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Assemblies:

Year 5 performed a fun and informative assembly to parents/carers this week. They told us all about the importance of sustainable fashion and showed off some great sewing skills and impressive dance moves!



suggested age restrictions on certain apps. Parents can scan the above QR code to access parent guides to help keep children safe online.

Helping Hands Award:

We have two Helping Hands to celebrate this week! Well done to A in 1DP for always being helpful by taking care of resources and tidying up the classroom.



Well done to A in 6K for showing resilience and dedication in everything he does and for having a calm and positive influence in the classroom.

Sports Star:

Well done to J in 1L for fantastic participation in his P.E. lessons.



We had fun in assembly this week, talking about Shrove Tuesday and the reasons why Christians



use the period of Lent to reflect on making positive changes. The children came up with some fantastic examples of how

they can make a positive change in their life, such as helping tidy their bedrooms and doing the washing up!

The police came to visit on Safer Internet Day. They presented to Key Stage Two and talked about how to stay safe online, including following the



Happy New Year to all our families celebrating Chinese New Year on Saturday 10th February.



Eco Conference

The ESPS Green Team attended an eco-conference this week at Tiffin Girls' school.

They had lots of fun listening to some key speakers from Greenpeace and Born Free,



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and completing some plastic and gardening challenges.



Sports news:

Children from Year 3 played in a local football tournament. Team ESPTS were brilliant and shone in every way! Athletes from Year 5 & 6 competed in the London Youth Games and placed 4th overall. It was an exceptional performance with lots of personal bests.



Year 6 trip – Holly Lodge (Victorian Pharmacy)

During their visit, the children became apprentices in a Victorian pharmacy, experiencing first-hand the fascinating world of 19th-century medicine and healthcare. They also had the chance to explore various herbs and ingredients, understanding their roles in the making of medicines.



Year 2 trip – National Archive

Year 2 went to the National Archives in Kew this week to look at documents relating to the Great Fire of London for the start of our new history topic. They looked at a book which was over 350 years old. It documents who lived on Pudding Lane. They looked at maps and did some drama around putting the fire out.



Notices and reminders:

We will be celebrating **World Book Day** on 7th March. To reduce the cost to parents and to be environmentally conscious, we would like to **collect donations of costumes** and hold a sale on Friday 1st March. If you have a dressing up costume in good condition, that you would like to donate, please bring it in a bag and leave it in the school office before Friday 23rd February.

Please return any **green lanyards** to the school office if you have any at home.

Please [click here](#), for more information about Cine Schools club taking place over the February half-term.

Achieving for **Children's Mental Health Support Teams** are delivering a series of webinars for parents of primary aged children. The 'Helping Children with ...' series of webinars will cover a



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range of common difficulties experienced by children and will aim to share evidence-based strategies to help parents and carers support their children with these difficulties. Please [click here](#) for more information, including sign-up links.



Attendance and absence:

School target: 97%

Last week: 95.39%

Classes above target: 4

RC	98.00%	1D	96.67%	2B	98.57%	3C	90.34%	4D	90.00%	5B	95.20%	6H	95.61%
RD	97.59%	1DP	94.48%	2N	96.54%	3CS	95.77%	4F	95.17%	5M	94.92%	6K	94.55%
RM	95.36%	1L	96.67%	2S	95.67%	3G	95.71%	4H	93.00%	5S	97.20%	6T	96.36%