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17th - 23rd	Sports Relief - Wristbands £1 each on Sale in the School Office
Thursday 22nd	Swallow Class Assembly for Parents - 2.30 pm
Thursday 22nd	Reports to Parents
Thursday 22nd	Easter Bonnet Parade - 9.30 am Market Cross
Friday 23rd	Swallow Class Cake Sale - 3.15 pm School Hall
Friday 23rd	Break up for Easter 3.15 pm
APRIL	
Monday 9th	Return to School
Wednesday 18th	Last Starling Sports Club
Thursday 19th	School & Nursery Class Photographs
Tuesday 24th	After School Clubs Start
Wednesday 25th	After School Sports Club Starts for Robin Class Only
MAY	
Thursday 3rd	Starling Class Assembly for parents - 2.30 pm
Monday 7th	BANK HOLIDAY - SCHOOL & NURSERY CLOSED
Wednesday 23rd	Last Robin Sports Club
Thursday 24th	Robin Cake Sale
Friday 25th	Break up For Half Term

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**NEWSLETTER
MARCH 2018**

We hope that you all have a great Easter break and we look forward to seeing you all, Monday 9th April



WANTED VOLUNTEERS FOR OUR GARDEN

Do you or someone you know have some spare time to help in our garden? If you or someone else you know can help please contact the office.



HOOP / DANGLY EARRINGS

Children are only allowed to wear one set of stud earrings in school for Health & Safety Reasons. If they come to school wearing hoop or dangly earrings they will not be allowed to do PE until the earrings are removed.



Nursery

We are thinking about Spring and the changes that are happening all around us.



Please talk to your children about the plants that are starting to grow, that you might see on your way to and from Nursery.



Ofsted Visit Update

You will by now be aware that the school was recently inspected by Ofsted. We are all very proud that following a very rigorous two day inspection the school has retained its 'Good' grade. The report was positive and the inspectors noted that ours is a school "where pupils can thrive and learn". The report also states "Pupils enjoy coming to school. They feel safe and well cared for."

If you have not yet read the report you can find a copy on the school website, or if you prefer a paper copy these are available from the school office.

Honora Thompson

Headteacher



FREE COME AND PLAY SESSIONS

In the School Hall

**Every Tuesday (term time)
from 10am - 11am**

Toddle-tastic fun for children two years and older.

We will have soft play, messy play, music and more.

Please contact Misha in the Nursery for more information on 01749 342322



Little visitors

We have had several cases of head lice in different classes in the last week. Over half term please could you all have a check in your children's hair.



Road Safety

Always cross in front of the patrol, never cross behind them where they cannot see you. Do not cross the road unless you are signalled to do so by the school crossing patrol.



Holiday Club

26th March - 6th April

For more information on what's on and availability.

Please contact the Nursery Office.

To Skylar, Teegan, Dominya, Alisa, Artur, Dexter, Jack, Antony-Lee, Ella, Laura, Ellie-Mae, Krystal and Alice

Who all have birthdays in MARCH



From Everyone at Shepton Mallet Infants' School & Nursery



Easter Bonnet Parade
Market Cross
Thursday 22nd March at 9.30 am

Well Done

Woodpecker Class for achieving 99.1% attendance for February 2018



Swallow Class Cake Sale

Friday 23rd March - 3.15pm
Please bring all cake donations to the office and we look forward to seeing you there.



CHECK THE BACK PAGE FOR DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Update your Contact Details Reminder



Please can you inform the office of any changes to your contact details. This ensures that if we need to contact you either in an emergency or just to update you with information we can. Any questions please pop into the office. Thank you



Sport Relief

For Sale
Sport Relief Wristbands in the School Office **£1.00**.
Limited Stock Available!!!



Out of Bounds



Please can we remind parents and children that the borders/banks and grass into the school are out of bounds before and after school.

We do have daffodils and various bulbs trying to grow, so please show respect.



Safeguarding Statement We recognise our moral and statutory responsibility to safeguard and promote the welfare of all pupils. We endeavour to provide a safe and welcoming environment where children are respected and valued. We are alert to the signs of abuse and neglect and follow our procedures to ensure that children receive effective support, protection and justice. The Designated Safeguarding Lead (DSL) is the Headteacher, Mrs Thompson. For a copy of the School's Child Protection and Safeguarding Policy please click on the policies link at the bottom of the page. The procedures contained in this policy apply to all staff and governors and are consistent with those of the Somerset Safeguarding Children Board (SSCB).

Report a concern
If you are worried about a vulnerable child and would like help, please don't stay silent.