

# **Spring Newsletter**

### Dear Parents,

The staff and I wish you all a very Happy Easter and many blessings for the season. Thank you for all your support this term with your child's home learning, attending morning tuition in Year 6 and payments for school trips. Your contributions are greatly appreciated.

#### **PTFA**

We are thrilled that our PTFA is back up and running and already the money raised at their events are subsidising school trips. Thank you to everyone who has helped to make these events a success.

## **Staffing**

Please keep Mrs Murphy and Mrs Dean in your prayers this holiday as both have been absent from school due to illness. We look forward to their return after the Easter holiday.

### **Holidays**

Whilst we are aware that holidays are more affordable during the school term, please do not book any holidays during the months of May or June as during these two months teachers are assessing your child or in Years 1,2, and 6 they take part in statutory assessments and screening. Absences during this time can disadvantage your child and will have an impact on their attainment and progress.

### **Exciting News**

Year 4 pupils are excited to be leading a new initiative inspired by both Sports Relief and their persuasive writing project. The pupils have declared that every Friday next half term will be a 'Fit Friday' where children in every class will attend school in their PE uniform. During the day there will be an emphasis on health and fitness, including a whole school 'wake and Shake'. Children will take their PE bags home each Thursday and return them to school the following Monday morning. Look out for a letter from Year 4 after the holiday.

Kind regards,

Clare Tickel

Headteacher