



Messages from the Head of School.

Welcome back!

Easter activities and winners.

Firstly, can I say a big thank you to all our pupils and parents who have supported us once again by donating Easter eggs for local hospitals. This year we have collected 105 eggs on behalf of Tipton Christian Church!

Congratulations to O Langford who guessed the famous pairing names of our Easter bunnies, she has won an Easter egg worth £10.00 kindly donated by Asda! We would also like to congratulate the decorate an egg competition winners (see below for names of winners).

Twitter

I hope that all parents have had a chance to visit our new Twitter site @JPAcademyTipton. We will use this site to keep you updated on upcoming events. Please follow us!

Please can I remind pupils and parents about our uniform and presentation expectations. All pupils must be in full uniform, wearing black shoes (no boots or sandals). Further information has been attached to this newsletter.

We are also celebrating the Royal Wedding on Friday 18th May—children can attend in their formal wear.



Mrs. Kumar

Data Collection/SS12 Forms



Reminder ~ we are still chasing the return of these forms since September! The forms are very important, if we do not hold an up-to-date contact number, we will be unable to call/text you if there is a problem or your child is ill.

We would also like to congratulate Miss Oliver on her Easter Wedding, she is now Mrs Haney.



Head's Award

We would like to congratulate the following children who received the Head's award last term.

Nursery ~ I Higgins & D Patience

Reception ~ L Taylor

Year 1 ~ E M Nightingale

Year 2 ~ C Bunce

Year 3 ~ O Bunce

Year 4 ~ L Hughes

Year 5 ~ M Wiafe Mensah

Year 6 ~ S Smith



Well done to everyone!

Easter Winners!

Decorate an egg winners are:

Nursery ~ M Sanders & K Henry

Reception ~ R Bartley

Year 1 ~ J Halford

Year 2 ~ L Sanders

Year 3 ~ J Shervington

Year 4 ~ E Holds

Year 5 ~ L Hughes

Year 6 ~ L Kennedy Jones



Fizz Pop Crazy Scientist Winners!

Nursery ~ K Henry

Reception ~ C Downing

Year 1 ~ S Murphy

Year 2 ~ E Murphy

Year 3 ~ S Sewell

Year 4 ~ H Langford

Year 5 ~ J Wilkinson

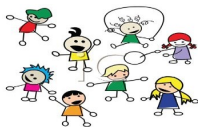
Year 6 ~ C Powell



Well done to everyone!

Nursery Places

If you know anyone who may be interested in a Nursery or Reception place for September, please contact Miss K Keeling or the school office for a Nursery/Reception admission form.



Main Reception ~ Office

Please be aware that the office will now open from 8.00am in the morning, it will still be closed every Monday between 1.30pm – 2.15pm due to an administration meeting.

ParentMail

We are currently in the process of setting up Parentmail, this is a facility where you will be able to pay for trips, dinners and clubs etc via an app on your phone.

This is an exciting time and we will be launching this in June. If we do have any queries setting up your account, we will contact you individually over the next few weeks.

Attendance

Nursery AM ~ 89.20%

Nursery PM ~ 82.04%

Reception ~ 92.22%

Year 1 ~ 95.13%

Year 2 ~ 94.11%

Year 3 ~ 96.06%

Year 4 ~ 94.76%

Year 5 ~ 96.04%

Year 6 ~ 95.54%

Well done to Year 3 who are leading the way!

Dates for the diary!

Year 4 ~ Black Country Museum Trip
Thursday 10th May.

Year 2 ~ SATs during May, workshop
Thursday 24th April at 3.40pm.

Year 6 ~ SATs week commencing Monday
14th May.

All pupils Break up for 2 weeks ~ Friday
18th May.

Monday 4th June ~ Return to School.

Friday 20th July ~ Break up for the
summer holidays.

Platinum Award

We had over 190 pupils achieved the platinum award last term! They were treated to a workshop with the Lion Learners!

Academic Year 2017–2018

| School Opens | School Closes | Holidays | Inset Days/Bank Holidays |
|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|---|--|
| Monday 26 th February | Thursday 29 th March | Friday 30 th March to Friday 13 th April | |
| Monday 16 th April | Friday 18 th May | Monday 21 st May to Friday 1 st June | Monday 7 th May—Bank Holiday Monday 21 st to Friday 25 th May (**Inset Days—please use these days if you are planning to book any Holidays**). |
| Monday 4 th June | Friday 20 th July | Monday 23 rd July onwards | |