



Discovery Primary Academy

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Friday 18th January 2024

Sight and Hearing Screening

I am delighted to say that we are progressing well with our sight screening in the younger year groups. Before we continue with sight screening in the older year groups, we are going to start hearing screening.

If your child/children bring home a letter asking permission for the academy to check their hearing or sight, please complete and return it as soon as possible. Being able to hear what is going on around you or clearly see the words you are reading is so important. If we can identify that things are not quite right, we can work together to do something positive about it.

We would like to thank Mrs Morton for everything she is doing to support us with both hearing and sight screening.

Attendance

This week the overall academy attendance was **93%**
Well done to **Raleigh** and **Freya** who both achieved **98%**

Please see the link below, with a list of our current
Afterschool Clubs

[Discovery Primary Academy - Afterschool Clubs](#)

Primary Dance

Several of our children are involved in the Primary Dance afterschool club. This fantastic opportunity will lead to them performing at the Cresset for Primary Dance showcase. Tickets are on sale for the Primary Dance Showcase and can be purchased directly from the Cresset box office by calling 01733 265705 or online at www.cresset.co.uk

Show name: Primary Dance Showcase - "Love is in the Air".

Dates: 15th February 2024

Show start time: 6.30pm

Finish time: 8pm (approx.)

This project is funded by the Cresset's Performing Arts programme, whose aim is to offer creative, performance and learning opportunities to young people in our community through the Arts. The funding for this programme is supported heavily by public donations when purchasing tickets and any proceeds from these events.

Pre-School Entrance

Can I please remind everyone that the pre-school entrance is only to be used by families dropping off and picking up from pre-school. It is not to be used to enter the academy playground.

Drop off and Collection Area at Queen Katharine Academy

A letter will be sent out regarding the drop off and collection area at Queen Katharine Academy.

Dates for Your Calendar

Friday 2nd February 2024 – Number Day
Thursday 8th February 2024 – Academy Disco
Tuesday 13th February 2024 – Parents Evening
Wednesday 14th February 2024 – Parents Evening
Thursday 15th February 2024 – Parents Evening
Friday 16th February 2024 – Half-term
Thursday 14th March 2024 – Yr.5 Trip – National Space Centre
Thursday 21st March 2024 – Yr.1 (Group A) Trip - Ramsey Heights
Friday 22nd March 2024 – Yr.2 (Group B) Trip – Ramsey Heights
Thursday 28th March 2024 – Yr.6 Trip – London Eye and River cruise
Thursday 28th March 2024 – Spring Term Ends

****Further details for the disco and Parents Evening to follow****

Greggs Breakfast

It is lovely to see so many children taking something from the breakfast trolley in the morning on their way round the academy. Thank you to Mrs Morton, Mr Pinfold and Mrs Pinfold for making this happen.

Cold Weather

We are experiencing cold and wet weather this next week. Could you please make sure that your child/children has a hat, coat and gloves so they are warm when they are outside. Warm PE clothing such as a plain tracksuit or plain leggings are also ideal for PE. A sweatshirt that is plain or an academy jumper would also help. Thank you for your support.