



VPJS Weekly News

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*Learning and Achieving
Together*

23rd February 2024

The children have all come back to school with a positive attitude despite the wet weather. In my last 'Weekly News' I forgot to give a mention to all of the children in 4MG. They finished their swimming lessons at the end of last half-term. All of their swimming teachers were impressed with their behaviour, attitude and progress. They all did VPJS very proud. Take care and have a lovely weekend. *Mr. Wilkinson*

Communication

Please remember that if you have any questions/queries or need to talk to a member of staff (including class teachers), please telephone the school office (912-5005).

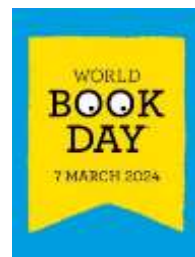
The school office is open between 7:45am to 4:00pm every day.

Beat the Street - Wednesday 28th February - Wednesday 27th March

On Wednesday, the children were really excited to learn about Beat the Street. You will have received a game pack including a map and pack containing a card for your child and a card for a parent/carer. Both cards need to be registered at [Trafford | Beat the Street](#)

Everyone can earn points for our school to see if we can be top of the leaderboard! You can walk, run, cycle, scoot, skip or roll between Beat Boxes on the journey to and from school and take trips round the area at weekends.

World Book Day - Thursday 7th March



The theme for our World Book Day this year is 'The VPJS Reading Collection'.

We are inviting children to come as a character from one of the 16 books that they will read as part of their VPJS book journey.

Please ask in school if you need support with costumes. A plain t-shirt could be decorated, character masks can be made using card and string or props could be used instead of a full costume if preferred.

There are some character ideas: [world-book-day-2024-character-ideas.pdf \(primarysite-prod-sorted.s3.amazonaws.com\)](https://www.primarysite-prod-sorted.s3.amazonaws.com/world-book-day-2024-character-ideas.pdf)

Parents/Carers Meetings

A reminder that our next parents/carers meetings are going to be held on **Tuesday 19th March** (end of the school day until 6:30pm) and **Wednesday 20th March** (end of school day until 4:30pm).

There will be a letter with further details sent out on Monday.

Book Fair

The book fair will be open in school from Monday 11th March until Friday 15th March (morning only). The morning sessions are for children only, between 8:30am - 8:45am.

Parents/carers are invited to the book fair after school until 3:45pm. You will be able to pay with cash or card.

Parents/carers are to enter through the main office doors.

**Our Values: Respect, Equality, Aspiration,
Responsibility, Love, Courage**