

2nd January 2024

Dear Parents,

Year 1 Spring Term Activities 2024

Pied Piper Theatre – 4th January 2024

We have pleasure in welcoming the Pied Piper Theatre Company to the school on 4th January with their production of “Burglar Bill”. If you would like further information on the play, or indeed to join in some interactive activities, please go to the company’s website: www.piedpiper.co.uk

World Music Workshop – 9th & 10th January 2024

Jim Bernardin is returning this year with another of his music workshops. The workshop aims to inspire children through active participation in music.

Jewish Rabbi Visit – 27th February 2024

We are very pleased to be welcoming a Jewish Rabbi to the school on **27th February 2024** to provide a hands-on workshop for children in Year 1. The visit forms part of the R.E. curriculum and provides a wonderful opportunity for the children to further their knowledge and understanding of the Jewish faith.

Dance Workshop: ‘Bringing Books to Life’ 5th and 6th March 2024

We are looking forward to welcoming back ‘West End in Schools’ to bring books to life through storytelling, drama, and dance which will coincide with World Book Day on Thursday 7th March 2024.

Milestones Museum – 13th & 14th March 2024

As part of this term’s History topic, we have arranged an educational visit to Milestones Museum, Basingstoke on **13th & 14th March 2024**. By means of specially designed activities, children will be encouraged to discover the Museum’s toy collections by handling, observing, and asking questions.

We will be travelling by coach during school hours and each class will be accompanied by their teacher and at least 15 other adults. Children who normally have a school dinner will be provided with a packed lunch by the school caterer. All other children need a packed lunch in a plastic bag clearly marked with their name – no lunch boxes please. If the weather is wet, then a waterproof coat must be worn. The children should be in school uniform, and they should not bring cameras or money.

For these events to go ahead we would appreciate a voluntary contribution of £36.00. Payment can be made via ParentPay. Please note that all necessary consents can be made online, there is no need to complete a paper form.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Joanne Weston

Year 1 Co-ordinator