



Dear Families

It's the last newsletter of 2023! I can't quite believe it, this year has flown by! It was fantastic being able to gather the children together for Christmas dinner in the marquee; it was a lovely atmosphere and the children really enjoyed themselves. They also loved their visit from Father Christmas today!





I hope that you have received the letters about the class Christmas presentation events; the live performances will take place as planned next week and you will receive a link for the recorded version before the end of term.

Just a reminder that term ends on Wednesday 20th December and the children return to school on Monday 8th January.

I hope, however you may spend the holiday, that you have a happy and peaceful Christmas and I look forward to welcoming everyone back in 2024!

Best wishes

Mrs Bray

School Rewards				
Teams	Emerald 	Ruby 	Sapphire 	Diamond 
Dojo points earned this week	1550	1597	1630	1716
Total Dojo points this year so far	16751	18220	17872	18944
Praise cards awarded this week	45			
Total praise cards awarded this academic year	342			

Congratulations! Well done for their effort and resilience

A reminder that each week a pupil is selected by the class teacher as a star learner, possibly a pupil who has demonstrated the Co-op values across the week in their learning and been a positive role model to the other pupils in the class.

	EYFS Stars	KS1 Stars	KS2 Stars	
	Nursery - Noar RB - Willow RH - Nikita RJ - Blakely RT - Daayo FS - Ayush	1L - Fabian 1M - Hadin 1S - Yussef 1SU - Ravneet 2AV - Kalin 2M - Elijah 2N - Kaiden 2P - Raya FS.S - Ariana FS.H - Riley	3D - Kevin 3J - Rinoa 3R - Favour L 3W - Selena 4C - David S 4M - Savannah 4P - Tautvilas 4W - Gina C FS2 - Isabella	5A - Bella 5B - Lena 5C - Esther 5Q - Dimitrios 6C - Tyler 6M - Andreea 6R - Klara 6S - Fatima

A Visit From Santa

Santa came to visit us today and the breakfast club marquee had been turned into a grotto! We would like to say thank you to the staff and particularly to our small group of PTA members who made it all possible.



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Dates for your diary



	Date	Year Group	Event
December	20.12.23	Whole school	End of Term
	21.12.23 – 05.01.24	Whole school	Christmas Holidays
January	08.01.24	Whole School	Back to school
	12.01.24	Year 5/6	Badminton competition
	19.01.24	Year 5/6	Sports Hall Athletics
February	02.02.24	KS2	Swimming Gala
	07.02.23	Reception x 2 classes	Chelmsford Museum Visit
	09.02.23	Reception x 2 classes	Chelmsford Museum Visit
	09.02.24	KS1	Sports Hall Athletics
	16.02.24	KS2	Archery Competition
	19.02.24 – 23.02.24	Whole School	Half Term
March	07.03.24	Whole School	World Book Day
	15.03.24	Whole School	Comic Relief
	15.03.24	Year 3/4	Tag Rugby
	22.03.24	Year 3/4	Sports Hall Athletics
	28.03.24	Whole School	End of Term
	29.03.24 – 12.04.24	Whole School	Easter Holidays



Attendance

Please note, when pupils are absent for 3 or more consecutive days without parent contact, we may complete a home welfare check. All pupils who are absent for 3 or more days may be required to provide medical evidence

This week the Attendance Awards have been awarded to:

KS1	1M	97.1%	Mrs McCallum
Lower KS2	3W	97.7%	Miss Walton
Upper KS2	6C	97.7%	Mrs Chadwick
Whole School attendance		94.3%	

Punctuality

It is very important that all children arrive on time. School doors open at 8.40am every morning. If your child arrives after 8.50am then they are late and they will not be able to come into school via the usual morning entrance doors but should instead come through the main school entrance. Your child will then need to sign in using our electronic signing in system. We will then be able to amend the registers and ensure your child is marked for a school dinner.

Please note that if your children arrive at school later than 9.30am, we are required to mark them as absent for that half day session.

If children are regularly late, a parent will be expected to attend a meeting to look at how punctuality can be improved.

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Sports Stars of the Week



Reception	Michelle I, Julia M, Charlie T, Emaan A
Year 1	Jamie J, General Male, Soloman E & Jayden A
Year 2	Emma G, Mike H, Leanne A & Eric C
Year 3	Bartlomiej M, Destiny S, Favour O & Jannatul F
Year 4	Harry A, Lily-May T, Aron S & Rehaan C
Year 5	David P, Khaleed S, Laura R & Bella B G
Year 6	Amalia D, Hope M, Josephine K & Andreea Din

Class Dojo Champions



These children have earned the most dojo points in their class this week

EYFS Champs	KS1 Champs	KS2 Champs	
Nursery – Albie and Adirah RB – Arthur and Flavia RH – Nesrin and Nikita RJ – Emaan and Karim RT – Riley and Bianka FS – Ayush	1L – Emran and Matilda 1M – Rebeca and Alfie 1S – Matei and Melania 1SU – Achim and Ravneet 2AV – Andrei and Antonia 2M – David I and Albee 2N – Alik and Akil 2P – Israel and Ela FS.S - James FS.H –Kelvis	3D – Hanna & Daniel 3J – Tazkiah and Mihai 3R – Dominic and ishaan 3W –Major and Christy 4C – Zofia and Ifraaz 4M – Gregory and Sofia 4P – Harry and Emily 4W – Maya and Abel FS2 – Isabella and Vladut	5A – Maxim and Jorgie 5B –Darius and Sienna 5C – Orion and Ikhlas 5Q – Faizah and Khalid 6C – David and Scarlett 6M – Iyin and Yusuf 6R – Maria and Leon 6S - Jazveer and Jeanie

Dinner Menu

Week 2

Week commencing - 6th Nov, 27th Nov, 18th Dec, 8th Jan, 29th Jan, 19th Feb, 11th Mar

Day	Meal 1	Meal 2	Meal 3	Meal 4	Meal 5
Monday	Quorn Hotpot	Meat Free Sausage Roll Herby Diced Potatoes	Jacket potato with a Choice of Filling	Sweetcorn	Frozen Yoghurt
Tuesday	Chilli Con Carne Rice	Vegetable & Bean Fajitas	Jacket Potato with a Choice of Filling	Fresh Broccoli	Cocoa Sponge & Cocoa Sauce
Wednesday	Roast Gammon with Roast Potatoes	Roast Quorn Fillet with Roast Potatoes	Jacket Potato with a Choice of Filling	Fresh Cauliflower	Fruit Jelly
Thursday	Cheese & Tomato Pizza with Potato Wedges	Tuna Pasta Bake	Jacket Potato with a choice of Filling	Green Beans	Oat Cookie
Friday	Salmon Fingers with Chips	Vegetable fingers with Chips	Jacket Potato with a Choice of Filling	Peas	Banana Sponge

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Maths Champions



Biggest improvement in accuracy:
Year 1

1 st	Jamie J
2 nd	Liamas Z
3 rd	Johnny V



Improvement in accuracy	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
Year 2	Hanna	Anabia	Liam
Year 3	Dominic	Aaliyah	Rihaan
Year 4	<u>Haniye</u>	Savannah	Daniyal
Year 5	David	Farida	Khadija
Year 6	Faith	Zain	Paula

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