Cleobury Mortimer Primary







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Friday 10th November, 2023

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In School this week:

I hope you all enjoyed the half term and that your children have returned to school refreshed and ready for the exciting weeks

It was wonderful to see so many of you at Parents' Evening before the holiday, and I hope you found the opportunity to talk to the class teachers useful. Parents Evening is an opportunity to celebrate and share all of your child's strengths and achievements, as well as being the time to discuss how home and school can work together to support your child and help them to achieve their potential. Please remember that you do not need to wait for Parents' Evening to come and see your child's teacher as our doors are always open. If you need to talk to us at any other point in the year, please contact the school office who will arrange an appointment for you at a mutually convenient time.

Class Trips

Both Year 2 and Year 4 have been out of school this week on trips to enhance their classroom learning. Cub and Hedgehog class visited Blists Hill Victorian Town to learn about different aspects of local history whilst Hare class enjoyed their day at The Black Country Living Museum to experience what the life of a child was like in 1911. Pictures from the Year 2 trip can be found on the back of The Flyer.

National Breakfast Programme

This week has seen the launch of our whole school breakfast provision. We have qualified to be part of the National Breakfast Programme and this means that we can provide breakfast bagels to all pupils who would like to have one. We are hoping that this initiative will enable all pupils to be ready to learn at the start of the day, whilst also supporting any families in our local community who might be struggling with the cost of living crisis. Mrs Mountjoy sent a letter via Arbor regarding the Breakfast Programme. The letter set out the allergen information for parents, as well as a form to return if you do NOT wish your child to eat the bagel. Please note that the children do not have to have a bagel, but they are provided for anyone who would like one.

Remembrance Day Parade

On Sunday 12th November, members of the school community will join other local groups in the Remembrance Day Parade. I would like to take this opportunity to thank both Mrs Hector and Mr Simpson for representing us at this event.

Christmas Events and Dates

We now have a confirmed date for the KS2 Christmas concert to be held at the church. The concert will take place on the 18th December in the afternoon. I would also like to clarify that we are putting on two performance for both the KS1 and EYFS Christmas show. This is to ensure we have adequate capacity for parents in the school hall for those who would like to attend. We hope to see you there!

Mrs Desborough

Dates for your Diary:

9th November-Y2 Trip 'Blists Hill'

10th November—Y4 Trip Black Country Living Museum

13th November—'Snap Trap' theatre at Lacon for Y5 and 6

13th November—Dental Nurse Talk for Fox and Duckling Class

16th November—Visit from Julian Dean MP for Parliament Week

17th November - Aperture Portraits in school

20th November—Author Visit (in school)

21st November—Rabbit Class Trip to Shropshire Hills Discovery Centre

22nd November - Badger class visit to St Mary's Church

30th November—Severn Trent Water Assembly

1st December - Christmas Fayre - Friends of CMPS - times TBC

6th December - Fox class - Santa's Workshop sporting games (Ludlow)

7th December—Christmas Jumper Day

13th December - Christmas Lunch

14th December - EYFS Christmas Performance at 9:30am

14th December - KS1 Christmas Performance at 2pm

15th December - KS1 Christmas Performance at 9:30am

15th December - EYFS Christmas Performance at 2pm

18th December—KS2 Christmas Concert at St Mary's Church

20th December - Owl class trip - Aladdin Performance at The Regal

20th December - Class parties and Christmas disco

20th December - KS2 classes - disco at 2:15-3pm in school hall

Christmas Holiday - 21st December - 3rd January

4th January—Children back in school



STARS OF THE WEEK

Ducklings: Sofiia Fox: Arthur T and Harrison Badger: William and Rosie

Cubs: Alicia and Raegan

Hedgehog: Bodhi and Jasmine

Rabbit: Ivvy and Ayla

Hare: Elodie and Connor Kestrel: Priya G and Toby

Mole: Elsie and Mason

Owl: Lucas

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Pictures from the Year 2 Trip to Blists Hill









Useful Support for Families in the Local Area

Shropshire Parenting Team- https://shropshire.gov.uk/the-send-local-offer/early-help/the-parenting-team/ Call the helpline: 01743 250950 Tuesdays and Thursdays 9am to 12.30pm.
Cleobury Mortimer Food bank, Market Hall - 07519 885943



Shropshire Larder: an online resource of local support agencies including housing, bills, budgeting & food https://www.shropshirelarder.org.uk/



 https://capuk.org/ - money and debt advice, tel: 0800 3280006



Shropshire Domestic Abuse Service tel: 0300 303 1191



Cleobury Community Hub, supporting young people, tel:07828116810



Shropshire Early Help contact: 0345 678 9021