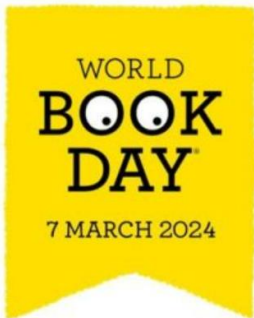


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Whole School Newsletter

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8th March 2024

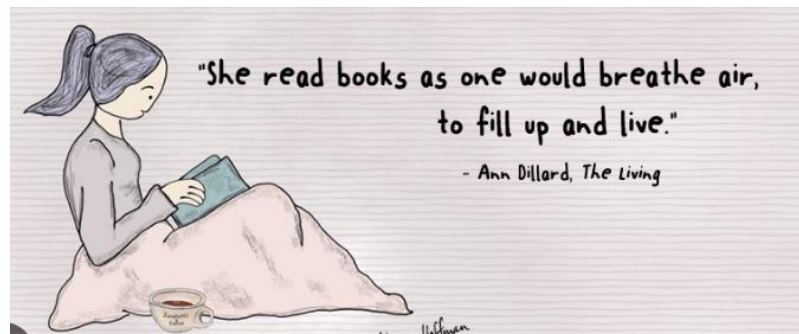


Dear Uphall Family,

It has been a very exciting return to school after half term and I am pleased to say that attendance figures are rising across the school. It requires a whole school effort to raise attendance and we have to continue to make every endeavour to continue to improve. Miss Day, our Attendance Officer, will be contacting parents when we do not know the reason for any absence. In addition I would remind you once again that I cannot authorise term time holidays.

In terms of excitement, we celebrated World Book Day this week! Literacy and a love of reading are central to everything we do at Uphall and I would encourage you to make sure that you ensure your children are reading at home every day and that you take every opportunity to read with them.

Dr. K. Atwal
Principal Learning Leader





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ACCESS TO INFORMATION

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AIMS OF EDUCATION

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REST, PLAY, CULTURE, ARTS

Article 17 (Access to information from the media)

Every child has the right to reliable information from a variety of sources, and governments should encourage the media to provide information that children can understand. Governments must help protect children from materials that could harm them.

Article 29 (goals of education)

Education must develop every child's personality, talents and abilities to the full. It must encourage the child's respect for human rights, as well as respect for their parents, their own and other cultures and the environment.

Article 31 (leisure, play and culture)

Every child has the right to relax, play and take part in a wide range of cultural and artistic activities.



REFLECTION

Find somewhere quiet and allow yourself a few minutes to think:

It has been said that "We don't need books anymore because we have the internet."

- Do you agree with the statement?
- Do books matter to you?
- If you could keep only one book from all that you have read, which would it be? What made you choose that one?
- Who would you like to tell about this special book?



WORLD BOOK DAY
7 MARCH 2024

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CELEBRATE
ON 7 MARCH
2024



Swap your Book Token to get a World Book Day book for FREE at your local bookseller.

HOW IT WORKS:

World Book Day £1/£1.50 book tokens distributed by schools/nurseries and partners

Child goes to bookseller with their book token

Bookseller gifts a £1/£1.50 book in exchange for their token

Child chooses and owns a book



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RULE OF LAW



- We have agreed rules and expectations so that our school is a safe and happy place for all
- We use restorative justice to mediate any conflict if it arises
- We learn about laws, authorities and the importance of living in a democratic society
- We work closely with our Community Police Team
- We learn about fairness and justice

DEMOCRACY



- Our elected student council sits at the heart of our decision making
- Our debating enrichment club allows views and opinions to be heard
- We learn about the importance of freedom of speech and hold mock elections

We value student voice



INDIVIDUAL LIBERTY

- We have a strong anti-bullying culture
- We provide opportunities to develop self-esteem and confidence as individuals across the curriculum
- We learn about identities and explore our personal beliefs
- We take personal responsibility for our own actions
- We learn about Human Rights

MUTUAL RESPECT



& TOLERANCE

- We will always challenge prejudice or discriminatory behaviour
- We discuss and appreciate the differences between people- faith, ethnicity, gender, sexuality, young carers and disability
- We visit places of worship to appreciate different faiths, their beliefs and teachings
- We learn about tolerance and respect for people of different religions and cultural backgrounds





Please remember that the government expected level of attendance is 96%. The overall attendance level for last week was 92.25% - please help us to improve that by ensuring that your child only stays at home if s/he is very unwell. A mild cough or cold is not a reason for them to stay at home. Please also ensure that your child arrives punctually in the mornings – school begins at 8.50 a.m., the gates close at 8.55, and if your child arrives after that time, they will be marked as late. Please also remember that routine medical appointments need to be made outside of school time.

Nursery 30	93.58%
R Begum	94.87%
1 Musiu	96.67%
2 Morgan	94.05%
3 Begum	98.35%
4 Shankar	96.93%
5 Naicker	94.81%
6 Demi	97.31%



To all the children celebrating this week,
From 2nd - 9th March 2024

Have a great birthday!

Celebration
coming up?... Look no further!

School Hall available for Hire for all your upcoming Events!

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