

RED HALL PRIMARY

**A Huge Thank You from Red Hall**

You will have received our letter and read about it in the news about the funding cuts in education so your support for the school is more valuable than ever in providing the best opportunities for our children.

Thank you so much for the fantastic turn out at the Easter Fayre. We raised **£530** and our lunchtime staff also raised a massive **£536** from the raffle and Disco. This money will be used to provide the children with play equipment at lunchtime and go towards enrichment opportunities.

A huge thank you also to the parents who supported the EYFS sponsored walk, which was part of their Express Experience following our learning around Being Fit and Healthy and being a Superhero. We don't have a grand total yet for this but will send out a letter next half term to share how much was raised.

**IMPORTANT DATES**

**SATS FOR Y6 and Y2 PUPILS**

The children in year 6 will be taking their SATs week beginning 8th May. Year 2 children will sit theirs at different points throughout May.

**PHONICS SCREEENING TESTS FOR Y1 PUPILS**

Our Year 1 pupils will sit their Phonics tests with Mrs Togher during the week beginning 12th June.

**Please ensure your child is in school during these weeks.**

**Advance Notice of our next PD Day –** The school will be closed to children on Friday 26th May, 2017

**Attendance**

Here is our attendance data for the end of the Spring Term. Our overall school attendance now stands at **94.99%**

**Reception 94.52%**

**Class 1 94.70%**

**Class 2 96.65%**

**Class 3 94.55%**

**Class 4 94.52%**

**Class 5 95.04%**

**Class 6 94.68%**

**100% Attendance**

51 children will receive our Red Hall 100% attendance reward ticket for the Spring Term. Our reward trip will take place as soon as we return to school after Easter.

**Don’t forget to check out the Red Hall Primary School Website which we try to keep regularly updated with what is happening in school for you and your children or follow us on Twitter @RedHallSchool**

**What has been happening at**

**Red Hall?**

**Class 6**

Children in Year 5 and 6 took part in a 'World of Work' event on Wednesday. This was an amazing opportunity to see a range of different careers. Many children were inspired by at least one of careers. They were sensible and an absolute credit to parents.

**Class 5**

Class 5 have been visiting EV secondary school each week for the past month working on building a huge model dinosaur! This is a design and technology project being run by Mr Taylor, head of the department. It’s a chance for the children to experience life in the 'big school' and a fantastic opportunity to use the cutting and sanding equipment. At the end of the project we will be presented with our very own stegosaurus (possible names: Stan or Malcolm).

**Class 4**

Class 4 have enjoyed singing in School of Rock and Pop.

**Class 3**

Class 3 have been learning all about money in Maths and Miss Dove arranged for people from Nationwide to work with the children.

**Class 1**

Class 1 have been learning about minibeasts.

We invited Krafty Kritters into our class to see

us and for them to bring some of their creatures.

We were able to hold them and ask questions

About what they are like.

We really enjoyed our visit.

Class 3 read ‘Hermelin’ they really enjoyed it.. They thought it was very funny and they particularly loved the ending of the book.

Class 4 read **‘Grandad’s Island’**

Tyler said, “This story made me feel I was in different world. I felt like I was there with grandad.”