



## Manor Hill First School News

### 14th May 2021

Dear Parents and Carers,

We have had another fantastic week of learning at Manor Hill First School. I have been extremely impressed with Year 2 and their debating skills. Year 1 have been experts in exclamation sentences and quickly corrected me when I confused a question with an exclamation sentence. Year 3 are fantastic at fractions and Year 4 have improved my problem solving skills with their dividing with remainders strategies. I have been astounded by the artistry in Reception and the phonics knowledge of our wonderful Nursery children. It was great to see the children enjoying Soft Play in the Bright Beginners. Manor Hill really is the place to be.

Thank you for your continued support and as ever, please do not hesitate to contact us if you need to.

Best wishes,

Lindsay Harris

### Pyjamarama Book Trust Day



Thank you for all of the donated books. As well as having lots of fun, we were able to ensure that every child at Manor Hill First School went home with a book from the 'Book Swap'. The monies raised from today will support the Book Trust Charity to provide books for those in difficult circumstances.

### Online Safety

	<b>SPEAK</b> to somebody if you need help.
	<b>ASK</b> an adult before going online.
	<b>FRIENDS</b> are real people we know.
	<b>ENJOY</b> Play, have fun and stay safe.

### Reading Eggs

Remember there are many fun phonics activities on Reading Eggs as well as it being a great reading book resource to support home learning.



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## Hilltops

Places need to be registered in advance to use this service. At present places are limited to 15 per session. If you require a place at short notice, we ask that you please contact Mrs. Proudman on [office@manorhill.staffs.sch.uk](mailto:office@manorhill.staffs.sch.uk) by 12 noon on the day of the booking to check that we can facilitate this. All payments should be made at the time of booking via ParentPay, however if you pay by Childcare vouchers you will continue to be invoiced. Please contact our office team if you require further information.

## Up Coming Events

**Mondays and Fridays** – After school sports clubs are continuing for Year 1 and Year 3

**Tuesdays** – Year 4 Swimming (in school hours)

**Friday 28<sup>th</sup> May** – Bend The Rules Day – More details to follow.

**Friday 28<sup>th</sup> of May** – Last Day of Summer Term 1.

*As lock down eases, we hope to be able to offer a range of events including Moving Up Days. Watch this space!*

## Covid 19

- We ask that you please adhere to the guidance shared to ensure we keep our site as Covid secure as possible.
- As before, please **DO NOT** send your child to school if they are unwell or have been in contact with someone who has Covid19.
- If your child or your household members have symptoms of Coronavirus then you are required to get a PCR test to check and you must **all** self-isolate until you get your result.
- Those living in households with school-aged children are eligible to collect home rapid Covid tests. Further information is available from:  
<https://www.staffordshire.gov.uk/Coronavirus/Testing/Community-Collect.aspx>

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<https://www.childrenscommissioner.gov.uk/thebigask/>