



EYFS Newsletter

Dear Parents/ Carers,

We would like to wish you a very Merry Christmas and all the very best for the New Year. Here's some information for the new term ahead.

Thank you for your continued support. I'm sure you'll agree that the children are really settled and well into the swing of school life!

Names on jumpers – please

Could we ask that you ensure your child's uniform is all named? We have had lots of items of uniform go missing and it is really difficult to get it back if there is no name on.

Outdoor play

Please could we have a pair of wellies that can be left in school for the children to wear when we are outside? Please make sure your child has a warm and suitable coat for outdoors too!

Snack Money

Snack Money will be due in for the new half term. This is **£4** and is due in by **Friday 10th January**. If it is not paid by this date, we will not be able to provide your child with a snack.

P4C-Reception

Thank you for encouraging your child to answer our question of the day. We can see an improvement in their vocabulary choices-keep it up! Here's one for the dinner table....

Would you rather drive Santa's sleigh or work in Santa's Toy Factory? Why?

Reading

Nursery

Our Nursery children will continue to take a story book home for you to share with them. We do ask that you read with your child at least **3x a week**. We ask book bags to be in school on a **Thursday** and a new book is given to your child on a Friday for the new week.

Reception

Reception children take home a school reading book and a story book for you to share with them at home. We expect the children to read at least **3x a week**. We ask that you record in your child's reading record diary when they have read as we keep a record in school. Please could you make sure that your child has their book bag in school **EVERY** day. Reading books are changed on a **Friday**.

"The more that you read, the more things you will know. The more that you learn, the more places you'll go". —Dr. Seuss

Many thanks to those of you who read with your child on a regular basis. It really does make a difference and we can see the progress in your child's learning.

PE

Reception have P.E. next half term on a **Tuesday** and Thursday afternoon. Please ensure your child has their P.E. kit in school for the start of the new term. Our P.E. kit consists of a plain white t-shirt, black shorts or black joggers/leggings and pumps or trainers. Please could you ensure that your child's name is on all items of their kit, we had quite a few issues with items of clothing going missing. We will send P.E. kits home at the end of a half term to be washed.

Nursery **DO NOT** need a PE Kit.