

## 21.3.25 WEEKLY NEWS!

Dear Parents / Carers,

It has been another busy week at Snape Wood! We started the week discussing **neurodiversity** and how we consider how others might process information differently. Four children went out on Wednesday to be involved in **Primary Parliament** with Miss Hayes and our children in EYFS have been very excited to welcome some hatching chicks into their setting! Thank you to parents attending the first of our two parent evenings. It was great to welcome you into school and many of you commented how useful the time was looking at your child's books and discussing your child's progress with their class teacher. Thank you to those parents who gave us **feedback** to our parent questionnaire. Responses can be accessed via the [school website here](#).



Children in EYFS enjoying watching chicks hatch and playing in the outdoors!



Children at lunchtimes having fun this week with Miss Allen as the pied piper and Miss Johnson on cricket!

Thank you to our Catering team sharing with parents the quality of food served at school during our Parents Evening!

Mrs Bridges

(Interim Executive Headteacher)



# Key Dates for Parents

**Thursday 27th March**—Y3&4 to see “The Wild Robot” at Broadway Cinema

**Tuesday 1st April**—Easter Service at St Johns Church (1:45pm) More information will follow on timings for parents who want to attend this.

**Wednesday 2nd April**—Spring Disco (3:30—4:30)

**Friday 4th April**—Break up from school



**Tuesday 22nd April**—Children return to school for Summer Term

**Tuesday 22nd April**—Swimming begins for Y4 and Y5 (letter to parents will follow)

**Monday 28th April**— Conkers Trip for Y3 and Y4 children

**Wednesday 30th April**—Y6 Parents SATS Meeting @ 3:15pm in Y6 classroom

**WB Monday 12th May**—KS2 SATS Week

**Wednesday 21st May**—Wollaton Park Trip for Y1 / 2

**Thursday 5th June**—Y6 Trip to Holocaust Centre



[2024-25 DATES—Follow this link](#)

## Attendance to school!

We have been working hard on improving our whole school attendance this term! Children with **94%+** attendance in the Spring term will receive a certificate in next weeks assembly. We want all children to feel **safe and happy** in school and make good progress in their learning and have been working with parents to support our pupils attend school.

Now:	National:	TARGET at Snape Wood for end of the year:
Our whole school attendance currently is <b>91.1%</b> (up 0.8% since Jan 2025!)	National attendance average = <b>94.6%</b>	<b>94%</b>
Currently <b>27%</b> pupils are persistent absentees (down 6% since Jan 2025!)	National pupils who are persistent absentees = <b>15.5%</b>	<b>18%</b>

\*persistent absentee = below 90% school attendance (x19 days absent from the school year)

***Thank you everyone for supporting our attendance policy!***



### Primary Parliament:

Thank you to Miss Hayes who took four children from Y5 to join in Primary Parliament this year which was based on how we can create a safe, positive neighbourhood in our local areas. We were very proud of these children who enjoyed a day out at the Council House!