

BYLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL & NURSERY

NEWSLETTER

Friday 26th March 2021



A message from Miss Whittingham:

Thank you so much for the donations made to Comic Relief via the school's JustGiving page. We raised an AMAZING £425.

On Tuesday, we joined in with the Marie Curie Day of Reflection to commemorate it being a year on from the first lockdown. Each class had a minute or two of silent reflection time. It was a real privilege for me to be able to join in with the reflection time with our Nursery and Reception class.

Every child planted sunflowers in a pot on the Day of Reflection. They will be bringing these home on Thursday.

The pots and sunflowers were bought by Mrs O'Sullivan as a leaving gift from her to each child. We are looking forward to updates of how well the sunflowers grow - and maybe some photos.

Last week I recorded a [short video](#) for CWAC about the return to school and household home testing kits. Households with children in school are able to get Lateral Flow Testing kits in order to test at home. Go to: www.gov.uk/coronavirus and click on testing and self-isolation.

The Department for Education has published information for parents and carers during the coronavirus pandemic. Follow the link to view the publications:

[DfE Guidance for Parents and Carers](#)

Click [here](#) to read a letter from Gavin Williamson, the Secretary of State for Education, to children and young people thanking them for their resilience during the pandemic.

Thank you for your continuing support,
Elizabeth Whittingham (Headteacher)

Our Weekly Attendance Figures

Whole School - 97.8%

Reception - 100%

Years 1/2 - 99.3%

Years 3/4 - 95%

Years 5/6 - 97.2%

Well done to all classes who are once again above National attendance figures.

Letters/emails sent out recently:

A thank you letter for the Comic Relief donations

School Dinners

Please remember dinner money is now paid via PARENTPAY

3-week menus on website.

Next Week's Lunch Menu:

Week 1

Cost for the 4 weeks the children are in school - Spring 2

Daily £2.30

Weekly: £9.20 (4 days)

Half term £43.70 (18 days)

Weds/Fri £16.10 (7 days)

Byley Busy Buddies

. Children have been busy playing outside in the sunshine, which has been lovely, as well as playing games and completing activities inside.

PLEASE REMEMBER TO BOOK & PAY IN ADVANCE

Please use the Busy Buddies phone number to book **07879 967701**

(Our club closes as 6pm. Late collection will result in additional charges.)

PTA news:

Facebook:

Byley PTA Virtual Shopping Event Or click the link in the parents Facebook page. Thank you!

Our contact details are: byleyprimarypta@gmail.com

Important Diary Dates:

Thurs 1st April: School closes for Easter (usual times for the end of the day)

Mon 19th April: School re-opens for all children 8:40 EYFS and KS1; 8:55 - KS2

<http://byleyprimary.schools.uk.com>



Byley Primary School

Please help raise funds for our school by checking out through the easy fundraising website. It's easy to do and costs nothing. Go to the link:

www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/byleypta/

Click on support cause and then create an account. This means you can then visit thousands of websites through the easyfundraising site and the retailers will make a small donation to the PTA.

You can also set up reminders on your toolbar so that when you visit one of the named sites it will ask you if you want to donate - this will not cost you ANYTHING and saves you visiting easyfundraising to see your chosen shopping site is listed.

Any funds the PTA make go straight back into making our school an even better learning environment for our children, so any help is greatly appreciated.

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