

INSPIRATIONAL LEARNING ACADEMIES TRUST



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FEBRUARY 2025 NEWSLETTER

Dear Parents/Carers

We hope you are keeping well as we approach the half way point in the academic year!

The month of January has already seen our international residential visits to Italy and France, with lots of other local and national visits having taken place.

Please find below many more school activities happening throughout the rest of this term and dates for our Easter Celebrations and the Spring Term awards.

Yours sincerely

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WONDERVERSE

We have some fabulous young poets at all three of our schools who have managed to have their poems published in the book Wonderverse!!

A massive well done to the following children:

Newstead - George, Minister, Ryley, Grace, Elliot, Jamie, Vanesa, Amal, Lexis-Mai, Tiwatope, Imogen, Joanne, Ava, Alex, Lily, Gracie-Lou, Lena, James, Olivia, Emma and Jacob.

Norton - Demi, Ollie, Evie, Lucas, Olivia-Dee, Freya, Riley, Isla-Rose, Sofia, Rudie, Ruban, Mya, Charlie, Olivia, Dakota, Oliver, Lilly

Whitfield - Theodor, Hope, Janelle, Millie, Korede, Aurora, Arriella, Isabelle, Safa, Millie, Madison, Chelsey, Ashdon, Joshua, Ava, Lola, Primrose, Charlie, Teddy-Ray, Victoria, Malakai, Xach



Parent's Evening

Spring Term parent's evening will be taking place on:

Monday 24th February and Tuesday 25th February - 3.30pm to 5.20pm.

Lots of Parent's have benefited from the convenience of online meetings via Teams, therefore we will continue to offer this on Tuesday 25th February only.

You can book your Parent's evening appointments from Tuesday 11th February. You can do this by popping in to the school office, calling the school office, adding a note in your child's diary.



BOOK FAIR

The Book Fair returns!!!

The Book Fair will be open during the Parent's Evening meetings on Monday 24th February and Tuesday 25th February.

A Polite Reminder

There are a small minority of parents/carers that think it is ok to shout and verbally abuse the staff teams both in person and over the telephone.

May we remind you that we are here to help and implement the government policies and procedures concerning education. We do not make the rules we have to follow them.

We do have a zero tolerance around such behaviour and will refer such behaviour to the board of directors who may take the decision to enforce a ban from the site.

We know that life can be very frustrating at the moment, it is for us too but please do not shout at us.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.



BEHAVIOUR POLICY UPDATE

Currently we stamp your child's diary with a face to show what kind of week your child has had in school e.g. green smiley face, amber face or red sad face. When reviewing our behaviour policy, we have decided that we will not be doing this from this week w/c: 3rd February 2025. Should your child receive multiple yellow cards or a red card, a phone call home will be made from the class teacher to notify you (as we currently do) and an internal record kept.

EVENT DATES THIS TERM

Monday 24th March Norton Easter Bonnet Parade

EYFS (Nursery & Reception) 9.00am, KS1 (Year 1 and 2) 9.30am

Tuesday 25th March Newstead Easter Bonnet Parade

EYFS (Nursery & Reception) 9.00am, KS1 (Year 1 and 2) 9.45am

Wednesday 26th March Whitfield Easter Bonnet Parade

EYFS (Nursery & Reception) 9.00am, KS1 (Year 1 and 2) 9.45am



Year 6 SATS w/c: Monday 12th May 2025

Year 6 Leaver's Assembly (9.00am) and Prom (from 5.30pm):

Newstead - Monday 14th July, 2025

Norton - Tuesday 15th July, 2025

Whitfield - Wednesday 16th July, 2025