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Heads Up 15th March

Dear parents,

I would like to start with a massive well done to all the staff and children on our SIAMS inspection this week. The official report will be released in 15 days and will be available for all parents and families. We are always proud of our children and how they live out our school values of Respect, Compassion and Koinonia but the way they articulated this on Thursday was special. May I also take the opportunity to thank you as parents for your support and wonderful feedback on Thursday and indeed every day. I will ensure you are all sent the full report when it becomes available after the Easter holidays.

This week has been all about science and we are very excited about our forthcoming whole school trip to the Manchester science and history museum. It is always a joy to take the children out on enrichment trips as they are so polite, well behaved and excited to learn new things.

This week our class 3 children visited Jodrell bank for science week and Mrs Fairhurst was very keen to share some amazing feedback with you all.





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On Tuesday, Class 3 were launched into space on an exciting mission to Jodrell Bank. Tying in with our science topic of Earth and Space and our English text 'When We Walked on the Moon', the children astounded me with their knowledge of our solar system. We started in the Space Pavilion and explored 'The Science of Jodrell Bank' exhibition. We looked at radio waves, how the Lovell telescope works and even took selfies with the infrared camera! The children were fascinated by the First Light Pavilion, where they could dress up, smell the gooseberries of Jodrell and partake in interactive exhibits. The highlight of the day, however, was without a doubt the Space Dome. The children were invited into the dome with other schools to watch constellations played across the ceiling, hop from planet to planet and appreciate the vast beauty of our solar system. Each child thoroughly enjoyed the trip and behaved impeccably, deepening their knowledge and love of the topic. It was a pleasure to





take them on such a fascinating trip and they were a credit to our school. Well done Class 3!

Just a reminder that on a Thursday children should wear school PE kits and on a Friday the Friday school uniform – long sleeved red top and long navy sports trousers. We invested in these clothes to ensure the children look smart and are easily identified as part of our school. Should the children need a jumper / fleece these are available from Classworx and should be school colours without sports logos. We have a limited number of older blue sweatshirts in school that are available if required – please just ask in the office.

Don't forget it's the PTA Chocolate Bingo on Friday 22nd April – please do come along as it's set to be a great night with some delicious prizes!

A huge thank you to all of our families who have purchased items from our wish list – we're really very grateful. A few people have asked for a reminder f the list: https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/3LCWJCA3VTXMX?ref =wl share



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Finally, our merit winners this week, our shining stars!

Class 1	Class 2	Class 3
Emma	Sofia	Jack

Have a wonderful weekend with your children and families and thank you for you ongoing support as we grow as a family and church community.

Kind regards

Mrs Willis Headteacher

Diary Dates:

Monday 18th March - Whole school science trip. Packed lunches, school

uniform & waterproof coat

No SATS Club

Tuesday 19th March - Parents Evening – all classes

No After School Sports Club

Wednesday 20th March - Non uniform day in exchange for an Easter Egg

After School Cheerleading Club

Thursday 21st March - PE - PE Kits to be worn

After School Lego Club

Friday 22nd March - Class 1 – Gymnastics

Class 2 & 3 – Forest School Chocolate Bingo – all welcome!