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Newsletter

STATUTORY TEST INFORMATION

Yr1 Phonics Testing June 2022

Yr2 SATS May 2022

Yr6 SATS 9-13 May 2022

Please ensure your child is in school on the dates above and no leave of absence is requested

Thank you

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School Rules for everyone's safety!

School Driveway

We can see from our cameras that some parents are letting their children walk down the driveway and down the left side of the drive where the pavement comes to an end half way down. Please use the pavement on the right side of the driveway to prevent any serious accidents. We would also like to remind parents that they should only be driving down the driveway to pick up a sick child or in the event of an emergency - Big Brother is watching you!

Wow of the term

RC Husna
RM Ilhana
1F Alyssia
1P Britney
2F Marhama
2K Antonina
3H Ashan
3R Agam
4A Safia
4J Trimanpreet
5BK Denis
5C Adelina
6A Amaya
6R Lily-Jo

No Nuts In School

We have a number of children in school with nut allergies we therefore politely request that you do not send your child to school with anything containing nuts in their lunch boxes this is to prevent any one of those children having an anaphylactic shock - Thank you.

No Smoking & No Dogs

May we remind parents and carers that we have 'no smoking' and 'no dogs allowed on the school site' policies

Scooters or Bicycles

May we remind any parent / carer / child who comes onto the school premises riding a bicycle or scooter to please dismount and walk with their mode of transport to prevent any accidents - Thank you.

SSAT Award Achieved

We are proud to announce that we have achieved 'Transforming the highest level' in Teaching Approaches for the SSAT Framework for Exceptional Education.

An extract from our report read 'Collaboration and continuous learning and development underpins the culture at Ryders Green Primary. Every member of staff strives to be the best they can be for the benefit of the team as a whole and for the learners across the whole school'.

STEM week at Ryders

.....Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths

British Science Week is organised by the British Science Association and took place between 11th and 20th March in 2022.

The theme for this year's activities was 'Growth'.

We started the week off with 'Mars Day' where the children learnt about the planet, including the conditions on Mars. Following this the children designed a creature that could survive there.

Over the rest of the week the children were involved in a range of activities, including planting seeds and plants, exploring soil and creating rocket.

Leavers

We sadly say goodbye to Miss Trapani and Miss Fenton who are moving on to new schools and wish them well with their new pursuits.



Fund raising

Ukraine £2207.88

Red Nose Day £532.40

What a tremendous effort !

Thanks to everyone for your continued support.

See our article on Sandwell's social media channel and possibly the Express & Star

Further developments



- Library Areas
- Office Reception entrance

See back page for up and coming trips out

Term Dates

Summer Term Starts:

25.04.22 Don't be late

May Day 02.05.22

Polling Day 05.05.22

Half Term :

30.05.22—03.06.22

Last day in school :

15.07.22

Commonwealth Home

Learning Day 18.07.22

Teacher Training Days:

19-21.07.22

22.07.22 in lieu of the

Queen's Platinum

Jubilee Bank Holiday

Swimming News

As a school we are going to be working with **Swim England** and implementing innovative new ways to teach water safety and swimming strokes.

Swim England is the national governing body for swimming in England. They help people learn how to swim, enjoy the water safely, and compete in sports.

As this is an opportunity not to be missed, and swimming is part of our curriculum, we will expect **all** of our children to take part. Swimming is the one sport that will help to save their life !

Easter School SATS Tuition

Some children have been selected to attend the SATS tuition over Easter - Monday 11th April to Thursday 14th April 9am to 1.30pm

Children will need to be in uniform and will not be allowed to walk home alone.

Attendance

Our attendance target is 97%

Leave of absence during term time

We **strongly recommend** that you check term dates with school - especially before you book a holiday.

Schools can issue **fines to parents who take their children out of school during term time.**

If children are taken out of school during term time it is classed as unauthorised absence. If it extends to more than 10 days we can and will remove your child from roll. Attendance Services collect all absences and will take further action if necessary.

Please think carefully before booking a holiday in term time. You should consider the potential impact on your child's education. Statistics show that 10 days' absence in any academic year means pupils' learning suffers and they do worse in tests and exams. Remember that schools do not have to provide work for students taking holidays during term time.

If **appointments** in school time cannot be avoided please ensure an appointment card (or letter) is handed to the school office prior to the appointment. If your child is absent through sickness please provide medical proof in the way of medication labels or prescription slip. Wherever possible attend school prior to appointments and return to school following the appointment. You should **not** keep your child off school for the whole morning, afternoon or all day.

Remember

You may get fined or even lose their school place

Yearly Attendance is : 94.4%

This half term: 93.8%

Best year group this
half term: Yr 3
95.8%

Best year group for
the year so far: Yr 3
96.7%

Best class for
the year so far: 3H
97.2%



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Next terms trips out

Western Super Mare
Ironbridge
Drayton Manor
Kew Gardens

Easter Bonnet Parade

The children in the Nursery and Reception classes had a wonderful time parading the beautiful bonnets they had made with their parents on Tuesday and Wednesday this week. They also got to meet and have their photo taken with the Easter Bunny!

Easter Egg Competition

This years display of eggs was awesome! and the winners are:

Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3
Eva 1st	Joseph 1st	Darcie 1st	Chanelle 1st
Charlotte 2nd	Jansen 2nd	Adrian 2nd	Joanna 2nd
Curtis 3rd	Nebiy 3rd	Amin 3rd	Vineet 3rd
Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	
Marta 1st	Alisha 1st	Tahira 1st	
Liam 2nd	Liyanna 2nd	Alfie 2nd	
Julia 3rd	Ishmeet 3rd	Milana 3rd	

Easter egg raffle winners

Reception	Year 2	Year 3	Year 6
Nikola	Nayma	Adyan	Samiya
Zhwar	Whitney	Christian	Rahad
	Caspar	Ekampreet	Tahira
Year 1	Year 4	Year 5	Alfie
Dylan	Marta	Zeeshan	
Aryun	Atristan	Lacie-May	
Aaron	Aleeza	Bilal	
Jason		Joshua	
Britney		Oliwier	

Children's University

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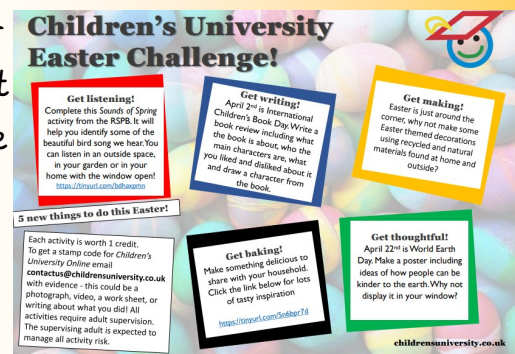


Children's University is back at Ryders Green!

This half term has seen the Children's University relaunch at Ryders Green. Our school clubs are back up and running and children are busy earning hours towards their Children's University certificates.

We are excited to see the return of our graduations in the summer term. Important dates for Children's University can be found below.

Easter holiday activities



All children will have received an email with the Easter holiday chal-

Dates for your diary:

08.04.22—Cut off date for hours towards summer graduations.

All hours accumulated after this date will be counted towards next years graduations.

25.04.2022—Cut off date for the return of holiday activities via email.

Upcoming graduations (by invitation only)

23.06.22 @ 10am —In school graduation —Years 1-6



Our sponsored fundraiser in support of the Ukraine was a huge success! The children had a great time completing their activities on Monday 4th April.

Together we have raised £2207.08 which will be sent to Unicef UK in the coming days.

Year	Total raised
Nursery	£99.50
RM	£42.00
RC	£50.32
IE	£61.00
IF	£154.50
2K	£170.15
2F	£121.20
3H	£204.50
3F	£81.00
4J	£224.00
4A	£229.20
5C	£281.64
5BK	£205.36
6A	£131.83
6R	£151.68



Well done to Hallie (pictured in the middle) in Year 4 who raised a total of £110 and was the winner of a Smyths gift voucher for raising the most money as an individual.

A special mention to Lucas (Y3) and Zuzan (Y5) who each raised £72.