

# MERE GREEN PRIMARY SCHOOL

'Making a difference'

## Head Teacher Update

What a wonderful half term it has been, it has been filled with learning, enrichment and excellence. Why not take a moment to look at our Twitter page and see the fantastic events from this half term. I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your support this half term, particularly with getting children to school by 8.45am and improving attendance.

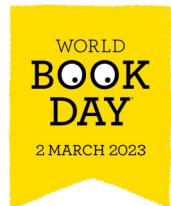
Wishing you a wonderful half term, please remember that Monday 27<sup>th</sup> February is a training day and we re-open to children on Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> February.

**Kristal Brookes**  
Headteacher

## World Book Day: Thursday 2nd March

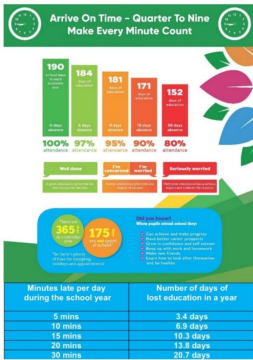
Our favourite time of the year is coming up at Mere Green - World Book Day! On Thursday 2nd March, we will be celebrating and sharing books with each other. We would love for you to come dressed as your favourite book character to spark a conversation about books.

This year, we will also be fundraising for the charity "Pets As Therapy". For five years, Mere Green have had a reading dog visit weekly to support reading and wellbeing with a small group of children. Snoopy the reading dog will be sharing a book alongside all children on World Book Day and encouraging them to read with someone special at home. Please bring in a donation of 50p to support.



### Making A Difference

Class	Attendance 07/09/22- 17/02/23	This Week's Attendance
RB	95%	★98%★
RM	95%	96%
1M	93%	96%
1BM	94%	91%
2J	95%	93%
2S	91%	95%
3L	96%	96%
3D	★97%★	97%
4H	95%	93%
4SB	95%	★98%★
5H	★97%★	97%
5S	95%	95%
6B	94%	94%
6P	95%	96%
Whole School Attendance		94.7%



## Strike Action

Further to previous letter informing you of dates for Strike Action, the next strike day will take place on Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> March. **School will remain open for all pupils.** A further letter will follow.

## MAD Award

Congratulations to this week's MAD nominees:



These children have been nominated by their class teacher for Making A Difference, this is either through demonstrating our school values or school rules.

## SCCT School Clothing Grant 2023

Applications for the SCCT School Clothing Grant are now open. If you are eligible for this Grant please visit the office to collect an application form.

Parents are requested to return completed forms to be stamped and **copies of all pages of their proof of benefit** to the school by **Monday 13 March 2023.**

## Key Dates

Event	Date
School Closed: Training Day	Monday 27th February
School Begins: Spring 2	Tuesday 28th February
Year 6 DT Day	Tuesday 28th February
4SB Swimming Begins	Tuesday 28th February



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