

NEWSLETTER



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Our first newsletter of 2020, it seems a bit odd to say Happy New Year but if I haven't yet spoken to you.....Happy New Year! 2020, a New Year, a new decade and a fresh start. We hope to see you lots over the up and coming events.

Mrs Robinson

Today we will say 'see you later' (not good bye!) to Mrs Robinson as she leaves us today to start a new adventure. We wish her all the best as she prepares to welcome the newest member of Team Robinson into the world.

Mrs Marsden

Due to a change in family circumstances, sadly Mrs Marsden has decided to take early retirement. Mrs Marsden will be missed, but we know she will enjoy time spent with her family.

Reading Challenge

We have received some amazing entries over the last few weeks for our Reading Challenge. Children have been asked to create a scene from their favorite book in any way they want. We have seen Lego models, play dough creations, pieces of artwork as well as crafted creations. Don't forget, each entry will receive 5 house points with the winner earning a £10 WHSmith voucher! You have until Friday 24th January to get your entry in.

Parent's Forum

A letter will be coming home with information about a Parent's Forum shortly. This is an opportunity for you to have a chat about our school with one of our governors. There will be 2 sessions; 1 straight after school, where supervision for Edenham Pupils will be available, as well as 2nd with a later start time where we kindly ask that only adults attend.

The School Library

We have been busy discussing plans for our new library with our children. They have given some fantastic ideas about what they would like it to include, and some of the books that they would like to read. We are looking forward to getting this project completed and sharing it with you.

Fish Keeping

We were lucky enough to be one of the schools selected to take part in the 'Fish keeper Fry' project this year. We now have our aquarium set up, and for the next 8 weeks there will be a new addition arriving. The children will learn how to care for fish and why certain steps are necessary. Certain year groups will be bringing home tasks in relation to this at various points, each week these completed tasks will be sent back to the organisers in an attempt to win Fish Keepers of the week!

Toys

A growing number of toys are being brought into school. Just a gentle reminder that these should be left at home, as it can cause a great amount of upset if they become lost or broken.

Pupils' Voice

Each week some of our pupils will add to our newsletter, letting you know what they have been up to. To start off with, here is Class 4:

This week we have been writing non-chronological reports all about Anglo-Saxons. We started of researching this period in time, then we planned and wrote our first draft. Finally we wrote out final copies organising it like a real non-chronological report. They look really cool! We have had great fun exploring new texts and we are all trying really hard to choose different books to read rather than our normal choices. Some of the books we are reading at the moment are: Northern Lights, What not to do if you turn invisible, The boy in the striped pajamas, Letters from the lighthouse and Little Woman. P.E has been great, we have been perfecting our skills and even got to play our favourite game at the end, with balls flying everywhere!

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Madagascar Fundraising

Father Gaston would like to 'Thank' Edenham School for raising money which bought a box of toys for the children of the Anglican School in Madagascar.



Important Events

21st January 2020 – Young Voices – Birmingham

30th Jan – Class 3 – Fitzwilliam Cambridge Trip