

RECREATION ROAD INFANT

NEWSLETTER 5

MARCH 2013



We have had a wonderful month...looking at Gorilla designs and using our **VLE to vote** for our favourites ready to decorate our very own Gorilla....reading and sharing lots of wonderful books...having children create their own books....seeing all the EXTREME places people like to read....dressing up and enjoying Breakfast with a Book...

Many thanks for all your support, donations of books and lovely photos. Please look at the **“We love reading”** page on VLE for resources, ideas and videos of storytellers.

School Improvement and Development Plan

Many thanks to those of you who have completed our questionnaire and returned the sheet. Your thoughtful comments will really help us in our future planning.



If you haven't responded, please do. Pop the completed sheets into the office by **March 15th**.



Parking-again!

Our PTA have written a model letter for you to use and send to Highways regarding the parking/traffic issues around school. It is on the PTA page of our VLE or come and collect a hard copy from the office.

Please use this or write your own letters, as the more Highways receive the more likely they are to respond. Or...

JUST PARK CAREFULLY AND LEGALLY!

ASTHMA and Other Medical Conditions

Please remember to update us on any medical issues so that we can follow best practice. If your child has asthma and needs an inhaler at school please complete a Care Form (available from the school office). Please check that any medicines kept in school are in date and replace those that have expired.

A gentle reminder that school opens at 8:50. It is great that many of you are early and keen...however staff do need the period prior to school opening to meet with colleagues, arrange appointments with families and to prepare for the day. Our office staff also require that time to share information with each other and prepare for the day's work ahead.

Hopefully as the weather improves(!) if you arrive early you can enjoy the outside space for a few minutes.

Dates for your Diary:

School CLOSED- Thursday 28th March for Staff Training

Easter Holidays- Friday 29th March to Friday 12th April

Parent-Teacher Interviews –Week beginning Monday 15th April-please sign up for a time slot

May Day- Monday 6th May-School CLOSED

Half Term Holidays- Monday 27th May – Friday 31st May

School CLOSED- Thursday 27th June for Staff Training