



Weekly Newsletter



Tweeddale Primary School
Tuesday 1st March 2011

Dear Parents and Carers

I hope you all had a good half term. School was really busy over the holiday period with both Play Centre and the Day Nursery running from the school building (see co-location project below).

We'll be carrying on with our big focus on attendance and punctuality this half term. Wombat Class did brilliantly in the week before the holiday and achieved 100% attendance for the whole week—**WELL DONE WOMBATS!**

Book Fair—w/c 7th March

The Scholastic Book Fair will be in the school hall after school every day next week. Children will be given a World Book Day voucher on Monday which they can use at the book fair or at some shops on the High Street.



School Dinners

If your child has school dinners, please make sure that your ParentPay account is **always** in credit. Money must be added to your account **in advance** of your child receiving a dinner. The cost of dinners are currently £2.10 per day (£10.50 per week).



“Tesco for Schools & Clubs” vouchers

We are collecting these vouchers from Tesco. One voucher will be issued for every £10 spent in a single transaction up until 8th May 2011. Please collect these vouchers and bring them into school.

The children can post the vouchers into the box near the main office door.



Co-location Project

We moved everyone out of the Children's Centre building during the half term to allow the builders to push ahead with the work.

The concrete slabs for the floor have been installed and the strengthening work to the first floor of the Children's Centre has also been completed.



Parents drop-in sessions with the school nurse

Dates for the parents drop-in sessions this half term are
Thursday 3rd March, Thursday 17th March and Thursday 31st March.
The school nurse will be available in the Round Room from 2pm.
If there is anything you would like to discuss with her, please go to the Round Room at 2pm.
There is no need to book.

Dates for your diary

Thursday 3rd March—2pm Parents drop-in session with school nurse
w/c 7th March—Scholastic Book Fair after school in the hall
Tuesday 8th March—Shrove Tuesday—Pancakes for pudding!
Wednesday 9th March—Year 4 visit to Mosque
Tuesday 15th March—Year 2 visit Windsor Castle
Thursday 17th March—Pupil Progress Meetings - **School closes at 2pm**
Thursday 17th March—2pm Parents drop-in session with school nurse
Monday 21st March—Pupil Progress Meetings - **School closes at 2pm**
Thursday 31st March—2pm Parents drop-in session with school nurse
Friday 8th April—**Break up for Easter—School closes at 2pm**
Tuesday 26th April—**Children return to school**

Children's Centre Information

A full timetable of our activities can be found in the file downloads area on the Tweeddale website
www.tweeddaleprimary.sutton.sch.uk

Childminder drop in at Tweeddale Primary School

This group is for all childminders and the children they care for. Enabling the exchange of fun ideas and offering support to one another.
You can also be supported with your EYFS planning, learn about the latest training opportunities in the London Borough of Sutton and join our Childminder Toy Library.

**Every Thursday 9:30am-11:00am at
Tweeddale Primary School**

'Chatterbox' at Tweeddale Primary School

Chatterbox is a free drop in activity group for families who would like advice about how to support their child's speech and language development. We provide activities that enable you to play and talk with your child. Every 6 weeks a Speech and Language Therapist will attend the group enabling you to raise any concerns you may have about your child's language development.

This is specifically targeted at the under 5's.

**Every Thursday from 1:45pm until 2:45pm at
Tweeddale Primary School**