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Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you to everyone that was able to attend the **parent consultation meetings** this week. If you have not yet completed the survey that was sent out via parentmail, please do this as soon as possible to share your feedback with us.

Last week, you may remember that I shared with you some '**recommended**' reads for each **year group**. Please see page 3 of this newsletter for another set of books that your children might enjoy over the Easter break.

After half term, we look forward to welcoming **Miss Tiffany Frew as a Teaching Assistant in Year 5**.

A big thank you to everyone, including our Friends of EVS, that supported our School Council by donating red and green cans to our school for the **MK Can Challenge**. Please see page 2 of this newsletter for the photograph of our EVS School logo made from cans! All donations made will be passed to MK Food Bank to help those in need.

Today is the last day of the Spring term and as we head into the 2 week Easter break, I would like to thank everyone in our school community for their support. It has been a very short but incredibly busy half term and children (and staff!) are definitely in need of a bit of a break! **Children return to school on Monday 15th April 2024**. We look forward to seeing everyone in school when we return.

Have a fantastic Easter break!

Mrs White
Executive Headteacher

Year 3 and 4 Football League

Last week our football team played their last set of fixtures and picked up their first win! Well done to everyone involved for their attitude and effort shown throughout every game that they played in.

The children involved in the final were **Giovanna 4NB, Nouman 4CM, Harris 4PH, Duke, Ryan and Edward 3JP** and **Bradley 3JR**.



GOLD AWARDS

Year 3: Zofia 3JT, Rakshya 3EM, Nia 3JR, Duke 3JP

Year 4: Eos 4CM, Saifullah 4PH, Yash 4NB, Joshua 4BM

Year 5: Isaac 5AR, Adam 5LF, Lilah 5LS, Roman 5KH

Year 6: Jasper 6RR, Steffy 6DC, Hudson & Jamie 6AM, Tilly 6GB, Sai 6RR (22.03.22)

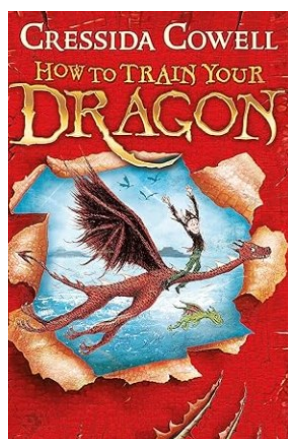
Music Awards: Harry 6DC, Demi 3EM



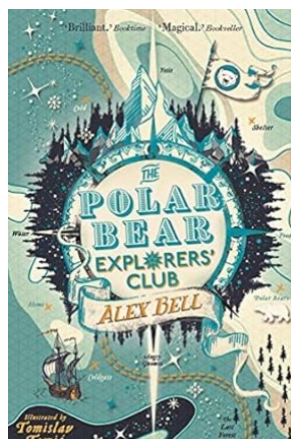


Recommended Reads

We have collaborated with our local library to encourage children to read a variety of books as much as possible. Karen Fleming, from Milton Keynes Central Library, has provided the children with some recommended reads, which will be discussed in their reading lessons in the next few weeks. Let us know if you read these with your children at home and what they think! Some of the recommended reads are...



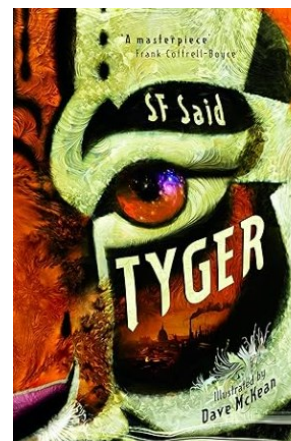
Year 3



Year 4



Year 5



Year 6



Merevalley Federation: Spring and Summer term 2024

These dates are for both Merebrook and Emerson Valley
unless otherwise indicated. **NEW EVENTS IN RED.**



28th March 2024	Last day of Spring term
15th April 2024	Children return to school following Easter break
23rd April 2024	Year 6 Parents Residential information evening 5pm
24th April 2024	Year 1 Maths Parents workshop 8:55-9:55am
29th April 2024	Early Years Maths Parents workshop 8:55-9:55am
30th April 2024	Relationships & Sex Education Parents information session at EVS 5pm
1st May 2024	Year 2 Maths Parents workshop 8:55-9:55am
6th May 2024	May Day Bank Holiday. School closed.
9th May 2024	Parent & Carer coffee afternoon at EVS 2pm
13th—16th May 2024	Year 6 SATS
22nd—24th May 2024	Year 6 Residential
27th—31st May 2024	Half term break
3rd June 2024	Children return to school.

TERM DATES 2023-2024	
Spring Term	8th January 2024 – 28th March 2024
Summer Term	15th April 2024– 19th July 2024