



# Ivy Road Primary School

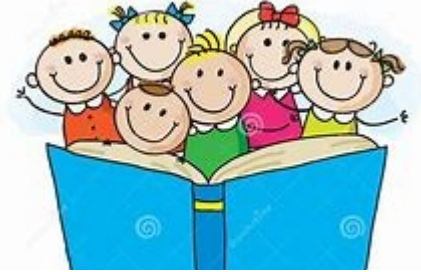
## Newsletter

# 2018

### Thursday 1st March is World Book Day.

Children are invited to come to school dressed as their favourite book character. They can bring in their favourite book, to 'share a story' with children from other classes.

Children will all be given a £1 token to use against the purchase of a book.



Please can parents and carers who drive to school to drop off and pick up their children be considerate to our neighbours who live in the surrounding area. Residents need access to their houses and drives at all times so please ensure you are not blocking them with your vehicle. It is a driving offence to block access to houses and also to park on the zig zag lines outside the school.

### Ford Castle visit reminder

You may pay in money at any time to reduce the balance owing for Ford Castle. The total amount due must be paid no later than Thursday 29th March.

Visit our website:

[www.ivyroadprimary.org.uk](http://www.ivyroadprimary.org.uk)

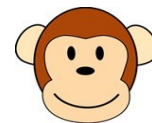
To see all the exciting things going on in our school!



Attendance is monitored closely. Each week the class with the best attendance wins 'Popcorn' the monkey. List of winners:

w/c 05/02/18 - Years 2 & 6 with 100%

w/c 19/02/18 - Years 2 & Years 4/5 with 100%



Are your contact details up to date?

We may need to contact you should your child become ill at school, or occasionally for another reason.

Please ensure that if you have recently changed your home/mobile telephone number, or have moved house, that you inform the school office of your new details.



Please see over

When your child brings home any documentation which you have to complete eg. trip consent forms, football permission slips etc, it would be very helpful to the office staff if you could do this as soon as possible. A lot of time is spent on chasing up missing forms and printing duplicates.

# Dates for your diary....

Our new **Scholastic Book Club** is up and running!  
Go to <http://schools.scholastic.co.uk/ivy-road> to browse  
the latest books and order online.

For **every £1** you spend on this month's Book Club,  
our school will earn **25p** in Scholastic Rewards.

Please place your **order online by March 9th, 2018.**

## Thursday 1 March

World Book Day

Football matches after school at Shiremoor Primary School

## Tuesday 6 March

Dance festival dress rehearsals at Whitley Bay Playhouse (am)

Dance festival at Whitley Bay Playhouse (evening)

## Wednesday 7 March

Swimming lessons - Years 4 & 5

**No** Football Club after school

Film and Pizza night organised by the Friends of Ivy Road (FIR)



## Thursday 8 March

Literacy morning - to be confirmed

## Friday 9 March

Hoops 4 Health Grand Finals (evening)

## Wednesday 14 March

Swimming lessons - Years 4 & 5

Football Club for Years 1 & 2 with NUFC after school (3 of 5 sessions)

## Thursday 15 March

Year 6 class assembly. **Parents and carers are invited to attend this.**

## Friday 16 March

**School closed to pupils.** Staff training day.



## Monday 19 March

Year 3 visit to the Discovery Museum (all day)

## Wednesday 21 March

Swimming lessons - Years 4 & 5

Football Club for Years 1 & 2 with NUFC after school (4 of 5 sessions)

## Thursday 22 March

Years 4 and 5 class assembly. **Parents and carers are invited to attend this.**

## Tuesday 27 March

Whole school Easter Craft Morning



## Wednesday 28 March

Swimming lessons - Years 4 & 5 (Last session)

Football Club for Years 1 & 2 with NUFC after school (Last session)

## Thursday 29 March

Easter Egg Competition - Decorate a hard boiled egg at home and bring it in

Break up for Easter holidays

## Monday 16 April

Return to school

Please note that dates are correct at the time of going  
to print, but may be subject to change.