Pre-Prep News 19 January

Reminder

In September the school timetable was revised with the school day starting at 8.30am and finishing at 3.15pm, with activities running until 4.00pm. Children are welcome to be left in Early Birds from 8.00 – 8.20am. After this the children can be taken straight to the classroom where their school day will begin.

Reception Visit to Bristol Zoo

On a bright but very chilly morning the Reception children and staff visited Bristol Zoo – with the main aim being to see the penguins. On the way we saw flamingos, lions, huge tortoises, snakes, gorillas including a baby and finally the penguins. We had a delicious lunch and were back in time for dance and after school activities. There are lots more photos on the year group boards in the corridor.

Diary Dates

Friday 27 January Exeat weekend - no after-school activities, crèche or late club, School finishes at 3.15.

Friday 10 February No after-school activities, crèche or late club - half-term.

Thursday 29 March After-school activities, crèche and late club finish for the Spring Term.

Monday 26 March 2.00 pm Swimming Gala for Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 – no activities.

Cheddar Man

Year 1 had an amazing trip back in time to Somerset 10,000 years ago when prehistoric people inhabited the caves at Cheddar. Going underground in Gough's cave was an adventure which will stay long in our memories! Please visit the Year 1 classroom to find out more.

Parent Portal

An information sheet has been created to help everyone use the Parent Portal effectively – they are currently on display outside the office and in the outdoor notice board. Additional support information will soon be available in the Parent Area.

Pre-School visit Tweenways Pet Shop

Pre-School children made a short visit to Tweenways Pet Shop in Compton Dundon this week. They were given a tour of the pet shop and saw a very noisy parrot, budgerigars, fish, chipmunks, chinchillas, guinea pigs, rabbits and chickens. They choose toys for our new rabbits Liquorice and Allsorts and were given a bag of hay.

Our Millfield Minis started the new term with a play session, and last Thursday, enjoyed dance with a circus theme.