

Doxey Digest

Your weekly newsletter from the pupils and staff at Doxey Academy: Friday 7th March 2025



The school celebrated World Book Day with a parade featuring characters like Harry Potter, Chipmunks, Oi Frog, Gangsta Granny, and Alice in Wonderland. Activities included making 'scrambled snake', book tasting, creating character profiles, and art projects. It was a fun-filled day that highlighted the children's love for reading!

To celebrate Shrove Tuesday, our youngest pupils enjoyed making pancakes. They took it in turns to mix the eggs, flour and milk to create batter and loved watching Mrs Bacon flip the pancakes. The best part was eating them!



The chicks have arrived! What an exciting week it has been for Early Years! The children watched in awe as the chicks pipped their shells. Initially wet, the chicks soon dried out, revealing their cute, fluffy feathers. The children learned that chicks need to go into the brooder to stay warm. They can't wait to see the chicks walk around the tuff spot and have a hold. Keep an eye out for the photos!



The Key Stage 2 choir performed brilliantly at Stafford Gatehouse as part of Stafford Gotta Sing. They were amazing, brave, and felt immense pride once the curtains drew. The songs chosen reflected our school motto of Dream Big, Fly High and the children showed this with every note hit! They supported each other with kindness as some children were a little bit nervous with their first time on stage. What a memorable experience for everyone!

Dream Big. Fly High!

During the World Book Day parade, children demonstrated our value of kindness by enthusiastically cheering on all the other children as they walked past.

Message from the Head

What a fab week! Chicks, World Book Day and the Spring Fayre! It's been lovely seeing all year groups interact and bond over these shared school events. A real community feel around the school.

Drop off/Collection

A few reminders—scooters/bikes are not to be ridden over the playground. Also dogs are not permitted. We also request that parents smoking or vaping move away from the school gates.

Dates

14/3/25 14:30	Year 5 and 6 Young Voices Showcase
25/3/25	Year 1 Trip—Sudbury Children's Country House
28/3/25 14:45	Year 1 Mother's Day Assembly
8/4/25	Year 3 and 4—Grandparents Lunch
14/4/25— 25/4/25	Easter Holiday
28/4/25	Pupils return to school
1/5/25	Performing Arts Club—Gotta Dance performance
5/5/25	May Bank Holiday
20/5/25	Year 1 and 2—Grandparents Lunch
26/5/25— 30/5/25	Half Term

Attendance

Y1—94.5%	Y2-H—87.2%
Y2-M—96%	Y3—92.4%
Y4—93.4%	Y5—95.2%
Y6—95.6%	