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Newsletter - 9th February 2018

Dear Parents/Carers,

We finally made it to the end of another very busy half term! I am delighted about the many achievements we have celebrated so far this year and have been very grateful for your ongoing support. Today, we celebrated Chinese New Year with an assembly by the Year 1 children. Thank you boys and girls for the information you shared with us and your fantastic acting, singing and dancing!

Along with the newsletter today, you will receive a letter about 'Operation Encompass'. Please take time to read this letter as it details further ways we can support our children and their families during difficult times.

I wish you all a well-deserved half term break with your children and look forward to seeing you all again on Monday 19th February as we begin another long, but busy lead up to the Spring Break.

Diane Barrick
Headteacher

Topic Webs

Along with the newsletter this week, you will find a copy of the topic web for your child's class for Spring 2. After the half term break, you will receive the 'celebration newsletter' sharing with you the learning that has taken place in Spring 1, as well as an information newsletter for Spring 2.

Attendance

A reminder to all parents/carers, that holidays during term time, or attached to a school holiday, will not be authorised, except in exceptional circumstances. We have already had a number of families whose children have been absent from school and we have not been able to make contact with them. This leads us to believe that some families may have taken their children on holiday without authorisation. Any parent/carer who takes their child/ren on holiday without authorisation will be issued with a penalty notice, with a charge of £60 per parent per child. Should your child/ren not return to school on Monday 19th February, we will expect a note from your child's local GP to confirm their sickness/absence. Any parent/carer who does not provide this information will be issued with a penalty notice with a charge of £60 per parent per child.

Dates for your diary

12th Feb	SCHOOL CLOSED - HALF TERM
16th Feb	Chinese New Year
19th Feb	Children return to school
w/c 19th Feb	Work Week & Bring a Parent/Carer to School Week
w/c 26th Feb	Book Week
1st Mar	World Book Dressing Up Day
5 th Mar	Parent/Carer Meetings - 3.30pm - 8pm
7th Mar	Bag 2 School Collection
12th Mar	World Science Week
14th Mar	Science Day
21st Mar	Spring Music Concerts - Years 3-6
23rd Mar	Red Nose Day
28th Mar	Easter Concert - EYFS (Nursery & Reception)
30th Mar	SCHOOL CLOSED - EASTER BREAK
3rd April	Year 6 Easter School (Tue - Fri)

Whole School Attendance - w/e 9th February 2018

EYFS & KS1:

Sunflower - 88.0%	Snowdrop - 96.7%
Bluebell - 98.9% WELL DONE!!	Marigold - 92.7%
Daisy - 94.1%	Poppy - 95.7%

KS2:

Rose - 95.0%	Fern - 93.6%
Willow - 89.3%	Pine - 95.0%
Chestnut - 94.6%	Oak - 94.8%
Tulip - 97.6%	Holly - 97.7% WELL DONE!!

Whole School Attendance this week (w/e 9th February 2018) - 94.5%
 Whole School Attendance so far - 5th September to 9th February 2018 - 95.8%
****New Whole School Target - 96.6%****

Well done to Bluebell and Holly for best attendance this week!

Keep working hard to ensure your child attends school every day and on time (8.55am)!

Achievement Awards

** Star of the Week - Sharing **

Amy McQueen, Chenxi Yu, Michael Phillips, Molly Whitfield, Marios Tsouchnikas, Kaja Gibas, Liam Akyl, Abdirahman Mogtaar, Isami Saito, Kayden Palmer, Cassidy Hessing-Senyah, Jason De Souza, Elaine Anku, Camia Hall-Carr, Abdou Thiam and Nayeemah Miah.

** Writer of the week **

Patrick Canas, Suhaiba Rahman, Danielius Zareckas, Courtney Mutoro, Victoria Mozolewska, Daniel Ashraf, Alexander Magnere Salashin, Aiden Hinton, Rebecca Zekariase, Sajid Azad, Alma Fakaj, Kaif Kazi, Filip Mozolewski and Keyla Brandao

** Homework Award **

Julia Grochulska, Muhammad Thiam, Darryl Addae-Kodua, Alishba Khanam, Yusha Seedat, Koree Fevrier, Sky Ward, Tyrell Hall-Carr, Hurley Bravo, Uzair Butt, Ben Santos, Karima Mohamed, Noha Afroz and David Akaolisa.

** Presentation Award **

Jayda Adorah, Zara Maynard-Huner, Sophie Smith, Juliana Alvelos Yanqui, Nini Adeoye, Elvina Thompson, Asia Dos Santos, Ayssa Balombo, Zaeem Hussain, Aiden Hinton, Safa Akther, Connor Wood, Megi Valivonis and Chelsy Mutoro.

** 3 Gold Awards **

Henry O'Shea, Eli-Denzel Amoah, Liam Akyl, Micky Biratsis, Nudar Binti Nur, Nusaiba Rahman, Sara-Maria Paun, Saksham Verma, Siddratul Mehjabeen, Mahnaz Basaduzzaman, Pelumi Maj-Dada, Amicet Upate, Naveed Rahman, Ohona Somon, Connie Chen, Ray Elombah, Brandao Thompson, Zane Okaikoi, Zaeem Khondokar, Muusaa Jama, Moosa Ali, Zaeem Hussain, Isla Brandao, Yahya Mestre Gomes, Tyrell Hall-Carr, Safa Akther, Yahya Omar, Shanjida Choudhury, Sayid Ali, Rayhan Hussain, Laila Ansah, Juven Marcolino, Julia Mbuyi, Dylan Nieva, Camia Hall-Carr, Ibtisam Said, Idriis Jama, Awo Adan Abdou Thiam and Wasif Uddin.

** Lunchtime Award **

Aari Ghosal-Ali, Oliwia Maj-Dada, Mickey Biratsis, Amara Khur-Yearn, James Oruche, Samuel Fadia Francisco, Najdas Balnaitis, Amicet Upate, Nadia Demiter, Lucas Fadia Francisco, Cauan Purquerio and Esaias Fernandez.

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