



Friday 06  
March  
2020

Friday 13 March



Dress up in sports clothes for £1!



WORLD  
**BOOK  
DAY**  
5 MARCH 2020



## What's Coming Up...

Fri 13 Mar	Sport Relief - Children to wear sport clothes - £1
Wed 18 Mar	Parents Evening
Fri 20 Mar	KS1 Assembly <b>9.00am</b>
Wed 1 Apr	UKS2 Rounders' tournament
Fri 3 Apr	Celebration Assembly <b>9.00am</b>
Fri 3 Apr	Easter Celebration Service
Fri 3 Apr	Height and Weigh screening - Reception & Year 6
Fri 3 Apr	Last day of term
Mon 20 Apr	First day of new term
Mon 27 Apr	EYFS's trip to the Church



### Office News

Secondary School Offers - Year 6 parents should have recently received their offer of place for secondary school, the offer letter will explain how to accept or refuse the place.

Birmingham City Council's deadline for acceptances is Monday 16th March 2020.

Nursery Parents - The deadline for 30 hours childcare claims for the Summer Term is Friday 27th March, for claims to be validated the 11 digit eligibility code needs to be returned to the office by this date. Parents who are currently entitled need to assure they have reconfirmed.

**"Whether  
you eat or drink, or  
whatever you do,  
do it for the Glory  
of God"**

**1 Corinthians  
10:31**

# World Book Day - Monster Mayhem!

This world book day has been invaded by our reading monsters! Well done to all the children (and staff!) who dressed up in amazing costumes for world book day!

We had so many amazing handmade costumes that parents/carers had took the time to design and create with their children in order to look like one of our reading monsters! Thank you for all your effort and remember to question your children at home on their favourite reading monster and why we use them in school!

A special thank you to our school librarians who organised and put together the activities, games, badges, bookmarks, stickers and so much more in our school library.

Many children took out books from our library and we are really proud to now be able to use the library as a place for learning and sharing stories. Please encourage your children to visit the school library on their classes given slot and take books home to read.

Thank you once again and remember...reading is fundamental!



# Stars of the week

At St Thomas Academy we like to celebrate the achievements of our children. These are the children who have been chosen as star of the week for their year group:

**Nursery:** Mia - for being a wonderful member of the class.

**Reception:** Daniella - for knowing her phase 2 sounds.

**Year 1:** Milan - she has tried really hard to answer questions in all her lessons.

**Year 2:** Ethan Ngai - he has worked really hard to improve his writing and reading in the last week.

**Year 3:** Amouda - for trying really hard to make a positive change with this attitude to learning.

**Year 4:** Tashinga - for really trying to get his behaviour right in school. He is also trying to complete the work that he has been asked to do.

**Year 5:** Sonny - for developing his creativity in his literacy writing.

**Year 6:** Holante - he has worked well this term. He is producing good pieces of writing, and he has improved greatly with his reading results. Well done Holante - keep it up!

## Attendance

1st: LKS2

2nd: UKS2

3rd: KS1

House Winners:

