



The Henry Prince Church of England (C) First School & Nursery

World Book Day—2 March 2017

We are looking forward to taking the children to visit Ashbourne Library, in the morning, on World Book Day.

We have arranged with the Library for the children to have story time at the Library.

Please find attached, a form to fill out and return to school by 27 February if you would like your child to become a member

of the Library. This will enable the children to choose a book from the Library and bring it home on World Book Day.

Special points of interest:

February 2017

- ☺ World Book Day
- ☺ Attendance
- ☺ Nursery Places



Attendance

We have recently had our annual register inspection and one or two items have been brought to our attention.

In the morning, the gate will be locked at

9.00am—any pupils arriving after that will come in via the office entrance, and be signed in the late book. After 9.10am the same procedure applies, but the pupil will be marked down with an unauthorised absence for the

morning session. Our school attendance target is 96%, once a pupils attendance falls below 90% the Education Welfare Worker may be contacted for additional support .

Nursery Places for Three Year Olds

We are pleased to inform you that we are now in the position to offer nursery places to children the term in which they are three. We can therefore take nursery children at the start of each term.

For example if your child is three between April and July 2017, they can join us from 24 April 2017.

Our nursery provision

currently runs Monday to Friday in term time 12.10pm to 3.15pm. This is potentially under review and may be subject to change, if any changes were to occur we would let you know as soon as we were able.

All nursery admissions are to be made through the school office. The closing dates for submitting forms are Friday 10 March for the Easter Term

and Friday 9 June for September.

Once forms have been received we will be in touch to advise you of any induction days and other meetings.



PE

When we return after the February half term the children may bring in jogging bottoms to wear during PE sessions, they can be left in school and returned as normal with the PE kits.

Half Term

We break up for half term on Friday 17 February and children and staff return on Monday 27 February.

**Don't forget to look on our web site for the latest news and information;
www.henryprince.staffs.sch.uk**

