

HEATH MOUNT PRIMARY SCHOOL



NEWSLETTER



7TH MARCH 2025

Dear Parents/Carers,

I have had a lovely week visiting classrooms this week. Year 4 have been learning about Electricity in our Science Lab and year 3 have been collecting soil for their experiment. I have also spent time with year 2 seeing some very high-quality teaching! I am very proud of our year 6 pupils, they were working extremely hard towards their SATS.

Please can I remind you that children must be wearing the correct uniform to school each day. There are also some children who are forgetting to bring their PE kit into school. Please could you make sure they have their PE kit in school on their PE days.

World Book Day 2025 was a fantastic celebration at Heath Mount. The children enjoyed a variety of activities that made the day truly special. They read their favourite books with their peers, fostering a love for reading and sharing stories. Creativity was in full swing as students designed imaginative book settings and crafted beautiful bookmarks. The assembly was a highlight, where everyone gathered to celebrate the joy of reading. A visit to the library inspired many young minds, and the paper plate design activity allowed students to express their artistic talents. It was a day filled with fun, learning, and a shared passion for books!

What was your favourite part of World Book Day?

Have a lovely weekend.

Miss Cross
Headteacher

UPCOMING EVENTS

Thursday 13th March - Reception and Year 6 Height and Weight checks
Week Commencing 17th March - Scholastic Book Fair
Wednesday 19th March - Year 4 visit to The Birmingham Think Tank
Wednesday 26th March - Year 4 and Year 5 Eid Workshop
Wednesday 2nd April - Year 3 visit to the Temple
Wednesday 9th April - Year 1 visit to the Church
Thursday 10th April - Easter Bonnet Parade at 2:30pm
Friday 11th April - School closes at 1pm for the Easter Break

Parents' Coffee Morning
Every Tuesday
The Community Hub
9:00-10:00
Everyone is welcome!

PE TIMETABLE

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	Friday
Year 6 Class 1B	Class 1PB Class 5B Class 5S (Swimming)	Year 3 Class 2RZ	Class 4A Class 4P Class 2Z	Reception

Plain, white T-Shirt/polo shirt
A blue school jumper in cold weather
Black shorts, plain black tracksuit bottoms or black leggings
Trainers/black pumps
Elasticated blue, black or white headscarf (if appropriate)

Children must wear their PE uniform from home on the day of their PE lesson





Hop on over for our

EASTER Bonnet Parade

Join us on

10th April at 2:30pm - Lower Playground
for some egg-citing fun!

The Easter Bonnet Competition will be open to Reception, Year 1 & Year 2 pupils. Bring your dazzling, creative bonnets in to school on 10th April to take part in the parade.

The winning entries will be announced on the day.



HEATH MOUNT PRIMARY MENU

WEEK 3

20/01, 10/02, 10/03, 31/03

Allergen information: Menu descriptions may not list every individual ingredient. We are aware of the presence of allergens requiring labelling so please ask a member of the catering team should you require any more details. Vegetarian options are indicated by the symbol (V).

MONDAY

Homemade Chicken & Leek Pie
Fish Fingers
Served with Lemon Wedge & Tartare Sauce
Vegetarian Sausage (V)
Spiced Potato Wedges
Veg of the Day
Raspberry & Vanilla Ice Cream Cake
Fresh Fruit/Jelly

THURSDAY

Spicy Beef Pizza with a Sweet Chili Dip
Margherita Pizza (V)
Chipped Potatoes
Veg of the Day
Lemon Drizzle Cake
Fresh Fruit/Jelly

TUESDAY

Chicken Burger
Vegetable Burger (V)
Paprika Sauté Potatoes
Veg of the Day
Chocolate Concrete with Custard/Fresh Fruit/Jelly

FRIDAY

Chinese Chicken Curry
Served with Steamed Rice
Vegetable Samosa
Served with Steamed Rice & Curry Sauce (V)
Five Spice Wedges
Veg of the Day
Fruit Shortbread
Fresh Fruit/Jelly

WEDNESDAY

Roast Beef
3 Cheese & Roast Vegetable Parsley Pasta Bake (V)
Crunchy Roasts
Veg of the Day
Marble Sponge
Fresh Fruit/Jelly

AVAILABLE DAILY

Fresh Salad Cart

Jacket Potato with Fillings

ALL MEALS ARE HALAL



COOMBS

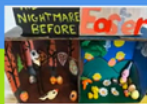
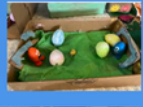


HEATH MOUNT PRIMARY PRESENTS

THE EASTER EGG DIORAMA

WE WILL BE HOLDING OUR ANNUAL EGG DIORAMA COMPETITION FOR YEAR 3 - YEAR 6 PUPILS ON MONDAY 7TH APRIL.

CREATE YOUR EGG DIORAMA BY YOURSELF, WITH YOUR FRIENDS OR GET YOUR FAMILY TO JOIN TO!



THE WINNING ENTRIES WILL BE ANNOUNCED IN THE EASTER ASSEMBLY ON 11TH APRIL

Well done to all the children who have been in school every day and on time.

The classes with the highest attendance in each phase group last week are as follows;

Attendance of the Week

EYFS & Key Stage 1

2Z 97.3%

Lower Key Stage 2

30 97.2%

Upper Key Stage 2

5S 100%



Be an attendance HERO
Here Everyday Ready Ontime

Rights Respecting Article

We are actively promoting children's rights and ensuring they know them. Please see an 'Article of the Week' below for you to share with your child.

WORLD BOOK DAY

EXPLORING WORLD BOOK DAY

Did you think of these?

- We can learn new things about the world
- We can enjoy a story that makes you laugh, cry or get excited
- It can help us calm down or get to sleep
- It inspires us
- We can use our imagination
- We can share with friends and family
- We learn new skills
- We can find out how other people view the world and learn about their experiences
- It helps your brain to develop
- It is a good alternative to spending time on a screen or phone
- We get ideas for your own writing and stories

Did you have any others on your list?



World Book Day was created by UNESCO on 23 April 1995 as a worldwide celebration of books and reading.

In countries around the world it is celebrated on the anniversary of that date, but in the UK it is generally marked on the first Thursday of March.

Spending just 10 minutes a day reading and sharing stories can make a crucial difference to your future success and is fun for all involved.

That's why World Book Day continues to encourage children and young people to read for pleasure through its work with authors, illustrators, publishers, bookshops and libraries.



EXPLORING WORLD BOOK DAY

Reading books is an important skill. How can reading help us? List as many answers as you can?

Have a think and write down some answers.



LINKED ARTICLES

This week's activities link to the following articles:

- **Article 17 (access to information from the media)** - Every child has the right to reliable information from a variety of sources, and governments should encourage the media to provide information that children can understand. Governments must help protect children from materials that could harm them.
- **Article 29 (goals of education)** - Education must develop every child's personality, talents and abilities to the full. It must encourage the child's respect for human rights, as well as respect for their parents, their own and other cultures and the environment.
- **Article 31 (leisure, play and culture)** - Every child has the right to relax, play and take part in a wide range of cultural and artistic activities.

