

**REMEMBER: SCHOOL STARTS AT 08:50 AND THE CLASS REGISTERS CLOSE AT 09:00**

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School Newsletter: March 2021



Dear Families

Welcome to our March newsletter. We are very pleased to report that all the children have settled back into school routines and learning following the school closures since January. As I'm sure you will all appreciate, we will still be operating under national restrictions until they are hopefully lifted on 21st June. This means that for now we will continue to teach the children in their year group bubbles, with staggered lunch and playtimes. The times of the school day are unchanged, as in the Autumn term, and the gates will open at 8.30 am each morning, and 3pm in the afternoons. Please continue to wear a mask on the playground unless you are exempt, and where possible just have one adult dropping off or collecting the children per household. Thank you everybody for helping to keep our school community safe.

**World Book Day**



**WBD21** was a lovely event, and the fact that we were in lockdown could not spoil it. Whether in school or at home, lots of children and staff joined in with this special day by dressing up as favourite story characters, to celebrate their love of books. A big well done to everyone who dressed up.



Each year group held a special circle time on Google Classroom to share their outfits and celebrate the chance to be a Disney Princess, or even an Oompah-Loompah, just for the day!



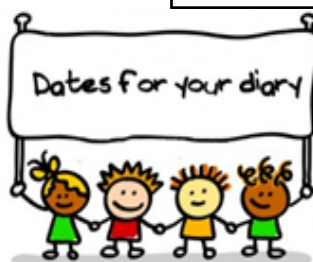
**After-School clubs:** We have taken the decision that after-school clubs will not return until the new academic year in September. Apologies for any inconvenience this may cause.

**Parents' Evenings :** As we break up for the Easter holidays on 26th March, Spring term Parents' Evenings will not go ahead. Instead, a Parents' Open Evening will take place after school on **Tuesday 6th July**, to give an opportunity to speak to teachers and view your child's work.

Best wishes

*Sophie Good*

Mrs Sophie Good  
 Headteacher



**Diary Dates:** Please check the latest Diary Dates sheet on the back of this newsletter, which reflects some changes needed as a result of school closures and ongoing social restrictions. Key dates, including next year's term and holiday dates, can also be found at [www.abbeyprimary.org](http://www.abbeyprimary.org)