

March 2021 Newsletter



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Dear Parents, Carers and Members of the Community,

We are really looking forward to seeing all the children back on Monday. I am sure they are excited to be re-turning and to see each other. Please be reassured we are committed to making their experience positive , safe and happy. Can I ask you to make sure you have read the Reopening Letter sent earlier this week—if you missed it, it's on the website under the COVID tab.

We are planning on having a parents evening in the last week of term for which we will use Microsoft Teams. This will be a chance for us to find out how you have been getting on over this period of lockdown and for us to let you know how your child has settled back in. Further details on how to book in and log on will be sent next week. Can we also ask that due to a change of finance systems that no Parent Pay transactions are made during the Easter Holidays.

Although we won't be using Satchel for Home Learning unless your child is self –isolating or Extremely Clinically Vulnerable we will still be using it for homework and you can still contact your child's teacher using the class email system or the school office using the admin email address.

Sadly for us but happily for the Trust, Jayne Jana, who you will have spoken to when phoning the school office, is leaving to work as part of the Central Finance Team . She has been a brilliant School Business Manager and has supported all aspects of school life with positivity, humour and professionalism—she will be greatly missed. I am sure you will join us in wishing her all the best and good luck for the future.

Other staffing changes:

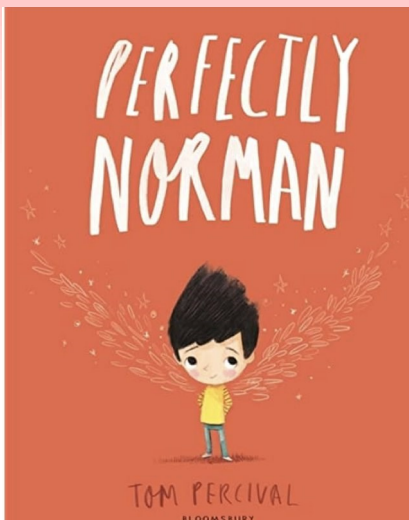
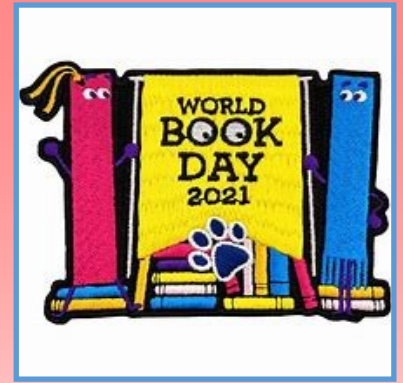
- We wish Mrs Lapworth all the best as she soon begins her maternity leave
- We say a huge thank you to Mr T. Lee for the maternity cover he has provided in Year 3
- We welcome Miss Cook back from maternity to teach in Year 3 alongside Mrs Pickaver
- We welcome Mrs Trzinski back shortly after Easter to work with Ms Lee in Year 5
- Mrs Adams will return after Easter back to her role as EYFS TA as we say goodbye to Miss Cobley and wish her luck in her new role—thank you for all you have done.

Mr Lee



World Book Day

We have celebrated World Book day this year by immersing ourselves in the same story from YR to Y6. Have a look at some of the wonderful activities children have been doing.



Children enjoyed the story and thought about their own unique qualities, some made wings and others wrote book reviews and some wrote poems



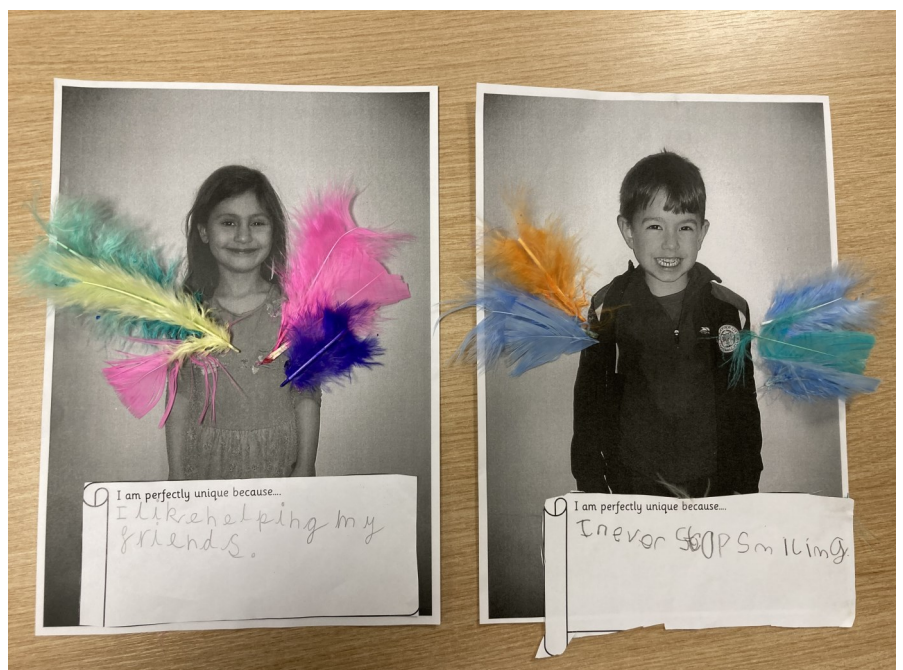
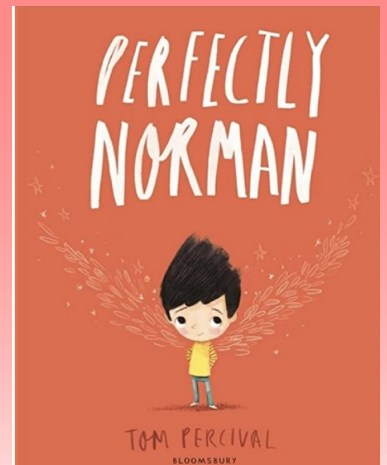
There are a great range of books available this year and you can use your voucher towards one.

World Book day vouchers can either be accessed digitally following the link below or by using the voucher that your child will bring home. This can be redeemed from online retailers

https://www.worldbookday.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/01 booktoken_PrimaryUK.pdf

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Look at all these wings from across school and from your homes!



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Here is some more wonderful
Perfectly Norman work....

