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MARCH 2022 NEWSLETTER

Dear Parents/Carers

Welcome back to the second half of the Spring Term, let's hope that soon the clear blue skies and sunshine will arrive for a sunny and warm 2022! The countdown to Easter is now on and we have included important dates for this term as well as a few advance warnings for the Summer Term.

On 21st February, the Prime Minister announced the next phase of the Governments response to the Covid-19 pandemic. Therefore, school will now resume all After-School club provision, whole school assemblies and all Educational Visits, as we move back to a more 'normal' way of life.

We do hope you enjoyed looking at your child's progress over the last term in their assessment profiles during the holiday and if you haven't already returned them back to school, you do this ASAP.

Yours sincerely



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Executive Head Teacher

Miss Suzanne Rawlings
Head Teacher

Miss Leanne Gallagher
Head of School
Newstead

Miss Emma Meakin
Head of School
Norton le Moors

Parent's Evening

Spring Term parent's evening will be taking place on **Monday 14th March** and **Tuesday 15th March**. Lots of Parent's have benefited from the convenience of online meetings via Teams, therefore we will continue to offer this on Tuesday 15th March only. Face to face Parent's evening meetings will take place in the school hall on Monday 14th March.

You can book your Parent's evening appointments from Thursday 3rd March. You can do this by popping in to the school office, calling the school office, adding a note in your child's diary or my emailing the school on:

Whitfield Valley Primary Academy - whitfieldv@nmat.org.uk

Norton le Moors Primary Academy - norton@nmat.org.uk

Newstead Primary Academy - Newstead@nmat.org.uk



Easter Celebrations

As always we will be celebrating Easter with the following events:



EYFS (Nursery and Reception), Year 1 and Year 2 - Are all invited to make their very own Easter Bonnet for a Parade, prizes will be given to the best bonnet in each class.

Year 3, Year 4, Year 5, Year 6 - Easter Egg Parade. All children are invited to decorate an egg and take part in the parade, prizes will be given to the best egg in each class.

These need to be brought in to school on:

Newstead Primary Academy - Monday 4th April

Norton le Moors Primary Academy - Tuesday 5th April

Whitfield Valley Primary Academy - Wednesday 6th April



TERM TIME DATES

We shall close for the Easter holidays on Friday 8th April 2022.

Summer Term 1 will commence on Monday 25th April 2022

Monday 2nd May 2022 - School closed for May Day Bank Holiday

The academic year 2022 to 2023 is now on the website of each school.



Car Parking

Schools are very busy places at the start and end of the day, however can we please ensure that we only park in the designated spaces and not to block entrances to any houses. Parking is at your own risk but can we ask that you are considerate and polite to one another!



Important dates for YEAR 6!!!

Please note that **SAT's** take place week commencing, **Monday 9th May 2022.**

Monday 9th - Spelling Punctuation and Grammar Test

Tuesday 10th - Reading Test

Wednesday 11th - Mental Arithmetic & Maths Paper 1

Thursday 12th - Maths Paper 2

Year 6 Leaver's Prom (5:30pm - 7:30pm)

Newstead Primary Academy - 12th July

Norton le Moors Primary Academy - 13th July

Whitfield Valley - 14th July

