

27<sup>th</sup> January 2023

Dear Parents and Carers

This week in school...

KS1 loved their visit from Pet Encounter yesterday, they got the opportunity to see and explore some of the animals we might find in the wild!



Lakes 5 and 6 had a shared Chinese New Year themed afternoon. Activities included making marks and tracking the falling red rice to reveal Chinese lettering, painting our own fans, roaring like dragons using the mic, eating prawn crackers (a huge hit!), developing our fine motor skills with chopsticks and hopping onto the trampoline like rabbits.





Amazing progress by Jayden - he is now sat on a standard chair in lessons and has eaten his lunch on a chair at the table for the first time at school with all his peers! Smiles are amazing!

### Industrial Action

School will be closed on Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> February due to Industrial Action.

### Diary Date

On Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> February, Mayfield will be having a "Number Day" to raise money for the NSPCC!

Children and staff are encouraged to come to school representing numbers. This could be through wearing an item of clothing with a number on it, dressing up as a dice or a domino, making yourself into a number superhero...the more creative the better! We are asking for a voluntary donation of £1.

Classes will be taking part in a number bingo-hunt around school and lots of other fun Maths based activities throughout the day.

Yours sincerely

Sam and the team

