

Stay & Play

It was lovely to see so many parents and grandparents at our Nursery Stay and Play sessions this week.

We look forward to welcoming you again on Thursday 21st March - save the date!



Philosophy Friday

Have a go at this question at home with a grown up!

**Who would you rather invite to your party?
The King or Spiderman?**

Why?

DIARY DATES:

Parent Consultations
8th February 3:40-7pm

**PTA Valentines Day
Cake Sale**
8th February

Parent Consultations
12th February 3:40-6pm

Half Term
19th - 23rd February

INSET Day
26th February

World Book Day
8th March

Mother's Day Sale
8th March

Online Safety Workshop
15th March at 9:00am

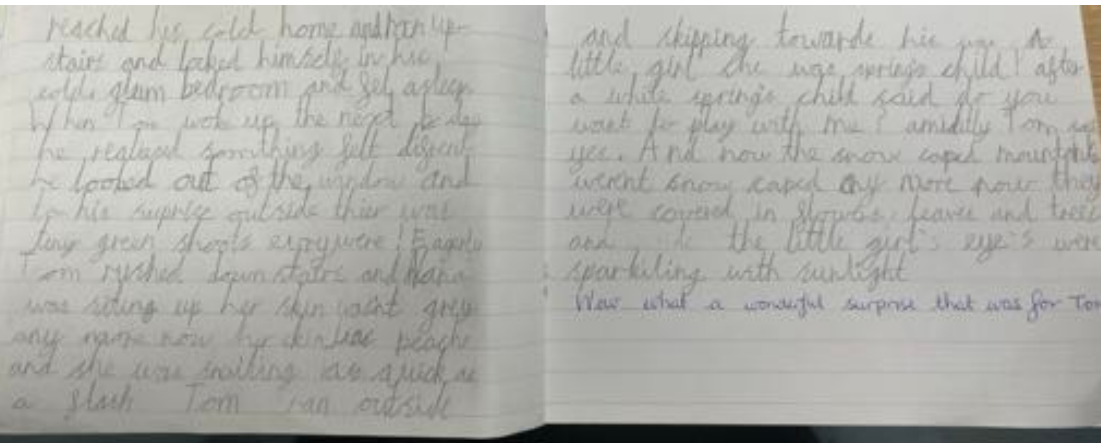
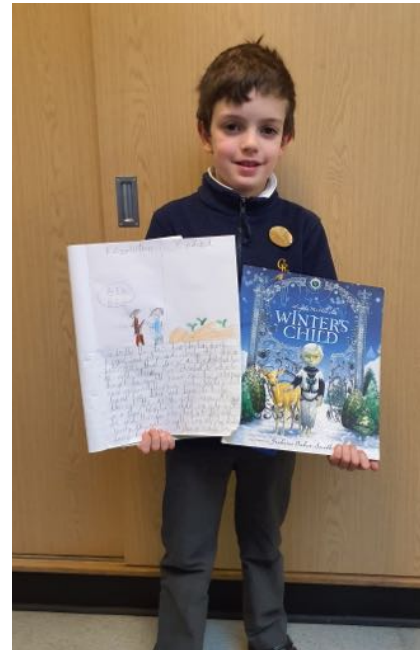
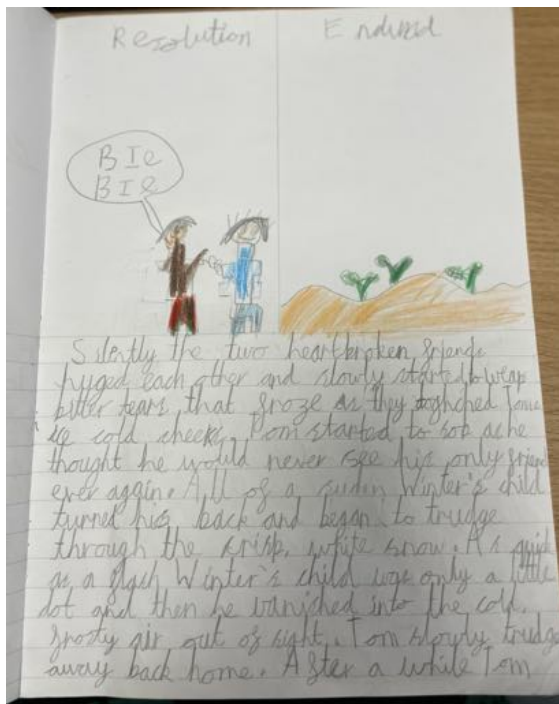
Victorian Dress Up Day
22nd March

For other important dates, please visit the Calendar page on our school website.

Wonderful Literature

Year 2 have been exploring the text 'Winter's Child' by Angela McCallister and this week, created their own resolution and ending. The standard of work has been exceptional across the year group. James achieved his Golden Headteacher Award for a beautifully written resolution and ending. We are particularly impressed with how James has described the emotions of the characters as they part. Well done James!

We hope you enjoy reading his story too.



Valentine's Day Cake Sale

Thank you to our PTA for organising our Valentine's Cake sale on **Thursday 8th February**. Please do sign up to help sell the cakes as this is a popular event and your support will be greatly appreciated. Please see the attached poster for further details on donations.

Cakes will be on sale outside the infant office from **3pm** to enable parents/carers to buy before collecting children. We will open the gates so you can collect your children a little earlier at 3:15pm to ease the crowding.



Attendance Bear

The Attendance for the whole term is as follows:

1st Starfish 99%

2nd Jaguar, Koala, Turtle 98%

3rd Giraffe 97%

Well done to Jaguar for a huge improvement.



Pancake Day

Our Chef Bev and the wonderful ISS team are organising a special treat for Pancake Day on Tuesday 13th February.

Please see the nutritional breakdown for more information.

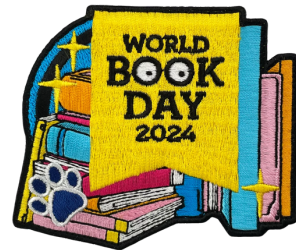
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Menu Nutrition Breakdown									
Menu: 001PPTD Primary Pancake Day									
Group	Recipe Description	Recipe Code	Portion Weight (g/ml)	Calories (KJ/Kcal)	Total Fat (g)	Of Which Saturated Fat (g)	Total Protein (g)	Total Carbohydrate (g)	Total
(None)	Plain Pancake (1 EACH)	PB-09105	35	84	2.6	0.3	2.4	12.5	
(None)	Chocolate Sauce	PB-06293	74	76	1.4	0.8	3.2	11.6	
(None)	Pouring Honey	PB-02189	5	15	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.8	
(None)	Fruit Berry Compote	PB-04684	37	31	0.0	0.0	0.3	6.7	
(None)	Apple Compote	PB-12643	33	20	0.1	0.0	0.1	4.3	
(None)	Lemon Glaze	PB-10607	35	19	0.0	0.0	0.1	4.6	
(None)	Chocolate Sauce	PS-12113	74	75	1.4	0.9	3.2	11.5	



World Book Day And The Big Read

It's nearly World Book Day and we are busy planning a wonderful day of exciting activities. We will celebrate on **Friday 8th March**, please send children into school in weather appropriate pyjamas and shoes (no onesies or slippers).

We will also host our Big Read **at 9:15 am on Friday 8th March**. Our Big Reads are a chance to come into school, read and share stories with your child/ren - save the date.



Head Lice

Head lice are very common in young children and do not have anything to do with dirty hair. We ask that all parents/ carers check their child weekly.

Head lice are picked up by head-to-head contact. Itching and scratching on the scalp occurs 2 to 3 weeks after infection. There is no incubation period. Treatment is only needed if live lice are seen. Over the counter treatments can be used. Alternatively, lice can be physically removed by combing through hair (using a fine-toothed comb) that has been lubricated with conditioner. This needs to be repeated every 3 days to prevent new lice from maturing and laying more eggs.



Online Safety Workshop

This week, we have sent a detailed letter about e-safety (to your Teachers2Parents accounts). Please do take a look if you haven't yet had an opportunity to do so. As part of this, we have provided information about an upcoming parent workshop. On **Friday 15th March, at 9:00am, we will be hosting an online safety workshop in the school hall**. This event is open for all parents and carers to attend. It is designed to cover a range of topics, such as age-ratings, parental controls and helping your child to develop healthy online habits in a rapidly advancing technological age. Afterwards, at **9:30am**, we will run a drop-in session **until 10.30am**. The aim of this is for you to come by and request support with devices, or to speak with us individually about any queries or concerns.

Victorian Dress-Up Day

We are celebrating our 150th year and we are working together alongside our PTA to organise a number of exciting events over the year.

We are delighted to announce that we will be holding a special dress up day on **Friday 22nd March** as part of our celebrations. This event will include the nursery, infants and junior school children and we are asking that the children come to school dressed as pupils would from the Victorian era.

Please do not feel the pressure to buy expensive costumes. It is time to be creative and use what you can find at home. As part of the day, we ask that pupils bring a penny to school as they would have back in 1874. We are both looking forward to this wonderful opportunity to learn about life at Churchfields in the past and celebrate our history.

Please see the letter sent on Thursday 1st February for more information.

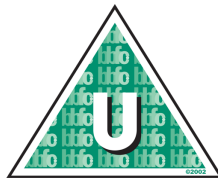


Contact Details

Please also ensure that the school office has your correct contact details so that you can be telephoned in the event of your child/ren being poorly within school.

Important Notice!

It has been brought to our attention that some children (at home) have been watching 'Skibidi Toilet' videos on YouTube. Please note that these videos do not appear on **YouTube Kids**, an app designed for children under the age of 13, and so they are not recommended for the age of children within our school. Please take this opportunity to recap parental controls and device access / supervision at home, and recap important conversations about online safety.



We've attached a useful e-safety support booklet to support with this. Thank you for your understanding.

E-Safety Tip of the Week!



Internet Safety and Your Family

Please see the attached E-Safety Booklet for an introduction to eSafety for you and your children.



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