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Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been wonderful to see the children in their fabulous costumes today, as we celebrate World Book Day. The World Book Day vouchers will be coming home with the children, so look out for these in their bags! Thank you to the grown ups for their support with the costumes, they have been very well received and the children have looked amazing. They have enjoyed sharing their favourite books, as well as talking about their characters, and have completed some reading related activities in class. It has been great to see everyone so enthusiastic about reading.

Hasn't the weather been glorious this week! Getting back onto the field has definitely been a hit with the children, who have loved the extra space as well as the sunshine. We have even seen children laying on coats during their break, taking in the lovely weather.

It's been a busy week with parents' consultations Monday through to Thursday. Thanks to parents and carers for coming to meet with the teachers and view your children's books and thank you to the governors who came to help out as well.

Foxes Class enjoyed their visit to the Crucial View event on Wednesday. This is an event aimed at sharing safety information to children in Y5 and Y6 in an interactive, fun way.

'They were telling us how to keep ourselves calm and we learnt the 'Take 5 method'. We also learnt about keeping safe online and how to do CPR. I would give the trip 7.5/10 as we did have to sit and listen quite a lot but I was active and learnt things too. I didn't know how to do CPR before going.' Swaylee.

'The fire brigade talked to us about being careful with leaving things plugged in around the home, for example hair straighteners and mobile phones, as they can be the cause of fires. They told us we shouldn't leave phones on charge when on our beds. We also had lifeguards who talked to us about dangers at the beach. I would give the trip 8/10 as I enjoyed what they taught us and it was quite a fun thing to go and do'. Isla-May.

We hope you all have a lovely weekend and finger's crossed the sunshine continues.

Best wishes Mrs Kelly Scott

Special Awards this week



Hedgehog Class – Ruby for her amazing attitude to learning

Badger Class – Jackson for working hard on your clarity in your writing



Fox Class – Effie for always having exemplary behaviours for learning

Book of the week - Thank you to Harriett for sharing your book by Lottie Brooks and Tessa has been chosen for next week





Diary Dates

Friday 4th April - Last day of school
Monday 7th April - Easter Holidays
Tuesday 22nd School Closed INSET Day
Wednesday 23rd April - Children return to school
Monday 5th May - School closed Bank holiday
W/C 12th May Key Stage 2 SATs Week
W/C 19th May Curriculum Week
Friday 23rd May Last day of school
Monday 26th May - half term
Monday 2nd June - Children return to school
Tuesday 22nd July - Last day of school
Wednesday 23rd July Summer holiday