



## IF WE BELIEVE, WE CAN ACHIEVE

COLLABORATION - CONNECTIVITY – INDEPENDENCE – INNOVATION – QUESTIONING – REFLECTION - RESILIENCE

Dear parents and carers,

There has been much excitement as play rehearsals get going and we hope you are enjoying the songs as much as we are! On Monday we had a visit from a road safety officer to deliver important messages about keeping ourselves safe on the roads.

Year 3 had a fabulous time at the cinema on Thursday watching 'The Rise of Gru' – they sat in comfort at the Everyman and enjoyed a well-deserved well-being moment!

Costume letters have been sent out. Please don't hesitate to contact us if you have any questions or you need help in any way.

We have organised clubs for next term which are listed below. We hope this will help with the Allsorts bookings which are also now available. Sign up forms for clubs will go out next week.

Tuesday Lunchtime: Harry Potter Reading club for KS2 with Miss Hill

Tuesday Lunchtime: Helicopter stories Adventurers and Year 1 Mrs Hampshire

Wednesday 3pm-4pm : Running Club Year 2 -Year 4 Mr Read

Wednesday 3pm – 4pm : Construction Club Years 3 and 4 Mrs Cox

Thursday 3pm – 4pm Home Learning (Invite only) All teachers on rotation



### Christmas jumper request

**If you have any children's Christmas jumpers that no longer fit your child please bring them in on Monday and we will put them out after school.**



### Christmas Hamper contributions!

Next Friday as well as wearing our Christmas jumpers for decoration day, it is also a non uniform day when children can bring a contribution towards our hamper raffle prizes. Please see a list of dates below (these are also on the dates section of the school website)

#### Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December

Explorers/Adventurers - Mince pies / chocolates/ sweets

Voyagers - Biscuits/ jams/ chutneys

Navigators/Pioneers – bottles / crisps/ savouries

#### Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December

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### Friday Fine Diners

Congratulations to our fine diners this week who dined with me this week. Winnie, Jack, Martha, Elsie, Jayden and Veya chose friends to join them as they were celebrated for their excellent attitudes this week.



### Shoeboxes sent on their way!



Thank you so  
much  
From the RRS  
Ambassadors

### A snapshot of learning for this week:

**Explorers** have been learning about robins and have been out and about looking for signs in our school grounds!



In **Adventurers** we have put our coordination and muscles to the test and we have learnt to safely use a hammer! The Adventurers have made their own geo board and are looking forward to playing with these next week, to get our fine motor skills working hard. Apologies to the rest of the school for our noisy classroom this week...! 🗡️

**Voyagers** have learnt about Venus, planned their newspaper articles to publish next week and taken part in a road safety workshop.

**Y3 Navigators and Pioneers** have had an exciting visit to the Everyman cinema and have been learning how habitats change due to the seasons and exploring our roles in the play through drama exercises and activities.

**Y4 Navigators and Pioneers** have been writing thank you letters to Leeson House, learning how habitats change due to the seasons and exploring our roles in the play through drama exercises and activities.

### A snapshot of learning for next week:

**Explorers** will be learning about stars .

**Next week the Adventurers** will be answering our question, who is Dick Whittington and having fun preparing for our exciting trip to the panto!

**Voyagers will be writing** newspaper articles and getting arty with planets!! Of course we also have the panto and decorations day as well!!

**Navigators and Pioneers will be** learning how to use a sliding mechanism in DT, exploring the human impact on habitats through deforestation and writing free verse poetry to describe the setting of our book 'Into the Forest'.

### Upcoming Dates

**Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> November** No pens day!

**Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> November** Whole School Visit to the Pantomime

**Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December** Whole School Decoration Day

Mufti (non-school uniform + optional Christmas jumper!) - Items for Christmas Hampers.

**Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> December** Singing at the Village Hall (12pm)

**Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> December** Christmas Bingo at the Village Hall **Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December** Film Night and hotdogs (P&F fundraiser)

**Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December** Mufti day – Bring a gift for the hampers

Film Night Year R – Year 4

**Monday 11th December** Nursery, Year R and Year 1 Nativity Production at the church 1:30pm and 6pm

**Wednesday 13th December** Christmas Lunch

Reading Ambassador Festive fundraiser for the Library (details to follow)

**Thursday 14th December** Years 2,3 and 4 production of 'The Wind in the Willows' 1:15pm and 6:30pm in the school hall

**Tuesday January 2nd/ Wednesday January 3rd** **INSET DAYS**

**Thursday 4th January** Back in School

Kind regards,



Mrs Rachael Musselwhite (Headteacher)