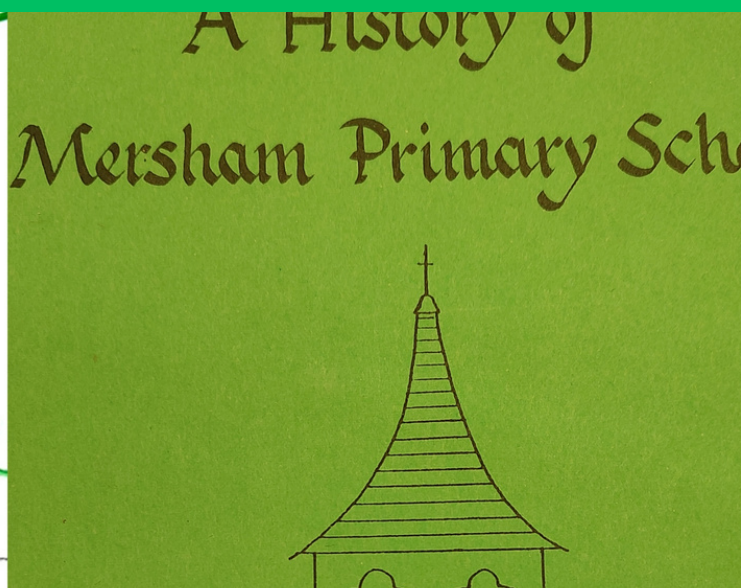
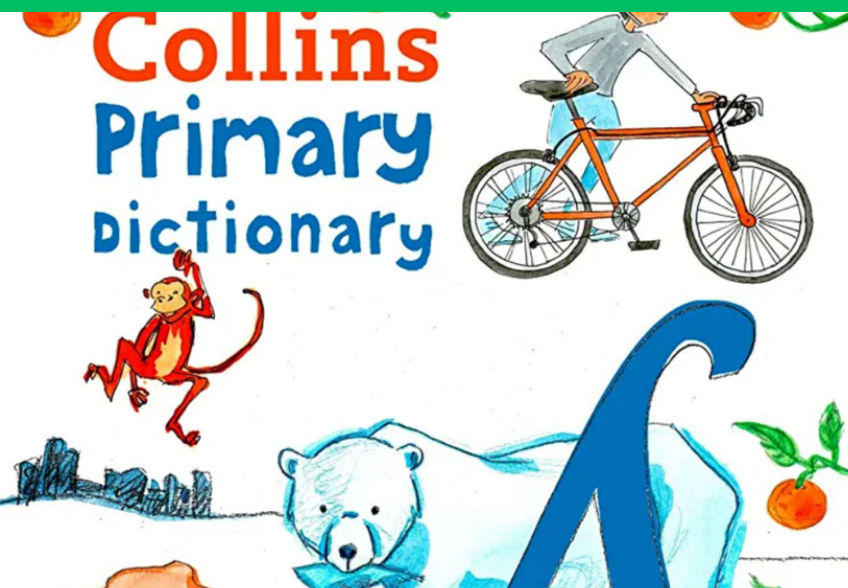


PTFA News T4, Wk2



Spotlight on Books!

Thanks everyone for your support for the Book Sale this week. School earned £352.94 to spend on new library books. Mrs Lexy Sly (YR) is School librarian. She has also applied to the PTFA for £708 of funding for more school reading texts for early years and Collins dictionary and thesaurus for every class.

We'd like to continue to work with Mrs Sly to develop a student wish list of school library texts. Perhaps individual children are allowed to choose as a reward for great work or it will remain within remit of student council. Your feedback is welcome.

Pre-Loved WBD outfits and Halloween costumes

Graham and Nicky Reed at preloved@mershamschoolpta.co.uk are also accepting your pre-loved World Book Day outfits and other costumes. You've paid nearly £70 to the PTFA funds through sales of uniform since the Reed team took over. Thanks everyone.

Next events

Fri 10 March - Come to school in home clothes and bring change for our fund for memory books Y6 from the whole school. As it is National Careers Week, all the children will be provided with a 'name badge' on which can be written their name and (imaginary future) job title. Their home clothes might reflect their future career as a farmer, sports coach, vet, software writer, etc. (any home clothes). Thanks to our community for showing appreciation for the fabulous Yr 6 and their families.

Fri 24 March - after school - Cake Contest - Bake and Decorate for Easter. 3 prizes to best young bakers and decorators. Local cake judge Rev Chris Denyer makes a comeback; remember the torrential rain of last year's Jubilee! More info to follow.

1877-2027!

We found a found a book last week - a short history of the school! Did you know that "naughty" children were once locked in a boiler room! The school will be 150 in 2027 so we thought we'd start to think how we would like to mark 150 years. All ideas welcome: hello@mershamschoolpta.co.uk

