

# Headteacher News



Term : Term 4 2022-2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

I thought that I would use this term's newsletter to highlight some resources and information available in West Berkshire. Firstly, the West Berkshire Directory, which include the local offer as well as information on Children's Services and Adult Services, can now be accessed using the QR Code below:



The NSPCC have produced a new web resource which gives parenting tips and advice on how to deal with difficult situations. You can access the website here <https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/support-for-parents/>

There have been lots of other wonderful things going on and you can read more about them in the Class Newsletters which can be found on our website here [The Castle School - Class Newsletters \(thecastleschoolnewbury.org.uk\)](http://thecastleschoolnewbury.org.uk)

Although we are heading towards the summer, there is some illness still around. As such, we need your help to ensure illness does not spread within:

- If your child has a temperature, they should stay away from school until the temperature has returned to normal. A high temperature is **38C** or above.

## Some photos of our learning



Everyone Cycling Event



Wellbeing Bags P4PC



Celebrating Mental Health Week



Day out on the train Week

- If your child is not well enough to be in school, they should remain at home. This can be difficult for parents, which we fully understand. But the impact of illness spreading through a class can result in that class being closed for longer, which will have a longer impact on everyone.
- If your child has been sick or had diarrhoea, they should stay at home for at least **48 hours** from when they last had a bout of either sickness or diarrhoea.

For more information and news please visit us at [www.thecastleschoolnewbury.org.uk](http://www.thecastleschoolnewbury.org.uk)

I wish all our pupils, staff and parents a lovely Easter break. Please note that the last day of term is **Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March 2023** and pupils return to school on **Monday 17<sup>th</sup> April 2023**

Many thanks, Jon Hewitt (Headteacher)