

Dates for your diary

29th January - Portals in the past WW1 workshop - Year 6.

19th-23rd Feb HALF TERM

- 27th February Year 3-6 Author workshop
- 27th February parents evening 3:30-6:30
- 29th February Parents evening 3:30-6:30
- 4th 8th March World Book Week
- 8th March Dress up for World Book Day

12th January 2024 Edition 5





Dear GCA parents and carers,

Welcome back and Happy New Year to all our families.

As we start the new term we have been revisiting expectations with the children and would like to share those messages with you.

- 1. Punctuality and attendance- being in school on time every day is vital.
- 2.Uniform We expect children to be dressed in the correct uniform with the only jewellery being one small pair of studs.
- 3.Behaviour We should all be following the GCA way Be ready, Be respectful, Be safe.

Your support with this is vital and very appreciated.

<u>Class Dojo</u>

We are very excited to launch Class Dojo as our new platform for communication with parents. You will receive a separate email giving you all the details you need to access this.

Have a wonderful weekend.

Mrs Ruck Headteacher



<u>Thursday 18th January</u> Herts Catering are running a promotion and we would like to encourage all **Reception**, **Year 1 and 2** children to try a lunch. They can still bring in their packed lunch if they don't enjoy their chosen hot dinner. The choices will be:

Lunch Promotion

Cheese and Tomato Pizza or Quorn hot dog with oven chips, sweetcorn and baked beans. Dessert - chocolate sponge with chocolate custard

There will be no yellow or blue options on this day.

The menu for Friday will change to Beef Burger in a bun which replaces battered fish fillet. The rest of the menu remains the same - Cheese and Tomato Pizza, Jacket potato or Egg roll.

<u>Attendance</u>

It is great to see such a huge improvement in attendance this week - well done and keep this up.



This weeks attendance

Whole school - 93.53%

Year 1 - 98.94%

Year 2 - 93.04%

Year 3 - 95.24%

Year 4 - 96.22%

Year 5 - 88.83%

Year 6 - 87.65%

Attendance matters

