



Language of the Month  
**KOREAN**

**SUMMER TERM**  
4<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2018

**NEWSLETTER**  
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Dear Parents/Carers,

Thank you to Rowan class for their lovely assembly this morning about the Rainforest. Year 4 have been learning about this amazing ecosystem as part of their IPC project and Rowan class have clearly been paying lots of attention, as they were able to tell us so many brilliant facts. It was also really interesting to hear about their trip to The Living Rainforest near Reading. This is a wonderful place for the whole family, so I thoroughly recommend it if you want a great day out with the children.

On Wednesday you may have noticed some of our Pupil Parliament children patrolling the local roads with members of our community policing team. This was part of a road safety initiative called "Park Smart" in which the children encourage adults visiting our school to think really carefully about how considerately (or otherwise) they are parking. Thank you to all the children who took part and to those of you who reacted so positively to the message they were trying to convey.

Many of you will be aware of new data protection regulations (GDPR) which come into force at the end of this month. Whilst we have always taken storage and protection of your data very carefully, there are new procedures which will be required as a result of the new law and we will therefore be sending out a number of documents over the coming weeks which we will ask you to complete and/or sign. It is vital that you remember to inform us immediately if your contact details change, not only to allow us to fulfil our responsibilities under GDPR but, more importantly, to make sure we can get hold of you in an emergency.

I also wanted to take this opportunity to share with you some very exciting personal news by letting you know that I will be having a baby in September. I appreciate that you will want to know how this will affect the leadership of the school and I can confirm that our Governors and the executive members of the Bourne Education Trust are making plans to ensure a smooth transition and continuing focus on strategic priorities to deliver the best possible outcomes for your children. Our Senior Leadership Team will continue to play a pivotal role in the running of the school whilst supported by an interim Headteacher. I will update you with more information as soon as I am able to.

Have a lovely, sunny Bank Holiday weekend

*Matheson*

Mrs N Matheson, Head of School



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**School Gate**

This gate is automatic and you **do not need to push**. At the end of the school day this gate will not be opened until 3.05pm. If you need access before this time please use the intercom at the gate entrance.

**ROAD SAFETY**

Please remember that the entrance to our carpark is VERY busy at drop off and pick up times, so it is important that children do not run across it unsupervised. Please make sure little ones stay close to you and have their hand held as they cross.

**INTERNET SAFETY**

Please be aware that the NSPCC have issued advice on the popular game **Fortnight:Battle Royale** as the game automatically allows users to speak to other players through voice & text chat functions.

Please also remember that Fortnight does use cartoon violence and is rated 12+

The NSPCC website contains lots of good advice on how to keep your child safe online.

**School Fair**

The school fair is on Saturday 14th July 2018. If you are able to help organise or volunteer on the day please come to the school office and speak to Sarah Maloney or Christabel Holmes

**DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:**

**Bank Holiday Monday 7th May 2018**

**Yr 5 Residential Trip Wed 9th—Fri 11th May 2018**

**Yr 5 Day Trip to In2Action Thursday 10th May 2018**

**Ash Class Assembly—Friday 11th May 2018—Junior Hall @ 9.15**