



# Hillside Junior School

## Weekly Bulletin

Week 23 – 06.03.2020

### A message from Mrs Shepherd

*The time has come for me to retire and I will be leaving the school at the end of the summer term in July. It has been an honour and a privilege to be the Headteacher at Hillside Junior School and I have thoroughly enjoyed it. I have been grateful for the support from staff, parents and governors throughout my time here. The pupils at Hillside are simply the best and caring for them has made this a dream job. The governors will be writing to you about my successor early in the summer term. Thank you all for the amazing friendship and kindness you have shown me. I am sure the school, in its wonderful new building, will continue to go from strength to strength.*

### Coronavirus

We continue to monitor the Covid-19 situation on a daily basis to ensure we act accordingly to all advice given to schools by Public Health England. At school we have spoken to the children about personal hygiene, especially hand washing and have made sure the school is fully stocked with soap. Our cleaning staff are also doubling their efforts to make sure the school is as hygienic as possible and Mrs Brereton in Welfare is on hand to provide medical advice if a child is feeling unwell. We ask that parents follow the advice that has been issued to all citizens. This is available at <https://www.gov.uk/guidance/coronavirus-covid-19-information-for-the-public> and <https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19>

**There is currently no cause for concern at school, however, we will keep you informed of any developments. Thank you.**

### Parents' Evening

Parents' Evenings will take place on **Tuesday 10th** and **Thursday 12th March**. If you have not yet made an appointment, please login to the school website as soon as possible.

<http://www.hillsidejunior.org>

### Book Fair

The Book Fair will be open everyday at 3.20pm until 4pm and during Parents' Evening from **Tuesday 10th March until Friday 13th March**. The school receives a commission on sales, so it is a good opportunity to raise funds for the school.



### Philosophy Question—6.3.2020

**Question: Where is your favourite place in the world?**



**Quote: 'The sea is deep and the world is wide.'**

.....*The Snail and the Whale*

### Diary Dates

#### March:

Tue 10th Mar: Parents' Evening—3.30pm—6pm

Thurs 12th Mar: Parents' Evening—3.30pm—6pm

Mon 23rd Mar: Yr6 Trip—Junior Citizens

Fri 27th Mar: Yr3 Roman Day in school

Mon 30th Mar: Yr3 Roman Bath Exhibition—9.15am

#### April:

Wed 1st Apr: Yr4 Trip to Lincolnshire Centre

Fri 3rd Apr: **END OF TERM 1.30PM**

### PTA Events 2019—2020

Please see below the events arranged by the PTA for this academic year.

**Fri 20th March—Mother's Day Buy a Flower /Pot Day**

**Fri 27th March—Easter Cake Sale & Raffle**

**Fri 1st May—Upper School Film Night**

**Fri 22nd May—Crazy Hair Day**

**Fri 12th June—Outdoor Cinema (Adults only)**

**Fri 19th June—Father's Day Surprise Room**

**Sat 4th July—Summer Fair**

**Thurs 16th July—Year 6 Leavers BBQ**