

# Termly Newsletter

Keep up-to-date with the latest school news - Spring 2018



## THROUGH THE KEYHOLE WITH KEY STAGE I

We dropped into the P3 and P4 classrooms to find out what they have been getting up to over the last few weeks. Next term we will be catching up with P5 and P6.



### P3 and P4

This term in P3 and P4 we have been enjoying our topic '*Dinosaurs!*' One of our favourite activities was creating wanted posters for different dinosaurs! We even designed our own dinosaur skeletons using cotton buds!



### Mathletics

We are massive fans of *Mathletics* in P3 and P4! We have been using it in class to boost our mental maths skills on a daily basis. We have also been logging on at home and using it to complete tasks that have been set by our teacher!



We recently enjoyed taking part in a Road Safety event organised by Road Safe N.I. Christine led us on a walk in our local area to help us become more aware of the dangers on paths and roads.

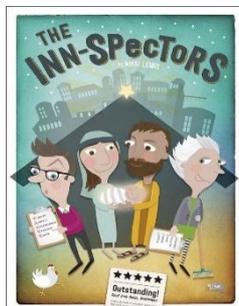


In March and April our new topic will be '**Healthy Eating and Healthy Lifestyles.**' We will be finding out about healthy food and ways of staying healthy. We will also be learning about the importance of exercise and having a healthy lifestyle.



## CHRISTMAS NATIVITY AND CRAFT FAIR

Many thanks to everyone who supported our Nativity Production and Christmas Craft Fair. It was an incredible turnout by parents and guests! We raised over £300 which was then used to purchase exciting learning resources such as *Mathletics*.



## RSPB BIG SCHOOL'S BIRDWATCH



Our Key Stage One and Two classes recently had a lovely afternoon at The People's Park, taking part in the R.S.P.B. Big School's Birdwatch. We were joined by Jo Mulholland from the RSPB Education Team and she gave us lots of birdwatching advice!

## FOREST SCHOOLS



We are delighted to announce that we have been chosen to participate in the Forest School programme. Over the next few months, our pupils will be taking part in several outdoor lessons at The People's Park.



## SCHOOL DIARY DATES

**World Book Day:** Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March  
**Parent Meetings Week:** Monday 25<sup>th</sup> – Friday 29<sup>th</sup> March  
**End of Term:** Friday 12<sup>th</sup> April (half day)  
**Easter Break:** Monday 15<sup>th</sup> – Friday 26<sup>th</sup> April (inclusive)  
**P6 & P7 Residential:** Monday 8<sup>th</sup> – Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> April  
**PTA Table Quiz + Fundraiser** (exciting new event!):  
Friday 5<sup>th</sup> April at Ballymena Bowling Club 8pm – hope to see you all there!

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