



Newsletter 3 February 2023

FOTAS are looking forward to an exciting spring term fundraising and to help with this FOTAS are organising several fundraising events this term, including our popular Easter Raffle.

**Thank you to those parents/carers who supported the recent cake sale which raised over £60!**

### **Easter Raffle Donations – Mufti Day**

Children are welcomed into school on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> March wearing mufti in exchange for a donation of an Easter themed item for our Easter Raffle. This could be an Easter Egg or any other Easter item.

### **Easter Raffle – 28<sup>th</sup> March**

Raffle tickets will be purchased online and the raffle drawn after school on Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> March live on Facebook.

### **Easter Bonnet Competition**

On Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> March children can bring in a decorated 'Easter Bonnet' to enter our Easter Bonnet Competition. Entry is 50p. There will be a prize for the winner in each class.



## **FOTAS Fundraising**

FOTAS are currently fundraising to provide each classroom with new furniture and resources for their reading/book areas to make them a cosy and inviting place to read a book. Reading is one of the most important skills a child needs to develop in order to access learning as they get older.

As well as using their phonics to read and understanding what they are reading, children need to read for pleasure - reading simply because it is an enjoyable activity. So far, Hazel Class have two children's wing backed chairs, cushions, blankets, a rug and book shelves to make their area more appealing. Watch out for the other classrooms book area's!



Thank you to the generosity of parents/carers, staff and other members of our school community who have helped FOTAS, raised **over £1,800** since September. Events have included a cake stall, donations, sale of Christmas cards and the Christmas raffle!

**Film Night, Frozen Fridays, Cake Stall, Raffle, Summer Community Morning, Mufti**

