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Dear parent/carers,

I hope you are well – we have had a calm week in school despite the crazy weather! Where has Spring gone?

The deadline for our World Book Day Bookmarks competition was this week and we look forward to seeing who the winners are. Our 'Easter Eggstravaganza' is still running – we will be looking at ATL data from Monday 6 March to Friday 17 March for students who have been 'eggcellent'!

The Golden Ticket winner this week will get a Knowsley Safari Park Family Pass – that will be drawn later today. The forms that have won Krispy Kreme this half term 7EP, 8DE, 9SI, 10EP and 11GA – they will receive this treat next Tuesday.

The Trap Perception Theatre will be delivering a one-hour session to Year 10 students on Tuesday 14 March. They are a production company who are performing in schools across Cheshire, the performance is supported through Cheshire Police funding. The session they will deliver delves into the complex nature of gang culture, county lines and examines how fear and manipulation can be used to exploit young people and how it can affect family life.

Please remember we have two more strike days next week, Wednesday and Thursday – school will be open for years 13, 12 and 11. On Wednesday, we will be closing school completely at 13.30 out of respect for Brianna's funeral that afternoon. This will allow any students and staff who want to attend to be able to as well. We have also arranged for grief counsellors to be available in school on Thursday and Friday after the funeral to offer support to any students who need it.

I hope you all have a lovely weekend when it arrives.

Best wishes,



Emma Mills

## Dates for your diary

Tuesday 14 March Year 9 Shakespeare Festival – performance

Tuesday 14 March Year 10 Theatre performance

Wednesday 15 and Thursday 16 March - School Closed to Yr7,8,9 and 10 Industrial Action

Sunday 26 March British Summer time begins clocks go forward 1 hour

Monday 27 March – Wednesday 29 March Year 7 residential -Kingswood

Friday 31 March – School closes for Easter Holidays

Monday 17 April – school reopens for summer term.