

Imperial Avenue

Infant School

Working Together to Achieve Success

Newsletter— February 2025

Where Is Spring 1 going? It will soon be half term!

The children have continued to do some fantastic learning and teachers have been speaking with the children about their learning and looking at books and projects to see what has been learnt since the start of term. It is lovely to hear from the children about what they remember and what they enjoy.

February always brings a half term break and we hope that you will enjoy spending time with family and catching up with friends.

Parents evening—whole school

Parents' evening is taking place on Wednesday 5th February.

Appointment times are uploaded to the cloud for your to book on to—this is done through the Weduc app.

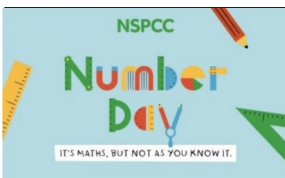
On the Weduc menu you will see 'The Hub' and from here you click on the Parents' Evening tab.

We look forward to seeing you and sharing your child's learning and their targets for you to support your child at home.

Nursery Places—September 2025

Just a reminder that we have some spaces in our Nursery admissions for the new academic year but they are being taken up very quickly. If you, or anyone you know, has a child who has turned three by the 31st August 2025 and would like a place at our Nursery please visit the school for a registration form.

We have both 15 and 30 hours places available. Thank you.



Numbers day Dress to Express

To celebrate Children's Mental health Week (Week beginning Monday 3rd Feb) we are going to hold a "dress to express and add a digit to your clothing" day in school on **Friday 7th February**.

This day is an opportunity where pupils can wear something bright, colourful or expressive for the day or they can wear something that makes them happy or shows their style.

Just add a Digit for NSPCC numbers day—this could through a badge or a sticker any number, maybe even your favourite number. £1 donation if you can.



World Book Day Thursday 6th March 2025

This was so much fun last year and we had so many great creations we have decided to do this again!!! We are asking that as a family you create a paper plate character from a story book. Below are some examples.

Please bring the artwork along with your child's favourite book on the day.



After School Clubs—Spring Term 2

Keep your eyes out on Weduc for the next set of after school clubs. The closing date for registering your interest is Wednesday 5th February at 12noon.

If you apply for a place and do not hear from us, then on this occasion your child has not got a place.

The Spring Term 2 after school clubs are as follows:

Monday — Balance Bikes Club for Reception Year and, Gym Apparatus Club for Year 1 and also Martial Arts Club for Year 2

Tuesday — Dance Club for Year 2

Wednesday—Bangra/Bollywood Club OR Art Club both for Year 1

Family Learning courses

Mrs Gatward would like to say a BIG thank you to all the parents that attended the curriculum meetings at the beginning of the term, the family learning and the staff led meetings for parents.

It is lovely to see more parents coming into school for information sessions and family learning.

Please remember if you have any queries about events or general questions you would like to ask she is always happy to help and can be messaged on Weduc.

Please keep your eyes out on Weduc for any upcoming courses.

Mothers Day
My School Printing

The Mothers Day Order form will be coming home in the next week or so.

We are on a tight turn around deadline with these so if you do not want to miss out please return your completed form and money (cash only) to the school office by the deadline date of Monday 3rd March 2025.

Mothers Day Raffle

We currently have a raffle for Mothers Day with a chance to win a pamper hamper which has been kindly donated by staff. Tickets are on sale now for £1.00 per ticket and can be purchased from the school office.

The Raffle closes on the Thursday 27th March 2025.

Battery Recycling

Please support us in recycling batteries. Hand them in to either the school office or your child's class teacher who will put them in our recycling bin. Get collecting from your family and friends too, the school can get some money and we are helping the environment.

Important dates

Wednesday 5th February—Parents Evening

Friday 7th February —Dress to Express and NSPCC Digits Day dress up £1 donation to NSPCC where possible

Monday 10th February —National Pizza Day special menu

Tuesday 11th February is Safer Internet Day children will be doing many activities in school so please ask about this

Friday 14th February —Non uniform day food donation for the food bank

Friday 14th February—Valentines Day special menu

Half term is Monday 17th February to Friday 21st February

Tuesday 25th February—DSP and SEND unit Parent Meeting in the school hall 8.45am

Wednesday 26th February—Year 2 Parent Meeting in the school hall 8.45am

Thursday 27th February—Year 1 Parent Meeting in the school hall 8.45am -

Friday 28th February —Reception Parent Meeting in the school hall 8.45am followed by stay and play session

Tuesday 4th March—Pancake Day special menu

Thursday 6th March—World Book Day special menu