





Friday 27th November 2020

Dear All,

Well the weeks are flying by and we are hurtling towards the Christmas period. It seems crazy to think there are only 3 weeks of term left! As part of our Christmas celebrations we will be creating a special film of the children performing festive poems or songs. This will be uploaded to our Youtube channel but will be unlisted to provide greater privacy. Over the next week we will be asking you to give permission for your child to appear in the video. Please make sure you return your slip as soon as possible so we can make arrangements.

On Wednesday we will reach the end of this period of national lockdown. From this date the wearing of face masks onsite will become optional again. However, this will only remain the case if we are able to maintain social distancing. There are now many cases of Covid-19 in the area surrounding our schools and it is important that we all stay safe for the Christmas period. Thank you for your ongoing support with this.

Have a lovely weekend!

Mrs L Watts - Executive Headteacher

This week in class...

<u>Pre-school:</u> Playing with and recognising shapes has featured quite heavily in preschool this week. The children have made some wonderful and imaginative structures. Some of our older children have also started to familiarise themselves with Numicon too. A maths tool that they will go on to use in Reception and beyond. There is also some good news on the horizon as preschool are hoping to reintroduce our weekly outdoor Learning session from next term - watch this space!

Acorn: In Acorn Class this week the children have had fun creating more stories. Using the shared story map they have been acting them out themselves. The latest one features a dinosaur park. We have also been learning about animals that we see in our community and classifying them. The new sounds for Reception are: x, y and z.

<u>Oak:</u> This week Oak class launched their air and water powered rockets. The furthest distance we managed was over 10 metres! We have also enjoyed Forest School and investigating the woods and designing our own anti-litter posters. In Maths the YR5s have been embedding their 4 operations knowledge and the YR6s have been learning about long division and we have been working hard as a class on our Times Tables facts.

Dates for your Diary

December 1st – Parents' consultations

December 3rd – Parents' consultations

December 10th – wear something glittery! & Christmas lunch

December 16th – virtual Sheringham pantomime

December 18th - end of term

Tuesday 5th January – back to school

Get your glitter on! This year we have decided to support the NSPCC by raising money as part of their 'Get your glitter on' event. On December 10th we would love children to wear something sparkly or glittery and to donate £1 to this worthy cause. This can be as much or as little glitter as you like from a full outfit to just some tinsel. This will also be the children's Christmas lunch and party day so they can embrace the festive spirit!

Don't forget that orders for Christmas lunch need to be in by Monday 30th November. The cost is £2.50 which needs to be paid in cash to the office. **Thank you!**







Attendance this week

Acorn = 98.0%

Oak = 97.1%

Well done Acorn!





KEEPING YOUR DISTANCE AT THE SCHOOL GATE WILL HELP PREVENT THE SPREAD OF CORONAVIRUS



Stay 2 metres away from other parents and carers at school drop off and pick up and follow the guidance given by your school

PROTECT OURSELVES. PROTECT OTHERS. PROTECT NORFOLK.







