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Dates for your diary

Friday 28th November	Non-Uniform for Bottles
Monday 1st December	St Mary's Craft Club
Wednesday 3rd December	Rec & Yr 1 Parents Maths Workshop
Friday 5th December	Wizard learner Assembly
Friday 5th December	Non-Uniform for Chocolates/sweets/cakes
Friday 5th December	Christmas Fair
Monday 8th December	Year 4 trip
Tuesday 9th December	Reception Christmas Performance
Wednesday 10th December	KS1 Dress Rehearsal
Thursday 11th December	KS1 Evening Production
Thursday 12th December	KS1 Afternoon Production
Monday 15th December	Pantomime (for those who have tickets)
Tuesday 16th December	Christmas at St Mary's
Tuesday 16th December	KS1 Christmas Party
Tuesday 16th December	KS2 Christmas Party
Wednesday 17th December	KS2 Dress Rehearsal
Thursday 18th December	Nursery Christmas Songs
Thursday 18th December	KS2 Christmas Production 2.30 & 6.30pm
Friday 19th December	Christmas Dinner
Friday 19th December	Reception Christmas Party
Friday 19th December	Nursery Christmas Party
Friday 19th December	School closes for Christmas

Olivia & Darhyus Year 6

On Thursday 6th November 2014 Corrie football team played a cup football match and we won by a brilliant score of 9-0. We played amazingly as a team. The day after we played Greswell & also produced an outstanding performance and won the game 9-0. Although Greswell played well they couldn't break us down as every member of our team delivered their best performance.

Shakiel - Sports Ambassador Year 6

**Whole School
attendance
target for this
year is 97%**

We are desperately short of spare clothes in the infant department. If anyone has any spare underpants, knickers, socks, tights, trousers, skirts or jumpers we would be incredibly grateful if you could bring them into school so we can replenish our very depleted stock.

We are very much enjoying our World Breakfast taster events in Year 2, sampling a range of breakfasts eaten in different countries. We have now completed our Monsters Art Project. We will be displaying them in the KS1 entrance hall to brighten up the walls. Please come inside soon to see them.

Corrie Choir will be singing at Crown Point North (near Costa Coffee) on Sunday 14th December at 12noon until 1pm) Please come along to support them.

It's been fantastic this term to see so many parents at parents evening, thank you to everyone who filled in our questionnaire about the new format of the meetings based around 'Assertive mentoring'. I will be collating all your views and putting them on our website under community voice and of course looking at anything you feel we need to improve on for next time. The children have taken part in lots of learning around 'anti bullying' this week and we are sending home information for you as a parent that has been issued by the Department of Education about keeping your child safe and where to go for help and advice. It's quite a big read but there is a lot of really good advice in it. Our winter fair is on Friday 5th December and we really need helpers on that day before school finishes to set up, if you are able to come in and help please let us know, even if it's only for an hour. I hope to see you all at our Christmas shows, I know the children will put on a great performance.

Mrs Cartledge

Hindu Temple - Year 4

At the end of October Year 4 went to visit the Hindu Temple in Ashton.

When we arrived we split up into two groups. Each group had to write questions to ask when we went into the temple and we had to take our shoes off before we went inside. We had to draw a picture of one of the Hindu Gods. They explained to us about what each God meant and what to say when you say 'Greeting's in Hindu.

After the talk we had a drink and two biscuits each!

We all really enjoyed it.

Millie & Ethan (Year 4)

Crucial Crewe - Year 6

In October Year 6 went to Crucial Crewe in Ashton.

When we arrived we went into the main hall and were told what we would be doing.

Firstly we were put into groups and into separate rooms. In each room we were told about different things, such as cyber bullying, child line, and fire hazards. It was very interesting and we learnt lots of valuable things.

During the break we had biscuits and drinks.

On the way home we sang songs on the coach.

Olivia, Ben, Katie & Lavinia - Year 6

Mosque - 6th November Y6

Year 6 visited the Mosque in Penny Meadow, Ashton. Firstly we had to take off our shoes and put them on the racks. Then we went upstairs and they had a power point for us to watch about their religion. After that we got put into rooms and we had to write our names in Arabic and colour it in. We then went into the wash room where the muslim's washed their hands and feet before they prayed. The men and women had different areas which they prayed in. Later we dressed up in muslim outfits....We had a really fun time and found it very interesting!

Year 6

Year 3 trip to Tesco 20th November

Year 3 went to Tesco in Stockport because we are learning about the value of food and how it gets into the supermarkets. We were taken to the cheese counter where we got to taste different cheeses, the fish counter where we held fish & squid and the fruit aisle to sample lots of delicious pieces of fruit. We even got to sample fresh bread from the bakery! After looking around the walk in fridges & freezers, we were all given a goody bag to take home. We all really enjoyed ourselves and learnt a lot.



DROP OFF YOUR
TOYS & GIFTS HERE
BY
THURSDAY 11th
DECEMBER.
THANK YOU!

KS1 Visit to the Jewish Synagogue

We visited the Jewish Synagogue on Jackson's Row in Manchester and learnt lots about this wonderful place of worship. The children asked many questions about the building and what happens there.

Experiencing the building itself was very engaging and the children had a great time.

Anti Bullying

Mrs Rafferty did an assembly about bullying and that the expression: "Words will never hurt me!" is false. Mrs Ethell did an assembly using a storybook which discussed friendship and how everyone is different and that uniqueness should be celebrated. SEALS work has been done in class to extend anti-bullying further. The children in KS1 now understand what bullying is and how to combat it.

Greswell Trip

A couple of weeks ago all of year 3 went to Greswell Forest school to find out facts about the Stone Age. A young man named Saul made a fire and we all sat on logs and sang songs to the tune of 'We will rock you'. Then a nice lady took us to Bluebell woods and we sat on logs again and then played a game called kick the can. When Saul had finished with the other children we swapped over. He showed us different Stone Age weapons like a bow and arrows where there were some really sharp ones. He shot one of the arrows. Then he let us have a go at throwing a spear at a pile of hay. At the end we all got a chocolate biscuit for doing such a good job and we had a great time.

Kiera (Year 3)