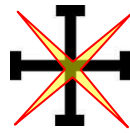


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Lighting the Path



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11th February 2015

Dear Parents,

Re: Shakespeare Week 16th – 19th March 2015

As part of the national initiative, we will be holding a Shakespeare week in school in March and I am very pleased to announce that each class will have a theme day led by Clare Carson and Noel Jones who both have a lot of enthusiasm and a wealth of knowledge! We will be focusing on “A Midsummer Night’s Dream” and thinking about what it would have been like to be a child in Shakespeare’s time.

The children will carry out a variety of activities throughout their day, including practical sessions in the hall. Each day will culminate with an invitation to parents at 3pm to see what the children have produced and to share the learning.

We would very much like the children to dress up as a child in Shakespeare’s time on the theme day for their class. There are some ideas for costumes attached to this letter and there are some pictures of costumes in the school office if you would like any further ideas. We are looking for simple costumes but do feel free to be more adventurous if you so wish!

Costume Days

Venus and Neptune	Monday 16 th March
Mercury Class	Tuesday 17 th March
Saturn Class	Wednesday 18 th March
Jupiter Class	Thursday 19 th March

On Friday 20th March we will be having a Book Fair run by Wells Book Shop. They will be bringing a selection of books to do with Shakespeare as well as their usual wide variety of books. The children will be able to spend their World Book Day tokens at the Fair if they wish.

All of the children will have a chance to hear the story of “A Midsummer Night’s Dream” before the week starts so that they will be familiar with it and the Drama Club will be learning excerpts to perform to each class during the theme days. It promises to be a fun week!

Yours sincerely

Dawn James
Head teacher

