

NEWSLETTER



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I am very glad to say, the frosts seem to have cleared and the mornings and evenings are becoming lighter. Especially with the mornings becoming a little more pleasant, please don't forget myself and Mrs Haddow are on the gate every morning and are more than happy to help you in any way we can. If you do have any queries, please let us know and we can make sure they get resolved as quickly as possible.

150 years!

This year is the school's 150th Birthday! There will be various plans being shared with you all to celebrate this. In the meantime, if you (or you know of anyone who may) have any old photos or mementos of the school's history, we would love to see these and use them as part of our celebrations.

Virtual Visits

It has been great for some of the children to enjoy virtual visitors again this term. We have had visits from STEM ambassadors talking about sustainability and Sarah Ann Jukes the author of the award-winning book 'The Night Animals'. It is always fantastic to hear first-hand about other people's experiences, jobs and to be inspired by what we hear from them.

Parents' Evening

Parents Evenings will be held on Tuesday 28th February and Thursday 2nd March. Further information on this will be sent out next week.

Maths

Mental Maths often forms the foundation of other areas we work on. Our Key Instant Recall Facts are something we regularly cover in class and are a fantastic way to support your child. At the start of the year, we sent home relevant facts for your child to learn, and they can also be found on the curriculum area of the website. If you would like a hard copy, please let us know and we will get this to you.

Attendance

We continue to try our best to ensure our children's attendance remains high so we can develop good habits for the future and give our children the best chance of being successful and enjoying their education. At the end of this term, all pupils will be bringing home an attendance report. We understand there can be very valid reasons for non-attendance, but I am sure you understand it is part of our role to work closely with families to ensure attendance remains high. If there are any issues with your child's attendance and you would like to speak to us about, please don't hesitate to contact us.