



NEWSLETTER

WELCOME

11th November 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,
There are quite a few important dates coming up; it is starting to get very busy as we head towards Christmas. We hope that you will be able to come to our Christmas concerts and productions.

We have been talking to the children about Remembrance today and held the two minute silence at 11am. Next week we will be thinking about kindness - being kind to ourselves, to others and to our environment. Our assembly on Monday will be focusing on how we have similarities, but how we are all unique.

Please remember that if any of our families need any help or support with anything we are here for you. You are always able to contact Mrs Carvalho our Pastoral Lead, myself or any of our school staff.

Have a happy and safe weekend. See you all on Monday.
Mrs Jackson

ODD SOCKS DAY!

It's Odd Socks Day at school on Monday 14th November. Children can wear odd socks to school with their school uniform (no donation needed).

CHILDREN IN NEED

On Friday 18th November, we will be supporting Children in Need. Children can wear their own clothes, something bright and colourful or something spotty for a donation of £1 for Children in Need.

WORLD CUP

On Monday 21st November England are playing their first football match of the World Cup against Iran. Children are allowed to come to school in the following:

- An England football kit
- Red, white and blue
- Any football kit of their choice
- Any sports clothes
- Any colours that represent the team they will be supporting in the World Cup.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

w/c 14th November: Kindness Week

- 14th November: Odd Socks Day
- 18th November: Children in Need - non uniform day - £1 donation for Children in Need
- 21st November: World Cup event
- 7th December: School Disco – bring party clothes to school
- 8th December: EYFS Nativity 9.30am (Peach)
- 9th December: EYFS Nativity 9.30am (Pear)
- 14th December: KS1 Nativity 9.30am (Y1)
- 15th December: KS1 Nativity 9.30am (Y2)
- 16th December - Pantomime trip Y2
- 19th December - flu vaccination mop up session
- 20th December - Carols at Church - KS2
- 21st December - Christmas Jumper Day, Christmas Lunch and End of Term on 1.30pm
- Thursday 5th January 2023: return to school

ATTENDANCE

We are aiming for 97% in each class.
Well done Oak class this week and to Palm, Pine and Willow for all being on time every day.

	w/c 4/11	
Lemon	98.4%	
Lime	95.5%	
Damson	92.6%	
Olive	90.3%	
Ash	95.7%	
Oak	99.0%	
Palm	94.7%	no lates
Pine	93.3%	no lates
Elder	97.4%	
Maple	94.8%	
Walnut	96.3%	
Willow	92.0%	no lates



SCHOOL DISCO

We will be holding a school disco on Wednesday 7th December. We are asking for a voluntary contribution of £2 per child. This will be available to pay on Arbor from 1st December.

- Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 will be able to enjoy the disco during the afternoon.
- Year 3, 4, 5 and 6 disco will be 3:10 until 4:30. Children in these year groups may bring clothes to school to change into at the end of the day. The teachers will then take their classes to the hall. At the end of the disco the teachers will take the children back to their classrooms to be collected by parents.
- Year 5 and 6 will be dismissed from the KS2 playground. Please let the class teacher know if your child is allowed to walk home alone as it is getting quite dark by this time.

CHRISTMAS LUNCH

On the last day of term, Wednesday 21st December, we will be having our Christmas dinner and children are welcome to wear a Christmas jumper or their own jumper on that day. A reminder that school will finish at 1:30pm on this day.

SCHOOL UNIFORM

A reminder about labelling school uniform please so we can return it to those who have misplaced it.

SAFEGUARDING

A reminder to check what your children are watching on their phones and tablets over half term. Also checking any messages they are sending as well as monitoring to who they are talking to if they are playing online games.

SALVATION ARMY HOMEWORK CLUB



CHRISTMAS PRODUCTIONS

Nursery will be singing some songs which will be recorded and put on Tapestry for the parents.

Reception will be performing their Christmas production on Thursday 8th December at 9:30am for Peach Class parents/carers and on Friday 9th December at 9.30am for Pear Class parents/carers.

The Key Stage 1 Productions will be held on Wednesday 14th December at 9:30am for Year 1 Lemon and Lime parents/carers and on Thursday 15th December at 9:30am for Year 2 Damson and Olive parents/carers.

The Key Stage 2 Carol Concert will be held at Christ Church on Tuesday 20th December at 9:30am parents are welcome to come along.

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We will no longer be using the Marvellous Me app.



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