

Moss Lane School

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Dear Families,

We have had a very cold, wet and windy few weeks but it is good to see the days gradually becoming longer and the occasional glimmer of sunshine. Spring seems to be coming! I am enjoying seeing the beautiful spring flowers and the daffodils that are now on the Burys field. Hopefully we can begin to look forward to sunny days and warmer weather.

I can't believe how the last few weeks have flown by and this week there are some very tired faces. The children have worked so hard this term and are now ready for a well-deserved Easter break.

I hope that you all get time to relax and recuperate as a family.

Happy Easter!

Mrs Abbott
Headteacher



Medication at School

We wanted to remind you that we can only administer prescribed medicine to your child at school when four doses are required. E.g. three doses are given at home and one at school, usually given at lunchtime. The medicine should be in the original container with a prescription label clearly stating the child's name, medication name, date of issue, expiry date and dosage required. We request that you come to the office to complete a permission form detailing the dosage and frequency of medicine - Medicines cannot be handed into class or via the child. An adult should deposit and collect these medicines each day as we cannot give them back to your child.

Medical/Dental Appointments

If your child must have a medical or dental appointment in school time, please try and make it after 2pm so your child can have their registration mark for the afternoon. If it needs to be in the morning, please try and bring them to school first to get their registration mark and return them to school afterwards.

Wherever possible appointments such as dental, medical, opticians should be booked outside of school hours or during the school holidays. Absence Request Forms can be found on our website or by picking one up at the front office.



Our value for this term is

Respect

What's Coming Up...

Monday 17th April

INSET Day – School closed

Tuesday 18th April

Start of summer term

Monday 24th April

Otters at Woodland School

Friday 28th April

Year 2 trip to Haslemere Museum
(letter to follow)

7:30pm PTA Quiz Night

Tuesday 2nd May

Hedgehogs at Woodland School

Monday 8th May

Bank Holiday for King Charles' Coronation

Thursday 11th May

School Photographs

Check out our online calendar of events [here](#).

Safeguarding...

Please remember that if you are coming on to the school site outside of drop-off and pick-up times, you must sign in at the front office. Please do not just wander round to the school playground. This is to keep all of our children safe.

Mystery Reader



Thank you to all of our mystery readers who have generously given their time to come in over the Spring term. It really is lovely seeing the looks on the children's faces



WELL DONE!

Ella in Otters took her ballet exam last Monday and has just found out that she has passed and received a high merit! She will receive her silver medal in due course. Well done Ella!



Ducklings

We said goodbye to our ducklings today (Hercules, Bluey, Handa and Perry). They have now gone to their new homes. The children have loved watching them hatch and grow.

PTA News...

QUIZ NIGHT Friday 28th April
Moss Lane School Hall
7:30pm – 10:00pm.

Please scan the QR code below for team captains to register a team. ONLY register once you have got a team together, not just as an individual (minimum team of 4 – maximum of 8). Full details will follow in an email.



Fundraising for the School

We are now registered with easyfundraising, which means you can help us for FREE. Over 7,000 brands will donate to us when you use easyfundraising to shop with them – at no extra cost to yourself! All you need to do is sign up and remember to use easyfundraising whenever you shop online. It's easy and completely FREE! These donations really mount up, so please sign up to support us at https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/mosslanesa/?utm_campaign=raise-more&utm_medium=email&utm_content=rm-en-n1

Reminder...

If you pay for your child to have milk please check with them if they want to continue as we are seeing a lot of milk wastage.

Easter Egg Decorating Competition Winners!

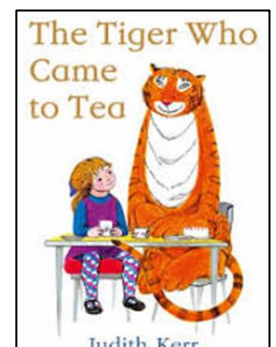
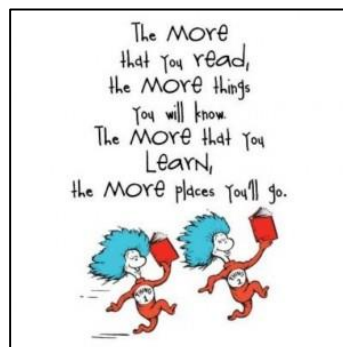
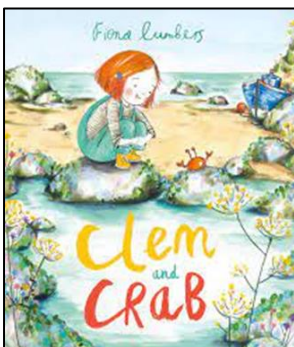
Thank you to everyone who entered our Easter Egg Competition! We had some egg-cellent entries. Our School Council had a tough time deciding on the winners. Congratulations!



Miss Betterton's Book Recommendations

Clem and Crab by Fiona Lumbers is a thoughtfully written story for young children that addresses issues surrounding littering, pollution and the impact on the ocean. Clem and her classmates meet a crab whose claw is caught in twisted plastic. This encounter leads to the realisation that everyone can play a part in protecting wildlife. There are some delightful illustrations that reflect the environmental message of this book.

You can listen to the author read her story here <https://youtu.be/n1tPEh10ico>



The Tiger Who Came to Tea has been a longstanding favourite of mine since I was a child. I hoped and hoped that a tiger would come to my house and drink all the water from the taps!

Miss Betterton