



We all enjoyed a great World Book Day – lots of fantastic costumes and comfy sleep wear to snuggle up and read a good book in. School Council organised a great book swap and Mrs Champion organised book vouchers for all. A really fun day. We loved these characters from Alice – Well done Year 4!

Laurie in Y3 has raised an amazing amount of money for 'Shelter' by spending 24 hours in a cardboard box! His enthusiasm was boosted by having a couple of friends come round to play with him while he was in the box. Even his dog spent time in the box with him! What a fantastic challenge Laurie set himself and how caring to think about what he could do for others – Laurie we are very proud of you!



Reverend Andy from the Methodist Church came into school to introduce our March value respect. He was blown away by the children's knowledge of how they could show respect to each other, nature, their parents and themselves. It was a great way to start thinking about how we can show respect at school, at home and in our community. We have some leaflets with ideas about the value of respect in our entrance hall, please pick one up if you would like to find out how we are teaching this in school.



Children are awarded House Points for effort, achievement and kindness to others. This week's points totals are

**Welton = 335**  
**Morrison = 374**  
**Wilfrid = 490**  
**Ireland = 439**

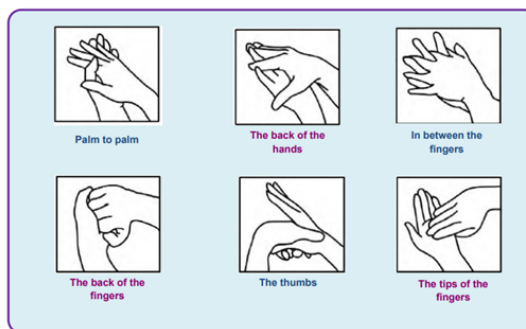


At KPS we believe that good manners are essential and the teaching of these is at the centre of our curriculum. This week **4W, 1W** and **FSC** have been recognised as having the best manners in school.

## Coronavirus update

We have been following the daily updates from the government about the Coronavirus. We keep our website up to date if you want any further information. We have been teaching children that washing hands is vital and how carefully this needs to be done. Miss Wright is introducing a handwashing song and we are using this learning poster.

### The 6 Steps of Hand Washing



We also encourage good table manners and eating. This week's dining superstars are:

**YEAR 5**



Every day your child spends in school really matters. This week's attendance superstars are:

**1H, 1RT & 2M with 99.63%**

## Weekly Reminders

- ⇒ Please can we remind parents and carers about parking considerately on Hillcrest Avenue.
- ⇒ If you haven't already downloaded the Parentmail App, please visit



## Foundation learning this week

This half term EYFS are learning all about Pets. The children have enjoyed bringing in photos of their own pets to share with the class. This week we have had a visit from Mrs Swales's rabbit Spike and Mila's tortoise Tiddles. The children have enjoyed learning about how to look after different pets and writing their own fact files. We are very excited about our visit from Pets at Home later on in the term.



Happy Birthday!

Year 6  
**Jacob**  
 Year 5  
**Gabrielle, Joe & Theo**  
 Year 4  
**Ellis**  
 Year 3  
**Elsie**  
 Year 2  
**Archie**  
 Year 1  
**Eli**



Many year groups last week started new topics and as a result there was some great evidence of the new learning that has been taking place shared in our KS2 Celebration Assembly. Year 6's new topic is called 'Revolution' in which they are learning all about the changes that took place in Victorian society. This week they have learnt about William Wilberforce and the determination that he showed in fighting to abolish slavery across the British Empire. They shared that sadly, he died only one month before he could see his dreams come to fruition in 1833. In Year 5, as part of their 'Space' topic, the children are composing musical scores. This week they explored the timbre of different instruments by listening to 'Peter and the Wolf' and investigating why certain instruments were used to represent certain animals. They also explored texture in different pieces of music exploring how many different rhythms and instruments are layered to create a piece of music. We are looking forward to seeing what fantastic learning will be shared next time!



### Dates for your diary

**KPA Meeting**  
**Thursday 19th March**  
**8pm @ The Swan**  
**All welcome**  
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**Pre-loved Uniform Sale**  
**Friday 27th March**  
**School Hall**  
**3-3.45pm**

### Diary Dates

**11.03.2020** - 1W Ernest Cook visit  
**18.03.2020** - 3B Ernest Cook visit  
**23.03.2020** - Year 2 Hearing Tests  
**24.03.2020** - Year 2 Hearing Tests  
**25.03.2020** - 3S Ernest Cook visit  
**31.03.2020** - Year 5 Easter Activity Day (St Wilfrid's Church)  
**31.03.2020** - Year 3 & 4 Production (1.45pm & 6.30pm)  
**01.04.2020** - 3L Ernest Cook visit  
**01.04.2020** - Year 3 & 4 Production (6.30pm)  
**02.04.2020** - Last day of term



### Friday 13th March

- Children can wear their sports kit to school
- Charity wristbands will be available all next week for a £1 donation.



It was the turn of our gymnasts to shine this week. On Friday 28th February, children from year 3/4 and 5/6 competed against other schools within the Trust.

As always standards were very high and the competition strong. After an hour of bending, stretching, balancing, jumping and rolling our year 3/4 team was awarded the silver medal and year 5/6 the bronze. In addition, Jesse (year 4) was selected as the best individual performer at vaulting with impressive score of 9.7 out of 10.

On Tuesday 3rd March the gymnasts from Kibworth were entered into another competition which is part of the 'School Games'. 22 teams competed in various categories and age groups. Well done to the year 5/6 team for finishing in second place.

Congratulations also to Evan (year 4) for winning with his floor routine and to Amelie (year 5) for winning with her floor routine and body management. We are all very proud to have such talented children at our school.

