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**Dates for the Spring term**

**Dear Parents,**

**Parent consultations:**

Sign up sheets for Spring term parent consultations are still available. If you are unable to make it into school to sign up for an appointment, please contact the office and they will try and find a slot for you. The arrangements are as follows:

March 7th – Y2 and Y3 am, Y1 and Y6 pm, all classes after school (3:40 – 6:30).

March 8th – YR and Y4 am, YN and Y5 pm.

**World Book Day:**

Yesterday, we celebrated World Book Day. This is the 20th year there has been a World Book day and we explored the pleasures of books and reading. Every child received a £1 book token. Children and staff dressed up in many fine costumes and in assembly they all had a parade. In addition all classes listened to stories from different teachers. They also designed comic strips about their favourite books. Our very own hungry caterpillar (who also works as our premises officer) also managed to collect nearly £100 from children and parents to support the charity Book Aid International.

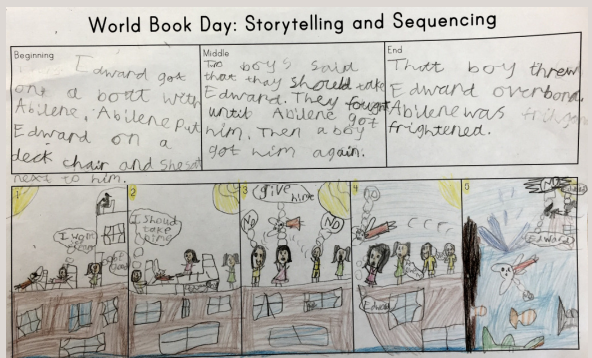


**Year 6 Junior citizenship scheme:**

Yesterday, Y6 attended Junior Citizenship Scheme. They took part in a carousel of activities with up to ten different agencies delivering short sessions on topics relating to good citizenship. The children completed a circuit of scenarios in small groups, learning through experience and real-life risk situations that test their ability to make responsible decisions.

**Children's learning at Friars:**

Mary Lou in Year 3, as part of World Book day, rewrote a section of Edward Tullane, the current Year 3 text as a comic strip.



**Thought for the week on The Joy of Reading:**

"The more that you read, the more things you will know. The more that you learn, the more places you'll go."  
Dr Seuss

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**Have a great weekend!**  
Yours sincerely,  
**J. Burtt, Headteacher**



**EYFS/KS1**

**Year Two**

**Jessica Mysiakowski**

**for her fantastic attitude and behavior! You are a superstar. What a great role model.**

**Well Done!**



**KS2**

**Year Four**

**Isabel Hayward**

**for making such a fantastic effort with her writing.**

**Well Done!**



**Assembly theme / value this week:  
Saints**



	Class	ATTENDANCE
1st	6	99.5%
2nd	5	98.4%
3rd	3	98.1%
4th	1	95.8%
5th	4	95.2%
6th	R	93.3%
7th	2	92.6%



	Class	ON TIME
1st	6	99.0%
2nd	3	96.7%
3rd	5	94.0%
4th	4	93.3%
5th	1	93.2%
6th	R	92.9%
7th	2	86.4%