

Emscote Express

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Diary dates

2018



January

17th Planetarium in school

February

2nd Sycamore Sharing Assembly

14th Growth Mindset workshop for parents 6pm

16th Maple Sharing Assembly

19th – 23rd HALF TERM

28th Book Bus in School

March

1st World Book Day

2nd Holly Sharing Assembly

9th Apple Sharing Assembly

Mother's Day Afternoon Tea

12th Sycamore Impact, 9-10am

Holly Impact, 2-3pm

14th Oak Impact, 9-10am

15th Maple Impact, 9-10am

Apple Impact, 2-3pm

16th Oak Sharing Assembly

22nd Cherry Sharing Assembly

23rd Willow Sharing Assembly

29th Easter Church Service, 9am

TERM FINISHES

April

16th RETURN TO SCHOOL

May

28th May – 1st June HALF TERM

June

4th Inset Day – school closed

5th RETURN TO SCHOOL

6th Class photos

July

20th TERM FINISHES

Christmas Jumper Day fundraising

Thank you to all that donated for Save the Children – we raised £140 for this very worthwhile charity.

Young Voices Concert

Our Emscote Voices Choir had an amazing time at the Young Voices concert on Wednesday. Over 6,000 children performed to an audience of 20,000 in the Genting Arena – an incredible experience!

We also got to experience performing with professionals including the very talented Natalie Williams, The M4GNETS, Alfie Sheard and Urban Stride. A huge thank you to the children in choir for all their hard work and their fabulous performance, and to the choir parents for all their support. It was an unforgettable evening and we are already looking forward to Young Voices 2019!



Signing in if your child is late

Please always sign your child into the late arrivals book if they arrive after 8.55am. It is a **Fire Regulations requirement** in case the children miss the electronic register in class. **We must be certain exactly which children are in school!**

Mathletics Month

Don't forget that January is **Mathletics Month** – get online and earn your certificates for entry into our prize draw!

Mathletics Mania

Well done to all who used Mathletics in the Autumn term.

You answered an incredible 44,633 questions!

We were delighted to award 251 bronze certificates, 48 silver certificates and 9 gold certificates.

Did you know?.....it takes just 3 Mathletics activities (around 20 minutes) per week to improve your maths results.

**March will be Reading Month and there will be prizes to be won!
More information to follow...**



We are very excited about the visit from the mobile Planetarium next week. This is to support our space topic

Plastic is not fantastic!

Many of you will have been inspired to consider your use of plastic after watching the Blue Planet 2 series, showing how waste plastic is so damaging to our marine life. As an Eco School, we have decided not to supply children with single use plastic water bottles going forward. Please send your child with a re-usable bottle to help us do our bit!

Thank you



Impact in Learning, Spring 2018

This term's Impact workshops for parents of children in years 1 and 2 will be to support maths learning. *It is very important that each child has an adult to attend with them.* You can switch to another session in your year group if necessary. Please note these dates in your diary:

Mon 12th March, Sycamore (Y2), 9– 10am

Mon 12th March, Holly (Y1), 2-3pm

Wed 14th March, Oak (Y1 & 2) , 9-10am

Thurs 15th March, Maple (Y2), 9-10am

Thurs 15th March, Apple (Y1), 2-3pm

Sharing assemblies

Come and share in your child's class learning....

2nd February – Sycamore

16th February – Maple

2nd March – Holly

9th March – Apple

16th March – Oak

22nd March – Cherry (Thursday)

23rd March - Willow

December Attendance

Well done to Oak for the best attendance, and Cherry for the fewest late arrivals.

Class	Attendance	Lates
Willow	92.7%	11
Cherry	91.5%	9
Apple	94.9%	15
Holly	88.9%	10
Oak	96.8%	22
Maple	96.0	22
Sycamore	95.5	11

Absence Please phone the office on 01926 491433 between 8.30-9.30am if your child is going to be absent from school.