# Weekly Bulletin



15th March 2024

#### Martha's Miles

Martha the doll is travelling around all RISE schools and visiting EYFS classes. She has been at Belgrave this week and has had a fabulous time.

The children have loved showing her around the classroom and reading stories to her! They have been acting out the coronation in our new Kings and Queen's role play area and learning about how to write letters.

### Red Nose Day @ Belgrave -

It was so good to see the school embracing this year's theme 'red to toe'!! Well done and thank you to all that got involved. Due to the overwhelming response and effort from the children we have decided to give everyone extra playtime! There is still time to donate if you haven't already done so, see just giving page link below.

https://www.justgiving.com/page/belgrave-st-peters-c-of-e-primary-school-1709735221530?utm\_medium=fundraising&utm\_content=page%2Fbelgrave-st-peters-c-of-e-primary-school-1709735221530&utm\_source=copyLink&utm\_campaign=pfp-share



Do you have any spare wellies at home that your child has grown out of? We would love it if you could donate any unwanted pairs for our forest school.

#### **School Attendance**

The table shows attendance for week ending 15th March 2024

Class	Attendance %
Reception	91.48%
Year 1	89.66%
Year 2	95.2%
Year 3	95%
Year 4	95.6%
Year 5	92.08%
Year 6	87.5%
Total	92.22%

Congratulations go to Year 4 for the highest attendance of 95.6%

## **Upcoming Events**

Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> March – Nursery Royal Morning Tea 11.10am and Reception Royal Afternoon Tea 2.45pm – Parents welcome.

Thursday 21st March – Easter Service for parents with coffee 1.45pm

Thursday 21st March – Odd socks Day

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March – Yr 6 deliver community cards

## British Sign Language

On Wednesday 20th March the whole school will be taking part in a British sign language lesson. The lesson will give our children the opportunity to learn BSL from a deaf teacher, as well as wider benefits such as improved communication skills and confidence, new ways to express emotions and an appreciation of the diverse cultures in the UK.



#### Free School Meals

Parents claiming some benefits can claim free school meals for any of their children who are registered at Belgrave C of E Primary School. School meals are a good way to ensure that your child eats well at lunchtime and you can save yourself time and money.

Even if you don't want your children to have the meals, claiming them helps the school. The more eligible parents who claim meals, the more funding Belgrave School receives. This money allows us to provide additional support for pupils, resources and activities and also helps to subsidise trips and activities.

Your child may be eligible for Pupil Premium if you receive any of the following:

- Income Support
- income-based Jobseeker's Allowance
- income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- the guaranteed element of Pension Credit
- Child Tax Credit (provided you're not also entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual gross income of no more than £16,190)
- Working Tax Credit run-on paid for 4 weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit
- Universal Credit

If you would like more information or support with your application, please call into the school office or give us a call. Alternatively use the link below.

<u>Leicester City Council - Free School Meals Application</u>



Every month at Messy Church we have great activities, crafts, challenges and experiences for families. This month we are thinking about Easter; making hot cross buns, an Easter garden which grows cress and having Pizza as our meal. We also have the privilege of a national film crew coming to make a short film about our Messy Church