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**NEXT WEEKS DINNER MENU: WEEK 3**

Attendance figures for week ending Friday 9th February are as follows:

Year R 86.7%	Year 1 90%	Year 2 95%	Year 3 100%
Year 4 95.6 %	Year 5 100%	Year 6 96.7%	<b>94.7%</b>

Well done to Years 3 and 5 for 100% attendance.

**Whole school attendance this academic year: 94.6%**

CHANGES TO STAFFING

Amy Brown left at half term after doing some temporary hours for us. She is travelling around South America for a few months. We thank her for all she has done and wish her well. Mrs Marshall (who does some 1:1 work with a child) has also left. Again we would like to thank her for all she has done. Mrs Jackson has kindly agreed to do some additional temporary hours until Mrs Lang returns. Mrs Lang will return after Easter and will be working 4 days a week. We look forward to having her back. She will be working with Class 1 and Class 2. Mrs Cusack will continue to work with Class 3 providing support for literacy and Numeracy until the end of the year.

WORLD BOOK DAY

It's World Book Day on Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> March. Children will be able to come to school dressed as their favourite book character and bring in their favourite book.

RESIDENTIAL TRIP

Letters went on Tuesday about this year's residential trip to Slapton Ley Field Centre for years 4, 5 and 6. The total cost will be £114 for the three days. If your child is interested in taking part then a non-refundable deposit of £50 is needed by Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> March..

THE GIVING MACHINE

Please don't forget to use the 'giving machine' website when shopping.

[www.TheGivingMachine.co.uk](http://www.TheGivingMachine.co.uk)

ST JOHN'S FACEBOOK PAGE

We have a St John's Facebook page for last minute reminders and information. Please join the group at 'Friends of St Johns Dartmouth.

**DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

Thurs 1 <sup>st</sup> Mar	World Book Day
Mon 12 <sup>th</sup> – Fri 16 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Science Week
Fri 23 <sup>rd</sup> Mar	Sport Relief
Thurs 29 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Easter Bazaar 1:30pm
Thurs 29 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Last Day of School
Mon 16 <sup>th</sup> April	Back to School
Weds 2 <sup>nd</sup> May	Class Photos
Fri 4 <sup>th</sup> May	Non-Pupil Day
Mon 7 <sup>th</sup> May	May Day (No School)
Mon 28 <sup>th</sup> May – Fri 1 <sup>st</sup> Jun	Half Term
Tues 24 <sup>th</sup> July	Last Day of School