



Froebelian School
Juniors' Weekly Newsletter
Form II
15th March 2024

Next week's ethos theme will be:

We help others to achieve their goals.

Dear Parents and Carers,

The children put on a brilliant 'Roman' class assembly and we are so proud of how hard they worked and we really hope you all enjoyed it.

Form II also completed their drama exams and I have been told they all did a fantastic job.

Well done to those who baked some cupcakes or cookies, and thank you for your generous donations that will be split between Comic Relief and Water Aid.

In English, the children have nearly finished writing their stories, inspired by the 'BFG' and have begun to edit their work. I am seeing some excellent use of similes and personification in their writing and I am really pleased with how far they have all come since the start of the year.

In our Maths lessons we have finished our work on length and perimeter and begun the topic of fractions, with the focus this week being on understanding the whole and counting beyond one.

The homework schedule will be as follows:

Monday – Maths

Tuesday – Class Assembly

Wednesday – English

Thursday – French

Friday – Spellings and corrections.

I will give the children their new spellings on Monday so this can be completed at any time during the week. Please can your child complete their corrections over the weekend.

I hope the children are making good progress on their research task about the Romans. Just as a reminder, they will be putting together a PowerPoint on Romans and will present their work to the class. I will expect to have their PowerPoints by Monday 25th March. The weekend is an obvious opportunity to work on this. If you have any questions about the task or if there is something your child is struggling with please to not hesitate to contact me.

FI and FII Swimming Gala – Thursday 21st March 10.45am-12.00noon

There will be no tennis next week. The children should come dressed in their **school** swimming kit with their tracksuits over the top. Please ensure to pack underwear for after the gala. Each child should bring two towels; one of which will be used on the poolside and one for getting dry after swimming. Please note all children taking part in the swimming gala must wear a swimming cap.

Parents are welcome to attend the event and there is a spectator area. **Please note that mobile phones should not be in use at all during the event and no photography is permitted.** This is a stipulation of the swimming pool for safeguarding reasons. If you need to take a phone call or check messages, you should move away from the spectator area.

Spring Festival

Another reminder about the Spring Festival. Please make sure your child is practising the songs and backing tracks for the Spring Festival House singing from Seesaw.

Spring Festival – Singing Competition

There have been several entries for the Spring Festival solo and duet singing competition. Therefore, preliminary heats will take place during singing and music lessons next week and finalists will be announced when all heats have taken place. Please could children who have entered prepare their solo or duet for next week.

As always, if you have anything you would like to chat about please email me at m.mullis@froebelian.co.uk.

We hope you have a brilliant weekend.

Mr Mullis and Mrs Jackson

Calendar Dates –

March	
Tue 19	U9 Football Festival at Woodhouse Grove 1.30 – 3.15pm
Wed 20	Form II Residential Meeting (Form II Classroom) 8.00am
Thurs 21	FI & FII Swimming Gala 10.45am – 12.00noon (Aireborough)
Fri 22	Open Doors Morning 9.30 - 11.00am Spring Festival - Drama 1.30pm
Sat 23	FPTA Parent Social - Ball