



★ Robert Miles Junior School Newsletter – 28th April 2023 ★

Dear Parents,

Uniform One of the areas that I would like to tighten up on is school uniform. Coming new into the school, I have noticed a significant variety in uniform and have therefore had a look back to the policy and the expectations set out in the handbook for parents. Parents are reminded that children must attend each day with the following uniform:

- Dark/grey trousers (formal), grey skirt, pinafore dress or dark/grey shorts. **Children should not be wearing tracksuit bottoms or jeans**
- Gold polo shirt or blouse
- Grey school sweatshirt or cardigan
- Sensible shoes. A pair of indoor shoes should also be worn – this can be simple slippers **but should not be large ‘cuddly toy’ type slippers or sliders.**
- For PE, children should wear shorts, a t-shirt, plimsols/trainers. A gold Robert Miles t-shirt is preferred for PE. **Children should not be wearing branded football tops.**
- Children should not wear jewellery of any description when in school. Exceptions to this are watches and studs for children who have pierced ears. Children should not wear nail varnish.

I have asked staff to speak to their classes and we will be putting up a display at school showing the correct uniform so it is clear for all.

Survey As I mentioned in my letter at the start of term, I am keen to hear what parents think about the school, where they feel things are working well and areas they feel may need developing. This week I have sent out a short survey asking questions which is very easy and quick to complete – I would be grateful for as many responses as possible. The survey is open until the end of next week. I plan to do a survey approximately every six months or so and will share these outcomes with parents.

This Monday is the first of three May bank holidays – school will therefore be closed and we will welcome children back on Tuesday at the usual time.

Have a great weekend.

Best Wishes

James Evelyn
Headteacher, Robert Miles Junior School

Dates for the Diary

1 st & 8 th May	Bank Holidays
5 th May	Y5 Cycle Training
9 th – 12 th May	KS2 SATs Week
18 th May	Y6 Trip to Yorkshire Wildlife Park
25 th May	Class Photos
w/c 29 th May	Half Term
16 th & 19 th June	Y6 Cycle Training
20 th June	Y3 Roman Day
21 st June	Sports Day (23 rd June – Reserve Day)
22 nd June	Y4 Viking Day
29 th June	Y6 Mayan Day
10 th July	Y6 French Breakfast
10 th July	School Disco
12 th July	Open Evening
14 th July	Barbeque
19 th July	Y6 Leavers Assembly
21 st July	Last Day of Term

Attendance

Excellent attendance is vital to success at school. We track attendance closely and celebrate excellent attendance. Our target is for each child to have an attendance figure of at least 95%.

Class attendance figures for this week:

3B	99.3%
3J	93.8%
4CM	95.9%
4G	95.0%
5AR	98.3%
5M	93.4%
6L	95.2%
6M	96.4%
All	95.9%



Congratulations to Class 3B for having the top attendance this week.

Curriculum Newsletters

Curriculum Maps for this term are now on the website under curriculum / termly year group information.

Honours Assembly

Congratulations to these children whose success was celebrated at Honours Assembly this week:

3J	Archie Hickinbottom & Alex Green
3B	Joshua Dickinson & Micah Sheung
4G	Seb Brihmani & Thea Moore
4CM	Jerry Lamb & Ella Potter
5M	Chloe Ruggles & Megan Terrington
5AR	Evie Blackband & Freya Wroblewski
6M	Amelia Binney & Evie Hall
6L	Owen Cable & Tyler Humphreys

Excellent work under the Spotlight



This week in the spotlight are our wonderful children from Class 4CM. They have been looking at the artwork of Joseph Cornell who made art boxes using objects he had collected in his local area. The children made their own shadow boxes capturing the rainforest. Enjoy the photos!



Menu w/c 1st May

Monday

- Bank Holiday

Tuesday

- Vegetable mac and cheese with garlic bread.
- Jacket potato with choice of fillings.
- Mixed berry mousse.

Wednesday

- Jacket potato with choice of fillings and salad.
- Strawberry ice cream tub.

Thursday

- Burger in a bun with jacket wedges.
- Jelly

Friday

- Fish, chips and vegetables.
- Cookie

Weekly Post (w/c 1st May)

Monday 1st May

- Bank Holiday

Tuesday 2nd May

- School reopens at 8.45am

Wednesday 3rd May

- 9.15am: Honours Assembly

Thursday 4th May

- Year 3 swimming. Please ensure you remember your swimming kit and any inhalers required.
- Football Cup Finals at St Peters Junior School, Ruddington, NG11 6GB – parents are very welcome to come along and support!

Friday 5th May

- Year 5 Bikeability. Children involved have been informed.