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Message from Mrs Peart

What a fantastic first half term we have had! I can't believe how quickly these first few weeks have gone. We are so proud of how the children have settled into their new classes and routines and how positively they are approaching their learning. We hope this continues this half term.

We have lots of important learning and special events happening this half term so please take a good look through the information below and the key dates!

Upcoming diary dates

Wednesday 8th November – NHS Coffee Morning

Monday 13th November – Odd Socks Day (anti-bullying week)

Tuesday 14th November – Parents Evening (not Bluebell Class)

Wednesday 15th November – Parents Evening (Bluebell Class only)

Thursday 16th November – Parents Evening

Friday 17th November – Children in Need – Fancy Dress Friday!

Monday 20th November – Year 1 Family Learning session (further details will be sent out soon)

Stay & Play dates

We have now shared the dates for our stay and play sessions for this half term. All classes will have two visits over the half term to allow you to visit their classroom and find out about what they have been learning. We hope you find these visits useful.

Parents Evening - November

A letter with information has been emailed to all parents regarding our upcoming parents evening sessions in November. The letter advises you that the online system we use to book slots for parents evening will go live on Friday 3rd November at 5pm. You will receive an email with a link to book a slot. Please note that this will go to the parent we have as the first contact.

We expect all parents to attend these sessions so please ensure you book as soon as possible to get a slot that works for you.

PTA Meeting

Our PTA are meeting again on Wednesday 1st November to finalise plans for our upcoming Pyjama Party disco on Thursday 16th November. Please do come along if you would like to offer suggestions or ideas or offer to help get things ready for the disco. Thank you.

NHS Coffee Morning

We will be starting up our NHS Coffee Mornings again on Wednesday 8th November. These were excellent sessions last year, where our School Nurses came along and supported parents with questions or particular concerns they may have about their child's health. It is also a good opportunity to mix with other parents and make friends. The meetings are held in the Junior School Hall from 9am. All are welcome!

Rags 2 Riches fundraising

Our wonderful PTA have organised a special event in November to raise vital funds for school. The Rags 2 Riches scheme allows schools to collect unwanted clothing from their community and they pay an amount per kilo for everything that is donated. Please read through the letter and leaflet on the app and help us out if you can!

School Lunches - Parent Pay

Thank you to everyone for getting set up on the Parent Pay system to order school lunches. We just wanted to remind you that a school lunch must be ordered before 8am each day. It is much better if you can order at least a week in advance as this allows our cook to order the right amount of food she needs each week.

Google Classroom

We still have a small amount of children who are not yet logged on to their Google Classroom account and are therefore missing key messages from their class each week. Please get in touch if you have not yet done this so we can get you set up.

We love to hear about the children's learning and adventures at home – please share these with the class. The children have a set Google Class News session one morning each week where they look through everyone's photographs and news. This is a lovely way for the children to get to know their new friends and the things they get up to outside of school. We can't wait to read about your news!

Poppy Appeal

We will be selling Remembrance merchandise in the school playground every morning over the next two weeks in preparation for Remembrance Sunday on 12th November. There is a range of items available for a donation.

Children in Need

Our next fundraising event will happen on Friday 17th November for Children in Need. This is a national charity that we raise funds for every year. This year, children can come to school in any fancy dress or normal clothes they want to wear. We have a rail of pre-loved fancy dress that we will put out on Fridays from this week. Please hand in any fancy dress you can donate for this.