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A Note from Mrs Jameson

This half term we are looking at a new Christian Value in our school—Courage. Being courageous can mean different things to different people and we will be exploring this through our Worship and linking it to our experiences in and out of school. Please chat to your child about this at home. We have sent a Home School Value sheet home to help with this.



You should all have received information about what your child will be learning in school this term. Keeping you informed about what your child is doing is of great benefit to your children so that you can support them at home. If you need any clarification on anything or help with how you can support at home, please ask.

Letters were also sent out regarding parent Consultation Evening last week. Please ensure your slip is returned to school so that we can allocate you an appointment. These evenings are really important and as a school we value your attendance at these. As always, please don't wait until these evenings to speak to your child's class teacher if you have a question or a concern regarding your child. Similarly, if you would like to provide us with some positive feedback about your child's learning and progress, please do. It's always lovely to hear that a child has been working particularly hard at home to practise their spellings or times tables or to know if you have noticed improvements in a particular area.

School Uniform



Just a polite reminder to ensure that your child is wearing school uniform and they are looking smart. Leggings are not school uniform and tights should be grey, red or black. We also require shoes to be black. If your child looks smart it helps them to take a pride in themselves and all that they do. Thank you.

Illness

If your child has been sick or had diarrhoea then they should not be coming back in to school until 48 hours after the last incident. This is our school policy which follows the guidelines laid down by the NHS and the Local Authority. Please can we ask, even if your child seems as bright as a button, that you apply the '48 hour rule'. This will help reduce the spread of infection and reduce the risk of your child getting it again. Thank you.

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Dates For Diaries

Wednesday 24th January	Class 2 Cricket Festival at Drifffield Sports Centre pm
Thursday 8th February	Parent Consultation Evening
Friday 9th February	School closes for Half term
Monday 19th February	School opens
Thursday 22nd February	Class 4 Playmaker Award pm
Thursday 1st March	World Book Day
Tuesday 6th March	Class photographs
Thursday 8th March	Class 4 Playmaker Award pm
Monday 12th March	Book Fair
Thursday 15th March	Class 4 Playmaker Award pm
Monday 19th March	Easter activity week Dates to be confirmed.
Friday 23rd March	School closes for Easter
Monday 9th April	School opens.

Dinner Money



Please could we ask that dinner money is paid promptly. We have a lot of money outstanding at the moment. Thank you.

Choir



Mrs Owen has started a choir in school for Year 5 and 6 pupils. It takes place on a Friday lunchtime. Please feel free to come a long and give it a try. We are looking forward to their first performance.

All Stars Cricket

Just a reminder that CLASS 2 will be taking part in an All Stars Cricket Festival at Drifffield Sports Centre on Wednesday afternoon. They will need to have their PE kits in school and a packed lunch if you have not ordered one via school. We hope they have a wonderful time working with children from other schools. It's a great opportunity.

