

Mersey Park Primary School



Headteacher's Newsletter - March 2020

Sport Relief 2020

Friday 13th March is Sport Relief Day. We would like to support this event again this year and invite all the children to come into school wearing sportswear on Friday 13th March.

We will be holding two sponsored events and also asking the children to bring a donation.

Further information about the events planned for the day will be sent home in a separate letter.



**SPORT
RELIEF**

"Be Nice, Work Hard, Never Give up"

Medical / Dental Appointments

We have become aware that a lot of children are missing valuable time in school due to medical appointments.

Please ensure that, if possible, all pupil medical and dental appointments are made for the end of the school day or during school holidays.

If this is not possible, pupils should come into school before and /or after their appointment.



March Dates to Remember

National Careers Week

Monday 2nd March—

Friday 6th March

**NATIONAL
CAREERS
WEEK**



**WORLD
BOOK
DAY**

World Book Day

Wednesday 5th March

Fitness Friday—Sport Relief

Friday 13th March



**SPORT
RELIEF**

Year 3 + 4 Performance—Class 3L

Tuesday 31st March - 10.00am



Year 3 + 4 Performance—Class 3R

Tuesday 31st March - 2.00pm

Year 3 + 4 Performance—Class 4G

Wednesday 1st April - 10.00am



Year 3 + 4 Performance—Class 4O

Wednesday 1st April - 2.00pm

World Book Day



**WORLD
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To celebrate World Book Day this year we will be having a 'Bedtime Stories' themed day. All children are invited to come to school wearing comfortable pyjamas and dressing gowns (please remember suitable footwear and your coat!) and to bring along their favourite bedtime story book.



Absence Advice— When a Child is Unwell

We are often asked by parents and carers for advice when their child is unwell as to how long their child should stay off school . We have been given guidelines from the Health Protection Agency which gives advice on how long children should be kept away from school with certain illnesses.

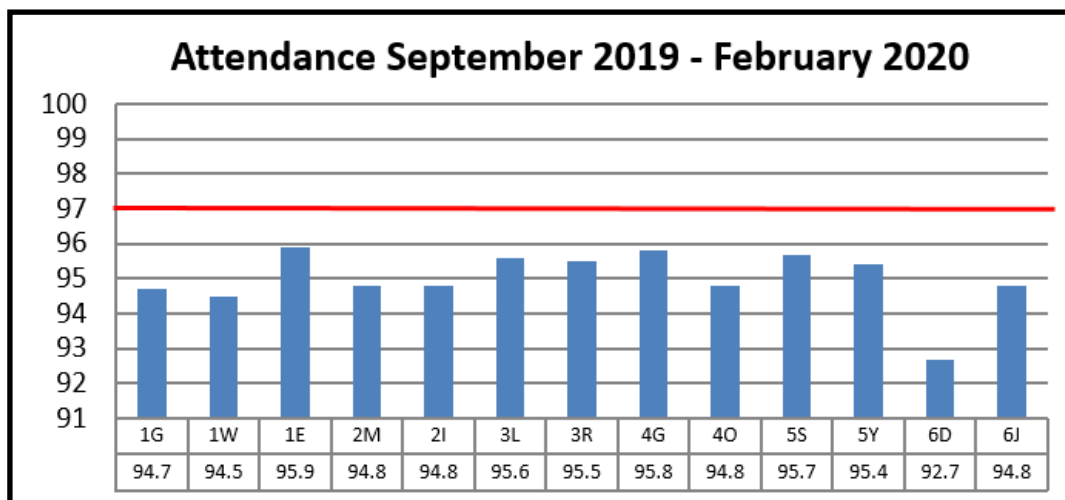
Please find the information below and this can now also be found on our school website in the section for parents.

We hope that this information will help you assess if your child needs to be off school but please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any concerns or require any further information.



Attendance

Current whole school attendance is **95.7%** which has improved since last month. Our whole school target , that we encourage each class to achieve, is **97%** so we are below target. Please see the graph below for the attendance for your child's class. Well done to **1E**, who have the best attendance so far this year. Congratulations also to **2M**, **3R**, **4G**, **5Y** and **6D** who have all improved their attendance since last month.



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Don't forget to check the website calendar as it is updated regularly.

