theo Trotter

**4H** – Joshua Watson and Georgie Stockdill

4P - Holly Roper and Freya McConnaughie

5J - Jacob Bean and Ashton Midgley

5R - Ruby Briggs and Jacob Holmes

6R - The whole class and Aisha Bibi

6G - Daniel Coe and Jack Radfelder

#### Class Assemblies

#### Spring Term 2019

Class assemblies are on a Friday afternoon at 2:45pm. Parents are welcome to attend their child's class assembly. The dates of all class assemblies for Spring term are:

15 March: 3R 3 May: 4P

22 March: 3Ro 10 May: 4H

29 March: 5R 17 May: 1W

5 April: 5J 24 May: 1G

Please note: For child protection and safeguarding reasons we request that photos and videos should be used for personal use only and not shared on social media without the consent of other parents.