

# **NEWSLETTER WEEK ENDING 17th NOVEMBER 2023**





This week we will have the scholastic book fair in school. The book fair will be open for you to come and buy books every evening after school from 3.15pm and at the Parents consultation evenings. It's a great way to engage your child into reading and to support school in being able to buy more books for class libraries. There is a wide range of reading texts for all ages and abilities.

### **Prayers for Gaza**

We continue to keep our prayers and thoughts for all the families suffering in Gaza at present. We have given our older children a platform to discuss their feelings and we support them to pray for all the families living in fear and war. Children have been writing prayers for our school prayer tree and we will continue to hope for Peace.



We will be holding a coffee morning this week on Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> November to wrap presents for the Christmas Shop!! Come along and enjoy a coffee and catch up whilst wrapping away!!

### **ATTENDANCE**

We appreciate that at this time of year there are many winter bugs occurring and children are not well enough to be in school, however the attendance of some classes falls well below 90%. This is a significant drop. Please help us to keep attendance figures up and avoid any unnecessary Panel meetings, letters, fines and costs. Thankyou

## Children in Need



On Friday the 17<sup>th</sup> November we will be supporting Children in Need by having a non-uniform day and asking for a contribution £1 per family. As part of the appeal we are asking for donations of baby wipes and nappies. Thankyou

### **Attendance**

Best attenders last week were RC 99%

Whole school attendance for the week was 93.3%.

Attendance for the year so far is at 94.3%

Please note absences will now be queried and proof of illness be required. Please help us improve attendance!

Class	% Attendance
RC	99.0%
6W	98.6%
RM	95.7%
3P	95.0%
5G	94.8%
1B	94.7%
4B	94.3%
2J	94.0%
3D	93.2%
2B	92.9%
1A	92.7%
4CM	91.3%
6S	86.9%
5M	86.1%

Please ensure your child comes to school every day. If your child is poorly, please remember to call school on <u>01274 545019 option 1</u>, to let us know the reason.

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

Tues 14<sup>th</sup> & Weds 15<sup>th</sup> November – Parents Evenings

Friday 17th November - Children in Need

**Friday 24**<sup>th</sup> **November** – Road Safety Team Assemblies and Y3 roadside crossing training.

Friday 24th November 9.00am - 6W Class Assembly

Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> & Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> December 2pm – KS1 Carol Concert

Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> December 3.15pm – Christmas Fair

<u>SAFEGUARDING NOTICE</u>: Please note if you have a concern with regards to a child please contact Ms Fernandez our Designated safeguarding lead or Mrs Smith Responsible Named Person on 01274 545019 or <u>office@hstb.co.uk</u>