



Dates for the diary

- 31<sup>st</sup> March - Children break up for Easter (all children return to school on 19<sup>th</sup> April)
- 31<sup>st</sup> March - Parent/Carer consultation day 3.45-6.15pm.
- 1<sup>st</sup> April - Teacher training day & Parent/Carer consultation day

**IMPORTANT REMINDER - ARRIVAL TIMES**

Year 5 & 6 children should arrive at school between 8.40 and 8.50am. Year 3 & 4 children should arrive between 8.50 and 9am. If your child is in Year 3 & 4, please DO NOT arrive any earlier than 8.50am. Staggered timings have been put into place to keep children, parents/carers and staff safe. If you do arrive a minute or two earlier, we ask that Year 3 & 4 wait on the opposite side of the road to allow Year 5 & 6 to come through safely without any congestion. Thank you

**Red Nose Day - 19<sup>th</sup> March**



The children had a fantastic day dressing up in their favourite superhero costumes for Red Nose Day. Here is Ian from 6B in his costume.

**Achievement & Values of the week**

Class	Achievement of the week	Value of the week
3D	Lottie B	Kymari K
3E	Trey M	Saira Q
4K	Alana P-W	Warren H
4S	Hawa D	Lola K
5W	Jayden B	Olivia H
5F	Ryan A	Ethan G
6R	Isabel B	Safrana R
6B	Elizabeth G	Ruby Y

**Safeguarding reminder: Remember to report any safeguarding concerns to the Birmingham CASS Team 0121 303 1888.**

**The Reaside Way:**

Communication - Pride - Respect - Safety

**IMPORTANT NOTICE TO ALL PARENT/CARERS**

**Parent/Carer consultation day:**

You can now book an appointment slot with your child's teacher on School Cloud. The slots are available to be booked for Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> March 3.45-6.15pm and Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> April during the daytime. Please read the letter that was sent out recently on Dojo and emailed out to all parents/carers regarding this.

**Arrival/Leaving times:**

Year Group	Arrival time	Leaving time
5 & 6	8.40-8.50am	3.10-3.20pm <b>except Friday 2.10-2.20pm</b>
3 & 4	8.50-9.00am	3.20-3.30pm <b>except Friday 2.20-2.30pm</b>

**Dinner/Tuck money payments:**

A member of the office will be on the school gate every Monday morning only, to take payments for dinner and tuck. All tuck money must be paid up front.

	Cost per child	Length of time
Dinner Money	£11.75	Per week, per child
Tuck Money	60p from 29.03.21	Until the end of term
Tuck Money	£6 from 19.04.21	Until end of Summer 1 term

**Laptop returns:**

If you have not yet returned the laptop, please contact the office to arrange a suitable date/time. We will also be contacting parents/carers whose laptops have not yet been returned.

**P.E Days:**

CLASS	DAY
Year 3	Monday
Year 4	Thursday
Year 5	Tuesday
Year 6	Friday

On your child's P.E day they **do not** need to wear school their uniform. Children must attend school wearing their P.E clothes suitable to the weather. I.e. tracksuit/leggings for winter.

**Year 4 Forest School - Every Tuesday:**

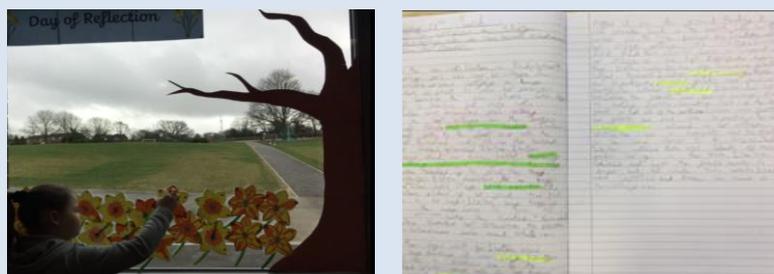
Forest school is every Tuesday for Year 4 children. Children must attend school in comfortable, old clothing and a sensible coat/footwear weather permitting. Children **do not** need to bring in their uniform.



We marked the anniversary of the first lockdown with the National Day of Reflection on 23<sup>rd</sup> March. 5W created a daffodil display, they have also been looking at using different media for lotus flower images. They are looking forward to completing their final display next week.



In 3E, they focussed on the symbol of hope throughout lockdown - the rainbow! They enjoyed making a colourful daffodil display on the window! They will continue to add their thoughts and feelings onto the clouds over the next few days.



This week in 4S they have been story writing and working together to create their class reflection display. Please see our beautiful tribute displays posted on Dojo - Thank you.

## Children's attendance

Reaside Academy is working in partnership with parents and Birmingham City Council to encourage children back into school following several very difficult months for parents, children and schools. We would like to thank parents for the work you have done in ensuring your children have received education during this period.

Missing out on more time in the classroom risks pupils falling further behind. Those with higher overall absence tend to achieve less well in both primary and secondary school. **Therefore, the government has advised that school attendance is again compulsory from the 8<sup>th</sup> March 2021.** This means that (unless parents are formally notified of new lockdown arrangements where schools are closed or a child is required to self-isolate), the usual rules on school attendance apply, including:

- parents' duty to send their child/children to school regularly where they are of compulsory school age;
- schools' responsibilities to record attendance and follow up absence
- the option for local authorities to again consider the use of legal sanctions, including penalty notices and prosecution in court.

**If your child is absent from school, you are responsible for reporting your child's absence to the school office on 0121 675 7235. If you do not report your child's absence this could result in their absence being unauthorised which could potentially result in penalty notices and prosecution in court.**

For further information regarding what's going on at Reaside Academy, please visit our Website - [www.reasideacademy.co.uk](http://www.reasideacademy.co.uk) Follow us on twitter

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