



### **Introduction**

During our assembly this week, we asked the question, "Is fashion important?" This led to an engaging exploration of the world of 'fast fashion' and an in-depth discussion of the ethical arguments against it, along with its impact on the world around us. One highlight of the assembly was the viewing of a clip from the new BBC show 'Style it Out,' which is centred around repurposing materials to improve sustainability in fashion. This provided valuable insights into alternative approaches to fashion consumption and production.

We were delighted to see how engaged the children were during the discussion. They shared their thoughts and experiences, including their purchases through platforms such as 'Vinted' and participation in car boot sales, which support fashion sustainability through recycling and reuse.

As always, we encourage ongoing discussions at home about these important topics and ways in which we can all make a difference in creating a more sustainable future.



Mrs Costello  
*Headteacher*

### **Parkways After School Club**

Just a reminder that we have Parkways After School Club starting on Monday 15<sup>th</sup> April (after Easter.) Registration forms are available from the school office. Places are limited so please collect a form from the office as soon as possible if you require a space for your child.

### **Parking in the community**

Despite politely asking, we are still seeing and hearing of parents parking dangerously and illegally around the roads surrounding school at drop off and pick up. If you do see anyone parking illegally, you can report this directly to the police.

#### **Illegal parking**

If the vehicle is parked:

- on zig zag lines
- dangerously
- in a way that would prevent emergency vehicles from accessing

You can report these to the police by [clicking here](#)



### **National Online Safety Message**



Click [here](#) to view this week's poster.

## Attendance this week

Reception	92%
Year 1	96.5%
Year 2	96.3%
Year 3	94.5%
Year 4	96.7%
Year 5	90%
Year 6	92%
Whole school	93.89%



## Dates for the Diary

Date	Event
Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> February	Pancakes for lunch! Please complete a Chartwells Allergy Form available <a href="#">here</a> and pay via the Arbor App
Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> February	Friends of Springwood Heath Meeting 1.30pm in school – please let the office know via email or telephone if you plan to attend
Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> February	Chinese New Year Lunch – Please complete a Chartwells Allergy Form available <a href="#">here</a> and pay via the Arbor App
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> -9 <sup>th</sup> February	Children's Mental Health Week
Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> February	Safer Internet Day
Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> February	Yr 5/6 Basketball Competition
Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> February	Year 3 Class Assembly – Y3 parents invited 9am
Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> February	School closes for half term
Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> February	School reopens Spring 2
Thursday 29 <sup>th</sup> February	Y6 Football Competition
Friday 1 <sup>st</sup> March	Phonics Parent Workshop for Reception parents 9.30-10.00am school hall
Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> March	World Book Day – Dress as a book character! World Book Day Themed Lunch - Please complete a Chartwells Allergy Form available <a href="#">here</a> and pay via the Arbor App
Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> March	Y4 Trip – Liverpool Philharmonic
Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> March	Y4 Football Competition
Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> March	Families Reading for Pleasure Afternoon 3.15pm-4pm in classrooms (after school)
Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> March	Red Nose Day – own clothes day
Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> March	Y3 Football Competition
Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 27 <sup>th</sup> March	Parents Evening
Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup> March	Easter Bonnet Parade and own clothes day
Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup> March	School closes for Easter Break 1.30pm