## The Doxey Digest



Friday 8th March 2024



On Thursday we had a fantastic time celebrating World Book Day. We started the day by showing off the costumes worn by children and staff across school in a playground parade. Harry Potter, Alice in Wonderland, Spiderman and many more were all spotted here at Doxey Primary!

Back in their classrooms, children completed a range of activities linked to a love of books and reading. This included everyone producing some incredible art work, which will soon be displayed in our new library. Each year group discovered a very exciting gift wrapped and waiting for them in the library. A bundle of brand new books to fill their reading corners with stories to explore.

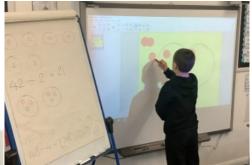


## **The Dining Room**

This week we have been focusing on how we should be behaving in the dining room. You could support your children at home by helping them use a knife and fork when eating. Ask them about the rules of our 'fancy restaurant'.

you for the parade!

Year 4 have been doing lots of work on division. Mrs Williams modelled how to divide using the grouping method first then the children used counters to do the same. They used their place value knowledge to share tens and ones into equal groups. Once they were secure in this, they then learnt how to divide with remainders.



In Year 1 every day is a good day to read a book. Ivy brought a book in from home this week that the



children
thoroughly
enjoyed 'The
dinosaur that
pooped a
princess'.
They laughed
and laughed
together and
gave it a ten
out of ten.

**Message from the Head** Thank you to all families for making such an amazing effort supporting your children and the school on World Book Day. The costumes looked fantastic and it was lovely to see so many of

## **Notices**

Please be considerate when parking near the school. We have had a number of complaints from residents this week. I suggest parking a little bit further away and walking rather than parking on Marsland Close. It is becoming dangerous for children walking into school.

## **Dates**

14/3/24	Rec and Y6 Height and Weight Check
19/3/24 - 20/3/24	Parent's Evening
25/3/24- 5/4/24	Easter Holidays
10/4/23	Easter Bingo
22/4/24	Stafford Gotta Dance
6/5/24	Bank Holiday
13/5/24— 16/5/24	Y6—SATs
27/5/24— 31/5/24	Half Term
4/6/24— 10/6/24	Book Fair
21/6/24	Inset Day
19/7/24	Last day of term

**Attendance:** Class percentages:

Y1M: 94% Y1C: 88%

Y2: 91% Y3: 92%

Y4: 92% Y5: 89%

Y6: 93%