



# Benwick Primary School

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Dear Parents & Carers,

## World Book Day:

We had a fantastic world book, the children looked great in their costumes or cosy in their pyjamas. Each class focused on an individual book which all the day's activities centred around and this inspired some fantastic work – well done everyone!

## Dropping off & zig-zags:

When dropping off in the morning, please wait on the playground with your child until the whistle is blown. The purpose of staff being on the playground at this time is so that they are available to speak to parents and carers, however supervision is the responsibility of parents until the whistle is blown – thank you. Just a reminder also to please refrain from stopping or parking on the yellow zig-zags outside school, this is for the safety of our families and wider community. Thank you.

## Dan Freedman author visit:

We had a brilliant visit from best selling author Dan Freedman this week, who inspired KS2 children with his stories of what led him to be a writer and where his stories come from. We have a full set of his novels in our library for KS2 children to borrow and read.

## Comic Relief:

Its comic relief on Friday 18<sup>th</sup> March, children will be able to wear non-school uniform (£1 donation) and red nose cupcakes will be available for children to buy at playtime for 50p.

## Easter & Jubilee plans:

We are making plans for Easter and Jubilee enrichment which will be shared with you in due course. We will be holding a Easter chocolate raffle for the children on the last day of term and donations of Easter eggs/Easter chocolate would be most welcome – thanks.

Please do follow us on Facebook, a lot of our photos and news is posted here regularly:

<https://www.facebook.com/BenwickPrimarySchool>

Have a lovely weekend,

Best wishes - **Mrs Clare Talbot – Headteacher**

## Diary Dates

Friday 18<sup>th</sup> March

## 20<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup> April

Friday 1<sup>st</sup> April

Mon 4<sup>th</sup> April-Mon 18<sup>th</sup> April

Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> April

Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> April

Monday 9<sup>th</sup> May

Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> May

Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May

Monday 30<sup>th</sup> May-Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> June

Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> July

Comic Relief – Red Nose Day (Non-school uniform £1 – children can wear red noses etc)

## Parents' Evenings – revised dates

School closes at 3.10pm Easter Holidays

Easter Holidays

INSET Day – school closed to pupils

School opens for Summer Term

Y6 KS2 SATS week begins

School Jubilee Celebrations - school closes at 3.10pm for Half-Term

Additional day of holiday in lieu of Jubilee

HALF-TERM Holiday

Last day of Term – school closes at 3.10pm for SUMMER HOLIDAYS

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