

## Easter

Follow the links to find out what's on over Easter:



Cirencester Rocks has details of many outings and activities over the next two weeks:

<https://www.cirencesterrocks.co.uk/things-to-do/whats-on-this-easter-in-cirencester>



Kids Stuff at the Long Table are putting on plenty of child-friendly and free events:

<https://www.cirencesterkidsstuff.org.uk/kidsstuffcirencesterevents>

## ELSS Essential Letters and Sounds Phonics

We continue to work in partnership with the Mangotsfield English Hub to ensure that our phonics provision is of the highest standard. This year, we are on track to celebrate a three-year trend of strong outcomes in the Y1 Phonics Screening Check; well above national average.

I thought it would be worth sharing just some of the glowing feedback from the hub lead Charlotte Price, who visits each term:

- 'High expectations for all'
- 'Adaptations made for pupils with SEND enabled them to access learning and be actively involved'
- 'Activities engaged and motivated children...'

A huge thanks to Mr Kelly, our phonics lead, for supporting our children to grow and flourish as early readers through phonics.



## Health Update from GCC

You may have been concerned by some of the recent news reports about cases of Meningitis in other areas of the country; however, Gloucestershire County Council has advised that schools in our area should continue to follow routine good practice, with no additional measures required at this time.

Please help us by ensuring that children's routine vaccinations are up to date, including the MenACWY vaccine where applicable. You can find the full UK routine immunisation schedule on the [GOV.UK website](https://www.gov.uk).

We also encourage all parents, carers and staff to familiarise themselves with the signs and symptoms of meningitis. Further information is available from the Meningitis Research Foundation and the UK Health Security Agency: [Signs and Symptoms of Meningitis](#)

## Vision Award

## Values Award

EYFS: Freddie

EYFS: Maddie

Y1: Josef

Y1: Owen

Y2: Bella

Y2: Djenab

Y3: Oskar

Y3: Henry

Y4: Daisy M

Y4: Dragons Class

Y5: Amelie

Y5: Laura

Y6: Bertie

Y6: Pippa



## Absence Request Form Link:

<https://forms.office.com/e/OgT9PqNmk3>



## Upcoming Dates:

Monday 13<sup>th</sup> April: First day back