

Canterbury Cross Newsletter

22/03/24



Head Teacher comments

Although a shorter term, spring has still been a really busy one. There have been lots of activity around school with visitors, such as the Animal Man and a visit from The Farm for our younger children. We have also had the theatre to perform "The Jungle Book" which was enjoyed by Key Stage 2. Last week, we had Science Week which was a great success too! The pupils at Canterbury Cross continue to learn with enthusiasm and resilience. We are immensely proud of them.

We are excited to welcome more daylight hours and everything Spring and Summer have to offer in the coming weeks.

Wishing you all a restful and peaceful Easter break.

School will re-open on Monday 8th April.

Extended Holidays

In line with Government requirements and Birmingham City Council policies, we are unable to authorise absence in term time.

Prosecution of parents/carers, Education Act 1996 Section 444

Attendance

If your child is feeling unwell or has a medical appointment, please inform the school by 9.30am. If you do not inform the school, a truancy call will be sent out. If a reason is still not given your child's absence will be recorded as unauthorised. The school's target for attendance is 95%. If a child's attendance figure is 95% or below, then we consider them to be a cause for concern, as this level of absence can severely affect a child's education.

Dates for your Diary

08/04/2024	School re-opens to pupils
08/04/2024-19/04/2024	4E swimming
16/04/2024	Reception VR workshop
22/04/2024-03/05/2024	4A swimming
24/04/2024	Year 5 class trip to Sarehole Mill
25/04/2024	Year 3 class trip to Outback2basics
01/05/2024	Maypole dancing workshop – Y2, Y3 and Y4
06/05/2024	School closed – Bank Holiday
20/05/2024	Year 4 class trip to Lunt Fort
24/05/2024	School closes for half term
03/06/2024	School re-opens

Please be aware be these dates or events are subject to change

Comic Relief

This year we raised £318.59 for Comic Relief. Thank you for your kind donations.

SIMS Parent App

From Monday 8th April, we will be sending the majority of our letters out via the parent app. Please ensure we have your updated email address on the system.

Twitter

Please scan the QR code or search our twitter/X name to take a look at our school Twitter/X page!



@Canterburycross

Dinner Money

Dinner money for next half term from Monday 8th April to Friday 24th May is £ 85.00 (£2.50 per day).

If you want to change your child's meal arrangement, please complete a meal change form from the school office. Any changes to meal arrangements without completing a form will need to be paid for!

Scan the QR codes below to access your child's year group page to see what they've been up to!

Nursery



Reception



Year 1



Year 2



Year 3



Year 4



Year 5



Year 6



Easter Egg Competition!

Well done to all our contestants; we have had some amazing entries this year! Here are our winners from each year group.

Nursery – Naomi



Reception – Amaan



Year 1 – Heba



Year 2 – Zavian



Year 3 – Ahmed



Year 4 – Amelia



Year 5 – Raitah



Year 6 – Rayyan

