

Dear Parents/carers

It was lovely to welcome you to school this week for parent teacher consultations about how your child/children are getting on in school.

I am sure that looking through the children's books and talking to the teacher has shown you what great progress they have made with their learning.

## Key Stage 2 trip to Fitzroy Farm

On Monday 22nd March all our key Stage 2 children went to Fitzroy Farm. Seren in Falcon Class has written us a short account of the trip which I have shared below.. Thank you Seren.

After a short mini bus ride, we arrived at Fitzroy Farm. We had a quick snack break and then it was off to see the animals. Suzi first took us to see the chickens, there were lots of them all different shapes and colours. We fed them corn and they were very happy to be wandering out. Next we went to visit the sheep. They were very excited to us and rushed to the fence. We fed them pellets and were able to stroke them. Their fur was very soft even if some of them were a bit dirty. There were two nervous cows in the sheep field, they crept very slowly towards us and they eventually came over for some food. The poly tunnels were our next stop. There were carrots and potatoes growing in them and we were very lucky when Suzi said that we could pull up some carrots. It was hard work trying to pull up the carrots but it was worth the effort, they tasted delicious. Our final stop was to visit the working dogs. Ben, one of the dogs, was allowed out to have a run around with us. We had a brilliant day learning all about how Fitzroy Farm uses the land to make a living.



## **Easter Egg Hunt:**



Today we had great fun in school enjoying an Easter egg hunt adapted for each class.

EYFS had to find the hidden numbered eggs and then order the numbers to find their chocolate egg rewards.

KS1 hunted for eggs and then found the matching intricate patterns to ensure they received their chocolate egg rewards.

KS2 Meadowlarks class did some atlas work to locate eggs around The World and then hunted around school looking for eggs with equivalent fractions. Falcons class searched for complex patterns to receive their chocolate.

## **Welcome And Farwell**

Today we welcomed Padre Holland into school for the first time where we looked at friendship whilst linking this to Christian values. We also said a fond farewell to Nikki Wilkinson today as she and Jai return to the UK for a new posting. I would like to thank Nikki for all her support and hard work during her time at MPS.



## **Golden Certificates**

Well done to the following children for their hard work and commitment to the school and it's values this term. Thank you

**Felicity, Ben R, Connor, Bethany, Elizabeth, Lara and Dillon**

## **Dates for your Diary**

- Tuesday 13th April 2021 - school starts for children