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Website

The address of our website is: www.academy.thomas-s.co.uk and includes a calendar and blog. It is frequently being updated so keep an eye on it for up to date information.

Twitter

You can now follow us on Twitter. Look up '@ThomassAcademy' to receive regular updates about what is going on.

Art Week

Thanks to Miss Brown for organising this enrichment week. Pupils enjoyed trying out new art techniques. The art work displayed was impressive.

TAPs

We are looking forward to our first TAPs event of the year: Spooky Friday. Pupils may come to school dressed up. Please donate £1.00 to participate in all the fun things organised.

NSPCC

Through child-friendly, interactive assemblies and workshops, NSPCC staff will give our children information about how to keep themselves safe from harm and how to get help if they have any worries, sensitively dealing with issues around bullying and abuse. Please refer to the

letter sent out to get more information.

Governors Meeting

All parents are welcome to speak with our school governors on 10th November at 9am. Refreshments will be served.

Maths Whizz

You can use Maths Whizz on your tablets at home. Simply download the Puffin Academy App (free to download) and you will then find the Maths Whizz logo. Login and play as usual! Remember, the highest usage in the school gets rewarded with a sticker, a medal for the week and your photo on our Maths Whizz award board in the upper hall!

Uniform

Please ensure that pupils have all the school uniform items including the school coat. Pupils in years 4 – 6 also need a Thomas's Academy school bag. Please also label all items so they can be returned to their owner if lost.

Lunches

If you wish your child to change to or from school dinners, please let the office know in advance. We request that this is only done at the end of a half-term. Packed lunches should be healthy; a small treat is permitted on Fridays.

Donations Requested

If you have dressing up and role play outfits, lego and picture books that are not being used at home anymore the Early Years children would really appreciate any donations. Please bring to the school office or a member of the Early Years team. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

Updated information

Please remember to let the office know if you change any details such as your phone number. We are increasingly using e-mail as a form of communication so please let the office know your email address if you haven't already.

November Dates

4th, 5th: Y5 to Thomas's Fulham
10th: Governors Meeting
15th: NSPCC visit
16th: Young Singers visit to care home
17th: Children in Need
21st: Nasal flu vaccines
21st: Photographer in
23rd: Y1 class assembly
24th: INSET day
28th: Mayan Workshop for Y5/6
30th: Y4 class assembly

December Dates

11th: Book Fair week
14th: Y6 class assembly
15th: KS1 Christmas Performance
18th: Enrichment Week
18th: Individual Assessment Summaries sent home
20th: 2pm finish for Autumn term



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Pupils return on 3rd January.