

Spring Term Number 4
Week ending
2nd February 2024

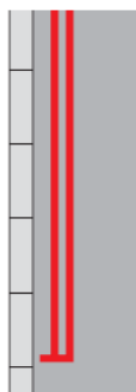


Dear Parents and Governors

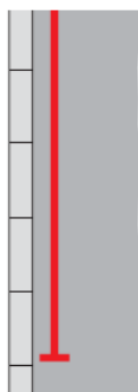
Learn – Achieve – Enjoy
“Exceptional Pastoral Care” (Ofsted, September 2018)

KEY DATES

DATE	EVENT
Tues 6 th February	National Safer Internet Day
Wed 7 th February	WINNING HUMMINGBIRD TEAM MUFTI - RUFOUS
Thurs 8 th February	MUFTI DAY – Mothers’ day items
Thurs 8 th February	Y1 class trip to the London Eye – <i>Y1 Mufti day will be Friday 9th Feb</i>
Fri 9 th February	Y4 and Y6 AFC visit
12th – 16th February	HALF TERM
Mon 26 th February	Y4 at Science Museum
Thurs 29 th February	Year 5 Sports Leadership training
Mon 4 th – Fri 8 th March	Book Week
Wed 6 th March	Book Week Dress up day
Mon 11th March	Y5 performing at the Royal Albert Hall 7-10pm
Thurs 14 th March	Y6 at Science Museum
Thurs 21 st March	School closes at 1pm due to Parents PM
Thursday 21 st March	PARENTS PM 1.30-7.30pm
Mon 25 th March	Easter Bonnet parade 9am (Parents welcome weather permitting)
Mon 25 th March	Y5 at Wimbledon Bookfest (after Easter Bonnet parade)
Mon 25 th March	Last day of Nursery
Wed 27 th March	WINNING HUMMINGBIRD TEAM MUFTI
Wed 27 th March	End of Spring term- school finishes at 1.30pm
Thurs 28 th March	INSET DAY FOR STAFF
28th March – 12th April	SCHOOL HOLIDAYS



No stopping
at any time



No stopping
during times
shown on sign

HEADTEACHER’S MESSAGE

Our school is located on a red route. Unfortunately, a number of parents are either ignoring this fact, or not understanding the rules. The diagram here will help to explain that.

Please do not stop on the red route, mount the footpath to park on it or park in front of the staff carpark entrance. Even if this is only temporary, it is both illegal and an inconvenience to other parents, staff and more importantly children. We have had near-misses where parents have done unsafe u-turns in the middle of the dual carriageway.

Police have been informed and they will be increasing patrols for the next couple of weeks and will issue fines as required.

Unsafe driving and parking will have zero tolerance.

BOCCIA TOURNAMENT

A group of Key Stage 2 pupils travelled to Harris Morden last week to take part in a Boccia tournament. The children did extremely well and got to the semi-finals. All the children and adults had a great morning, and showed brilliant respect - well done. **Mr Carrington, AHT**

ATTENDANCE FOR RECEPTION CHILDREN

Due to a computer glitch, some of our Reception children didn't receive the attendance certificates for Autumn term that they were owed. A HUGE apology for this. Any Reception child who achieved 97% or more will bring home a certificate this week. There were 8 children who had perfect attendance - 100% - in the Autumn term and they will bring home both a certificate and a badge! Well done!

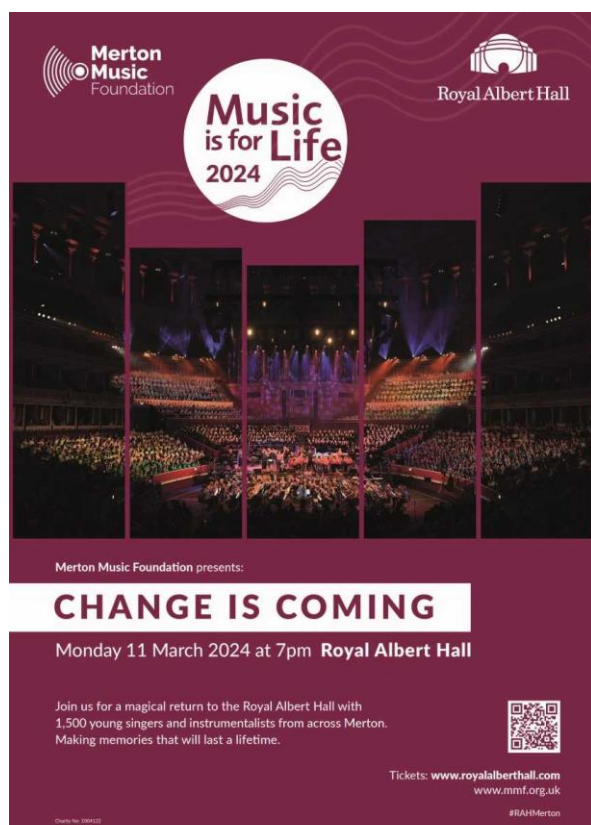
TICKETS ON SALE FOR THE MERTON ROYAL ALBERT HALL PERFORMANCE THAT MORDEN Y5 (SILVER CLASS) ARE PARTICIPATING IN

Excitement is building amongst our pupils and staff as they prepare to showcase their musical talents at the Royal Albert Hall with Merton Music Foundation for their epic Music is for Life concert on Monday 11 March.

This incredible opportunity is the result of months of dedication and collaboration and has not only nurtured a love for music but has also provided invaluable learning experiences while leading up to a concert they'll never forget.

Parents, guardians and the whole school community are invited to witness the magic of this once-in-a-lifetime opportunity.

For ticket information,
visit: www.mmf.org.uk/rah2024/



HUMMINGBIRD WINNERS – Well done!

Hummingbird Winners for this week:

BRONZE: Borislav, Othman

SILVER: Ustym

GOLD: Jayden, Ares

HUMMINGBIRD: Annabel, Dunya

BRONZE 3: Siana

This week's winner and Spring 1 Overall Winners are Rufous! Well done Rufous children and staff – you have won the Mufti day next Wednesday.



Comet

696



Firecrown

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Rufous

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Xantus

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Zafiro

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READING KINDLE WINNERS

Every child in Y1-Y6 who has 5 adult signatures Wednesday to Wednesday, has their name entered into a raffle. Three winners are selected in assembly to win our Kindles for a week. This week's winners are:

- **Y1 & Y2 – Anthony**
- **Y3 & Y4 – Cleo**
- **Y5 & Y6 – Hareni**



Well done everyone and keep reading! **Mrs Danaher, Literacy Leader**

LEARNERS OF THE WEEK

Congratulations this week's Learners of the Week

w/e 2nd February, Week 4

CLASS	LEARNER OF THE WEEK		HIGH 5 – VALUE WINNER	
	NAME	REASON	NAME	REASON
Yellow	Yellow Class	For their amazing performance in their class assembly, Goldilocks and the 3 Bears. Superstars!	Luka	All values this week in Yellow Class. Well done Luka, keep up the positive attitude.
Red	Sam	For making a house with his grandad for his home learning. Well done, Sam.	Anthony	Resilience – remembering to be ready for school and having good learning behaviour.
Green	Timothy	For is phenomenal home learning, creating a polar habitat.	Ayeza	Responsibility – for always offering to help.
Blue	Freddie	For being actively involved during lessons this week and answering questions.	Stanley	Resilience – for making an amazing effort this week with his handwriting.
Purple	Alicia	For understanding how flexible partitioning is used in division - In Maths	Cleo	Respect – Always being respectful with everyone she meets.
Silver	Vihaan	For building an impressive model of the Sun, Earth and Moon for his science project.	Zara	Teamwork – for being a great help and support to a friend in need every day.
Gold	Omarion	For being a great role-model of learning in his positive response to feedback 😊	Lovinda	Challenge – shown in her contributions in maths lessons this week

MATHS TIMES TABLE ROCK STARS CHAMPIONS

Each week in assembly, we celebrate children on the TT Rockstars leaders' board. Children in Year 2-6 compete in this competition. **All children In Y2-6 are expected to complete a minimum of 30 minuter PER week and this is checked every Wednesday ready for our celebration assembly on Thursday.** This week's winners are:

Improved Speed	Name
1st	Zainab
2nd	Taliah
3rd	Alfie

Improved Accuracy	Name
1st	Oreece
2nd	Munira
3rd	Nathan

Most Correct Answers:	Name
1st	Gabriell
2nd	Alessio
3rd	Sajeef



Well done everyone! **Mrs Green, Maths Learning Leader**

A New friend in the EYFS garden

Our EYFS children have been busy developing their outdoor area this week. The children worked together to bring their ideas to life and created a Dinosaur Garden and a Scarecrow. Great work Nursery and Reception! Please remember that outdoor learning is as priority at Morden and a key element of the EYFS curriculum.

We understand that on some occasions your child may come home muddy, but this is a result of high quality play and learning. **Mr Marlow, EYFS Leader**



MOTHERS DAY RAFFLE

Children can come to school in mufti on Thursday 8th February in exchange for donating a gift for our Mother's Day/Carers raffle. Gift suggestions: unused, unopened smellies, bath bombs, hand cream, chocolates or scented candles. **Please note that Red Class (Year 1) will have their mufti day on Friday 9th February due to going to London on a school trip on the 8th.**



Mufti Day

Thursday 8th February

(On Friday 9th February for Year 1)

Children will be able to wear their own clothes to school in exchange for donating a gift for the Mother's Day/Carers Day Raffle.

Please send in your gifts to your class teacher.

Gift suggestions: unused, unopened smellies, bath bombs, hand cream, chocolates or scented candles.

Thank you for your support.



Children and adults can catch up on any missed vaccinations by contacting their GP practice. If parents are unsure of their child's MMR status, they can check with their GP.

If children are not registered with a GP, they can register online.

The school immunisations team are also running additional clinics in primary schools. The list of schools which already have clinics booked are shown below. The school imms team will be contacting parents directly but parents can also call 020 8487 1730 to book an appt or email: hrch.immunisationcallcentre@nhs.net



NHS

MEASLES

Don't let your child catch it
- get them vaccinated with the MMR vaccine

- measles outbreaks happen when not enough children have been vaccinated
- measles can be a very serious disease, leading to ear and chest infections, fits, diarrhoea, and damage to the brain. Measles can kill
- your child is at risk of measles if he or she hasn't had the MMR vaccination
- 2 doses of MMR vaccine are needed to get the best protection
- if your child is due to have had 2 doses of MMR but has not yet received them, no matter what age they are, you should contact your GP to get them vaccinated as soon as possible*
- if you can't remember if your child has had any, 1 or 2 doses of MMR vaccine, check his or her personal child health record (the Red Book). If this doesn't help, speak to your GP
- if you don't know how many doses your child has had, it's better to have 2 doses of MMR vaccine now rather than risk leaving them unprotected

*In response to a local outbreak then the 2 doses can be given one month apart from the age of 18 months.

immunisation
the safest way to protect your child

Some common questions about measles and the MMR vaccine are listed on the back of this leaflet 

List of schools so far with an imms clinic booked

Haslemere	01/02/2024
Bishop Gilpin	01/02/2024
Gorringer Park	02/02/2024
St Teresa's	11/01/2024
St Thomas of Canterbury	11/01/2024
Poplar	05/03/2024
Lonesome	07/03/2024
Sacred Heart	07/03/2024
Abbotsbury	13/03/2024
All Saints C of E	20/03/2024
The Sherwood	20/03/2024
Garfield Primary	20/03/2024



FEBRUARY HALF TERM SPORTS CAMP FOR KIDS AGED 4-13

- Early 9am Drop off charge of £5 per child
- Late 4pm Pick up charge of £5 per child
- We can provide school dinners at the cost of £3 a day

£40.00

Activities

- ✓ Football
- ✓ Dodgeball
- ✓ Basketball
- ✓ Arts & Crafts
- ✓ Swedish Handball
- ✓ Tournaments/Prizes

10am - 3pm

Mon 12th Feb - Thurs 15th Feb 2024

Morden Primary School

London Rd, Morden

SM4 5PX

Registration Link

www.multisports4all.co.uk

More Information: msports4all@outlook.com

BOYS & GIRLS INCLUSIVE TENNIS CLUB KS1 & KS2

We will be running an all year round Tennis programme for children in both KS1 & KS2 at Morden Primary School.

Our aim is to grow a variety of different sports within the school for the kids to take part in.

Book now for a term full of fun-packed tennis games for your kids to enjoy!

**TERM COST
£30.00**

**TUES 20TH FEB -
TUES 19TH MARCH**

3:15PM - 4:15PM

(5 WEEKS)

**MORDEN PRIMARY SCHOOL
LONDON RD,
SM4 5PX**

Registration Link

www.multisports4all.co.uk

For more Information, please contact

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BOYS & GIRLS FOOTBALL TRAINING YEARS 1, 2 & 3

We will be running an all year round Football Training Programme at Morden Primary School for boys & girls!

Come along to our training sessions to help further your physical development!

**£30.00
TERM COST**

Skills & ball techniques
Footwork exercises
Strategy & teamwork exercises
Fun games & matches

**WED 21ST FEB -
WED 20TH MARCH
4:15PM - 5:15PM
(5 WEEKS)**

**MORDEN PRIMARY SCHOOL
LONDON RD,
SM4 5PX**

Registration Link

www.multisports4all.co.uk

For more Information, please contact
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BOYS & GIRLS FOOTBALL TRAINING YEARS 4, 5 & 6

We will be running an all year round Football Training Programme at Morden Primary School for boys & girls!

Come along to our training sessions to help further your physical development!

**£30.00
TERM COST**

Skills & ball techniques
Footwork exercises
Strategy & teamwork exercises
Fun games & matches

**THURS 22ND FEB -
THURS 21ST MARCH
4:15PM - 5:15PM
(5 WEEKS)**

**MORDEN PRIMARY SCHOOL
LONDON RD,
SM4 5PX**

Registration Link

www.multisports4all.co.uk

For more Information, please contact

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To book any of the above clubs please use the below link.

<https://www.multisports4all.co.uk/morden-primary-school.html#/>

Are you a Merton resident?
Would you like help with any of the following?

- ✓ Your child's development
- ✓ Behaviour and emotions
- ✓ Relationships
- ✓ Money
- ✓ Training or work
- ✓ Benefits
- ✓ Finding childcare
- ✓ And more



Una Walsh from Merton Family and Information Support Hub – FISH will be at the following coffee mornings in the studio to answer all of your questions.

Friday 26th Jan, Friday 23rd Feb & Friday 22nd March

No need to book, just turn up 8.50-10am in the studio, have a cuppa and biscuit and see what Una can help you with.

If you are not able to attend, but have some questions, please see the Merton Council flyer below for more information.



MERTON COUNCIL

Family Information and Support Hubs (FISH)

We can help you with any aspect of family life, including:

- ✓ Your child's development
- ✓ Behaviour and emotions
- ✓ Relationships
- ✓ Money
- ✓ Training or work
- ✓ Benefits
- ✓ Finding childcare
- ✓ And more



Our Early Help Co-ordinators will offer advice and guidance to help you to find and access the supportive information and services that you need. Book a free session now:

Sessions take place Monday to Friday with a mixture of face to face and telephone appointments available. Please visit the website or scan the QR code to book:

www.eventbrite.com/cc/family-information-support-hub-1705749



Updated September 2023



EASYFUNDRAISING – LINK ON THIS BEFORE ANY ONLINE PURCHASES – it doesn't cost you anything and the school gets a donation. It's our easiest form of fundraising!



Donations:		Supporters:	
£12.28	£2,113.99	0	81
Raised this month	Raised in total	New Supporters this month	Total Supporters

CAUSE PAGE QR CODE
Morden Primary School – Surrey



<https://join.easyfundraising.org.uk/mordenprimary/3AO5CU/c2s/06CJMi03/CR054/facebook/>
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Mrs P. Blow, Headteacher

