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Dear Parents,



Big thumbs up for Hot School Meals! The children have been super stars this week, they have really enjoyed their meals and adapted so well to the new systems. I would also like to say a big thank you to our lunchtime staff and the rest of the staff team who have all helped this week in making our new initiative such a success. It feels like a very proud time for Jordans School, to be offering your children a free hot meal each day!

Maths Open Session – Thursday 28th February 2-2.45pm

We look forward to welcoming you into school on Tuesday to take part in our Maths open session. This is a chance for you to join in with some Maths activities with your children, it will give you an insight into how our learning takes place in Maths across the school.

World Book Day – Thursday March 2nd

You will receive in the book bags today a letter detailing the Readathon that we are taking part in next week. The children are all geared up and ready to participate. The theme of the Readathon is Julia Donaldson books! We are therefore celebrating World Book Day on Thursday by dressing up as a Julia Donaldson character. We are entering a prize draw to win a visit from Julia Donaldson herself!

Don't forget that from 4.30-5.30 on Thursday March 2nd the JSA and staff team are inviting the children to come back to school in their PJs for a cosy story telling event and book swap! If you haven't already done so, don't forget to return your slips for the story telling session by Monday. If your child does football, let the teacher know on Thursday morning if you would like the staff to walk the children back to school for the event. Remember to pack PJs too!

Thank you for your continued support.

Mrs Bancroft
Headteacher



The last week's Well Done
Certificates

Reuben (Class R) - For super writing in your jolly jotter using phonics and finger spaces.

Lola (Class R) - For always trying her best.

Joseph (Class 1) - For a great start to Year 1 at Jordans.

Grace (Class 1) - For always trying her best and being a happy and polite member of Year 1.

Rehaan (Class 2) - For a fabulous, enthusiastic start at Jordans.

Grace (Class 2) - For great story work.



Next Week's Learning

Year R

Literacy: Continuing with *The Gruffalo* and *Mr Wolf's Pancakes*, including shopping lists.

Maths: Sequencing days of the week, surveys of favourite pancake toppings and halving.

Special Requests/Messages: Library will be on Thursday next week.

Year 1

Literacy: Continuing with our *Owl Babies* theme, we will be writing our own version of the story.

Maths: Subtracting a 1 or 2 digit number from 20 by partitioning

Year 2

Literacy: we will start exploring the *The Willow Pattern Story*. If you get chance, perhaps you could have a look at a few Willow Pattern designs over the weekend.

Maths: we will be practising and using number facts such as bonds, halves and doubles.

Special Requests/Messages: In our maths problem solving tasks this week, lots of us found the concept of giving change quite tricky, If you get chance, could you please play shops at home?! Take turns to buy something (or things) from the shop, then work out how much change you would get from (e.g.) 50p, £1.00. Many thanks.