

Newsletter: 17th January 2020

Achieving More Together as God's Children

Head Teacher's News:

Happy New Year and welcome back! We hope you had a restful break and are looking forward to the very busy term ahead.

Important information on Leave of Absence during school term time

Government Regulations state that Head Teachers are not allowed to grant any leave of absence during school term time unless there are exceptional circumstances. If you are considering a holiday in term time and feel the circumstances are exceptional, please speak to me before you book the holiday so I can explain the procedure. If you take leave of absence without the school's permission, and this absence amounts to 7 days or more, you could receive a fine.

School News:

Pupils from Year's 3, 4, 5 and 6 attended a Swimming Gala at Newton Aycliffe Leisure Centre on Friday. Full results will be forwarded to school but in every heat we took part in, we came 1st or 2nd!

They are all superstars! Amazing results!

We are so proud of you all!

Early Years:

The children in Nursery have been learning all about animals that hibernate. Hearing all the different stories and talking about all different kinds of animals and their Winter habitats.

Star of the Week - 10th January 2020

- Reception - Esmee
- Class 1 - Hanna
- Class 2 - Brian
- Class 3 - Darcie
- Class 4 - Airren
- Class 5 - Kain
- Class 6 - Hudson



Star of the Week - 17th January 2020

- Reception - Tilly
- Class 1 - Zach B
- Class 2 - Anya
- Class 3 - Jacob
- Class 4 - Ella
- Class 5 - Lexie
- Class 6 - Jack



Diary dates;

Mon 27th Jan - KS2 Sats Meeting for Yr 6

Mon 10th Feb - Healthy eating with Yr 1

School closes Friday 14th February 2020

Re Opens Monday 24th February 2020

Wed 4th March - Robin Hood Production

Fri 20th March - Yr 5 Curiosity Conference, London

School closes Friday 3rd April 2020

Re Opens Monday 20th April 2020

Mon 20th April - Baby chicks are delivered!

**Bank holiday Friday 8th May 2020 - School closed
VE Day - Celebration of the end of WWII**

School closes Friday 22nd May 2020

Re Opens Tuesday 2nd June 2020

**School closes Friday 17th July 2020
For the Summer Holidays**

Once a week, take a peak!

Head lice are extremely common. Please could you check your child's hair regularly and treat accordingly. Check out www.onceaweektakeapeek.co.uk for help and further advice.