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Friday 31st January 2025

Dear Parents/carers,

What an amazing week in school this week, rounded off with the most amazing TT Rockstars Day! Thank you all so much for the effort made with costumes. A brilliant day was had by everyone!

TT Rockstars Day:

Every child in school should now have their TT Rockstars login, if they don't, please speak to your child's class teacher. Children in FS2 and Y1 will use their logins to access 'NumBots' before progressing on to TT Rockstars. If you need assistance with anything TT Rockstar related, then do not hesitate to ask your child's class teacher.



Packed Lunches:

After February half term we will be reviewing our packed lunch policy and how we can ensure that packed lunches coming into school are as healthy as possible. It has been noted by staff working in the dinner hall that we are seeing an increasing number of biscuits and sweets in packed lunches. Can I also remind you that we are a nut free school as we have several children in school with allergies.

School Milk:

If you have not yet placed this term's school milk order there is still time to do so by visiting www.coolmilk.com, logging into your online account and selecting 'make a payment'. If you have not yet registered your child but wish to do so, please visit www.coolmilk.com/register. For any questions, please contact Cool Milk directly at www.coolmilk.com/contact



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Class Dojo:

On Monday you will receive a log in for your child's class dojo account. Please register as soon as possible as this will be replacing X, formally Twitter, as our communication platform.

Class Dojo is a classroom and school communication tool that teachers, pupils and families use to build close-knit communities by sharing what is being learned in the classroom to home through photos, videos and messages.

If your child currently does not have social media permission but you are happy for them to be featured on Class Dojo then please let Mrs Murgatroyd in the office know.

Blue Bike:

We took a call last week informing us of a blue bike that had been left in the driveway of school. This bike is in school, but no one has come forward to enquire about this. If this bike belongs to your child, then please contact the school office.

Bun Week:

We will be hosting a bun week to raise funds for school week beginning 10th February. We will sell buns throughout the week for 50p per bun. Donations will be welcome from late next week. Thank you for your support!

Easter Disco:

Look out for more further information coming out about an Easter disco!

St. Mary's Got Talent:

In the summer term we will be hosting 'St Mary's Got Talent!' Get practicing those hidden talents and skills and we can't wait to see what fabulous acts our children will put on. More information to follow!

Dates for the diary:

Tuesday 4th February - Y4 multiplication check meeting. Y4 parents, Y4 classroom.

Friday 14th February - INSET day. Please note that school is closed to pupils on this day.



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Weekly Attendance:

Class:	Percentage:
FS2	98.57%
Year 1	95.47%
Year 2	97%
Year 3	96.54%
Year 4	94.97%
Year 5	97.42%
Year 6	93.71%

Thank you for your continued support, we look forward to continuing to work with you as the year progresses.

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