## Thomas Russell Junior School

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**Updated website** - We are pleased to announce that our newly updated website launched last week. Hopefully you will spot a few changes in terms of layout, but more importantly we hope the newer version is far more accessible from mobile phones and tablets.

If there is anything else that you would find useful on our website, or that you cannot find, then do please let us know.



**Thank you** - to Mr Rice who came in to school last weekend to repair the vegetable patch and reinstate the sleepers around the edge making it much safer and ready for the children to use. We look forward to being able to get a few seedling planted out there and watching things grow - all we need now is some warm weather and sunshine - come on Summer!!

Water bottles - Please could we just highlight to parents a health and safety issue that has come to light recently? We have a few children bringing water bottles to school which sometimes unknowingly have a glass container inside. These cause a danger when bottles are accidentally dropped, especially if the inner breaks, but the outer shell doesn't. Please check any bottles / flasks that your child brings to school and avoid sending glass wherever possible. Thank you.

Flyers - there are a selection of flyers attached to the Newsletter this week. These include Picture News at Home, 100-100 Sponsored Swim, Barton Cubs need leaders, Burton Albion May Half term activities and Nagajuna Orphanage (information from two ex-TRJS pupils about an amazing project they are undertaking)

Enjoy the long weekend and we'll see you on Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> May. Best wishes, Mrs Sharpe Receive Newsletters by e-mail, or ask a question: questions@thomasrussell-junior.staffs.sch.uk