# Aughton Christ Church C of E Primary School N E W S L E T T E R— 28th February 2025



Our school value this half term is: "Forgiveness"

"Just as the Lord has forgiven you, so you must also forgive others"

Colossians 3.13

## **Parents Evening**

We are holding parents' evening in school on Wednesday 12th March from 4-7pm. You will have the opportunity to look at your child's work and then attend an appointment with the class teacher. Appointment request slips have been sent home with the children this week. Please return your completed slip, indicating your preferred time, to your eldest child's class teacher by Thursday 6th March. You will be informed of your allocated time on Friday 7th March. Please speak to the school office if you have any questions.

## World Book Day

Children and staff are invited to dress up as their favourite book character on World Book Day (**Thursday 6th March**). Each class will be doing book related themed activities on the day and we look forward to seeing everyone in their costumes.



We are also delighted to announce that on World Book Day, we will be holding our annual Travelling Book Fair in the school hall. We warmly invite you to visit our book fair with your child and help them to develop a passion and enthusiasm for reading. Each class will have had chance to browse the book fair before it officially opens at 3:30pm on World Book Day. Every book sold at our book fair helps us to earn rewards that our school can spend on books and resources for our school library. World Book Day £1 Tokens have been sent home with the children.

The Book Fair will be in the school hall from Thursday 6th to Tuesday 11th March (please see times below):

- Thursday 6th—3:30pm-4:00pm
- Friday 7th—8:45am-9:15am & 3:30pm-4:00pm
- Monday 10th 8:45am-9:15am & 3:30pm-4:00pm
- Tuesday 11th—8:45am-9:15am & 3:30pm-4:00pm

This year we also invite all the children in school to take part in our 'design a book character sock' competition. Think of your favourite character puppet, get an odd sock and get creative by turning your sock into the character that inspires you the most. Bring your sock character puppet into school on World Book Day to enter the competition and see if you can win a prize!

## **Dates for you diary**

Thursday 6th March—World Book Day
Thursday 6th to Tuesday 11th March—Book Fair
Wednesday 12th March—Parents Evening 4-7pm
Monday 17th March—Reception Vision Screening
Friday 21st March—Comic Relief
Monday 24th March—Y2 Adventure Day
Thursday 27th March—PHA Easter Bingo
Friday 28th March—STEM Careers Fair (pm)
Monday 31st March to Wednesday 2nd April—Y5 Bikeability
Friday 4th April—School finishes at 2pm

#### **Attendance**

Our whole school attendance for Spring Term 1 was 97.71%. Well done everyone! A big well done to the 131 children who were in every day over the fist half of the spring term and their attendance was 100%.



#### Foodbank Fridays

Donations can be brought in on any day and church will collect them on a Friday. Thank you for all the items received so far.

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# Tesco Stronger Starts Fundraising

You are now able to vote for our school in Burscough's Tesco store. Any votes would be greatly appreciated. All you need to do



is post a blue voting token in our box when in the store. The voting process will end in March and we will then find out our funding amount from Tesco. The fundraiser is for new iPads to support learning across school.