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Newsletter

23rd November 2018



We have had a very successful Road Safety week. Our Junior Road Safety Officers did a fantastic job of leading our Assembly on Monday morning. All of the children took part in workshops led by Medway Safer Journeys Team. Well done all of you.



CATCH IT

Germs spread easily. Always carry tissues and use them to catch your cough or sneeze.



BIN IT

Germs can live for several hours on tissues. Dispose of your tissue as soon as possible.



KILL IT

Hands can transfer germs to every surface you touch. Clean your hands as soon as you can.



As winter approaches, it is important that we are reminded and updated on important health considerations for our children.

Children and staff in schools are particularly susceptible to infections which increase over the winter months, such as seasonal flu and stomach infections. These can be very infectious and cause outbreaks in schools due to the close contact amongst children and staff. The spread of these illnesses can be limited by following our prevention practices within school.

All children are encouraged to wash their hands with soap and water and antibacterial gels are available within all of the classrooms and throughout the school (although these do not replace effective handwashing).

The children in Years R to 5 will receive their Flu Vaccination on Tuesday 27th November. All families received correspondence to register for the intranasal flu vaccination.

Friday Assemblies

The children in the Infants celebrated their lovely learning during our assembly this morning. We are very proud of all of our children and enjoy listening to them share their work confidently. I am sure you will also agree that it is appreciated when the teachers share their reasons for choosing the children to be in the Book of Excellence.

Therefore, I am asking all parents and carers to keep noise to a minimum during the assembly and if necessary take any young children out to avoid disturbing the children who are being celebrated.

If you need to leave early; please do so without disturbing the children who are there to celebrate their learning and achievements.

Thank you for your support with this matter.



Well done to our Badminton Team who played against other Medway Schools yesterday.

They played extremely well; winning 5 out of 8 matches and finishing 7th out of 19 schools!

We are extremely proud of you all.

Thank you to Miss Wood and Mr Fiveash who supported the children.

Year R	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
93.67%	94.14%	93%	97%	99.31%	94.83%	94.83%

Birthdays

Mason age 7
Mia age 7
Calvin age 11
Daniel age 8
Luke age 10
Daisy age 11



The following children are in the 'Book of Excellence' today.

Year R Liliana and Joseph
Year 1 Yinka and Eilis
Year 2 Daisy and Michael
Year 3 Gracie and Theo
Year 4 Harvey and Olivia
Year 5 Lily and Max
Year 6 Henry and Ted

Lunchtime Supervisors Award

Year R Poppy
Year 1 Olivia
Year 2 Bethany
Year 3 Caitlin
Year 4 Finley
Year 5 Luke
Year 6 Amelia

Mathlete of the Week

Year R Maria
Year 1 Abbie
Year 2 Luke
Year 3 Alicia
Year 4 Olivia
Year 5 Daniel
Year 6 Katie

Mathletics

Dates for your diary

27th November Flu vaccinations for Years R–5
28th November New Intake morning
30th November Junior sharing assembly
7th December Infant sharing assembly
5th and 6th December Year 1 and 2 Nativity for parents and carers 2pm
11th December Year R Nativity for parents/carers
12th December—whole school trip to the Pantomime
13th December School Christmas Dinner—order forms available.
13th December—Infant Christmas Party afternoon
14th December Christmas Jumper Day for Save the Children
14th December Junior sharing assembly
14th December Junior Christmas Party afternoon
19th December Last day of Term Carol Service 1.30pm
School closes straight after - no After School Evening
Owls
Thursday 3rd January 2019 First Day of Term 3
Wednesday 9th January New Intake afternoon 2pm
Friday 1st February Year 2 assembly
Tuesday 5th February Safer Internet Day
Friday 15th February Last day of Term 3
Week beginning 18th February—Half Term Week
Monday 25th February INSET day—children not in school

Pantomime



If you would your child to attend the Pantomime trip on

Wednesday 12th December please complete the Parent mail procedures sent to families previously.

Thank you

Buster Book Club Winners

Well done Year 3

