

# Dewhurst St Mary Newsletter



Monday 6<sup>th</sup> March 2023

'Let your light shine' Matthew 5:16

## Dates for your diaries

Reminder of Times Doors open 8.45am  
Collect at end of day 3.15pm

### Family Assemblies 2.45pm

Year 4 Fri 10<sup>th</sup> March

**Year 3 Fri 17<sup>th</sup> March REVISED**

**Year 5 Weds 22<sup>nd</sup> March REVISED TBC**

Year 6 Fri 24<sup>th</sup> March

SEN Consultations 20-24<sup>th</sup> March

Parent Consultation Evenings: Tue 28<sup>th</sup>  
or Thurs 30<sup>th</sup> March

Palm Service Weds 29<sup>th</sup> March

Last day Fri 31<sup>st</sup> March 1.30pm

Easter holidays 1<sup>st</sup> -16<sup>th</sup> April 2023

INSET 17<sup>th</sup> April

Back to school Summer term 18<sup>th</sup> April  
2023

Bank holiday Mon 1<sup>st</sup> May 2023

Bank holiday Mon 8<sup>th</sup> May 2023

Yr 6 SATS Tues 9<sup>th</sup> – Fri 12<sup>th</sup> May 2023

Y2 SATS – During May

Half term 29<sup>th</sup> May-2<sup>nd</sup> June 2023

Yr4 – Multiplication Check-June

Yr1 – Phonics screening week beg 12<sup>th</sup>  
June

Transition day Thurs 13<sup>th</sup> July

Last day Thurs 20<sup>th</sup> July 2023 1.30 finish

## Inspiring all to 'Dream, Believe, Achieve'

### Last Thursday- World Book Day

We celebrated this special day by having the brilliant author Alice Hemmings to visit and work with classes throughout the day. The children were amazing in their workshops and some high quality writing was produced. The costumes were great as pupils dressed as their favourite book character and we would like to say a huge thanks to FOD's who held a book sale to raise money for the school.

### Parent Consultations

We look forward to our next round of Parents Evening this term. This will be the **week beginning 20th March for pupils who have been identified as having SEN Special Educational Needs** and Tues 28<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> March for all other parents to meet Classteachers to discuss progress and attainment. We are planning to have these all in school so you can look at some of their books. We will let you know next week how to book these.

### Sporting Fixtures

Good Luck to our Netball and Football team who have matches to play this week and to our Sportshall Athletics squad who will be representing our school in a range of events.

### Absence

If you are reporting absence please e-mail our attendance email before 9am to [attendance@dewhurst.herts.sch.uk](mailto:attendance@dewhurst.herts.sch.uk) this will go straight to Mrs Dove our attendance officer. If we have not heard from you we will make contact to rule out a safeguarding concern. Please also remember to cancel their chosen meal before 8am.

**Library –Every Monday** after school 3.20-3.40. The library door is the first door as you go round to the playground from the fitness equipment. Come along and borrow a book. Please remember to return any books you currently have on loan.

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Doors open 8.45am Registers taken at 8.55am

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**To prioritise pupil safety please remember NOT to drive or park down the lane between 8.30am-4.30pm .**

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Our School Value;



**1 John 1.9: But if we confess our sins to God, he can always be trusted to forgive us and take our sins away.**

**Mark 11.25: If you hold anything against anyone, forgive them, so that your Father in heaven may forgive you**