

NEWSLETTER

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2nd December 2022

Headteacher Comment

Today we enjoyed our Santa vs Elf activity day in preparation for the festivities ahead. Thank you to all our families for your kind donations towards the Christmas Fair. The Christmas Fair will be held on Thursday 15th December at 3.15pm and everyone is welcome to join us. There are lots of other activities on the horizon as we approach the festive season. All of our Christmas performances are being held in the last week of term. Early Years will perform their nativity play. Key Stage 1 will be holding a Christmas assembly and Key Stage 2 children will be holding a carol concert. On Tuesday 13th December the children will also get the chance to watch a pantomime in school and we will be wearing our Christmas jumpers on Friday 9th December when the children are having their turkey dinner.

In the meantime, our focus will remain on learning. We have completed assessment week to see how much progress the children have made in the autumn term. These results will now be analysed to plan lessons in the spring term and identify any gaps in learning. Parents can expect a report by the end of term which will highlight your child's achievements and areas for future development.



Anita Edwards Executive Headteacher



Katy Higginson Head Of Schools

Merit Awards				
Class	Academic	Value	Golden	
NAM	Isabella Cassel	Clara Christie	Isla Rose Heywood	
REC	Aileen Barrett	Frankie Jackson	Millie-Mae Hancock	
RKK	Reggie Sullivan	Alfie Bright	Ruby Shipton	
1EN	Sadie Morrell	Holly McColgan	Isabelle Cullen	
1KT	Imogen Mai Herbert	Lydia Rose Ball	Rohan Abdullah	
2GJ	Leo Lawrenson	Hayley Cowie	Jaxon Duncan	
2HW	Lucy Steed	Donovan Doherty	William Scutt	
3 SI	Wesley Lee	Liam Fearnley	Lola Farnell	
3CT	Violet Hobson	Brody Collings	Isabelle Green	
4CW	Ghazal Bayaseh	Richie Lee Burgess	Willow Atkinson	
5SJ	Rebecca Massey	George Berry	Leighton Webster	
5AF	Zach Keevney	Lola Taylor Perkins	Keenan Lomas	
6CB	Maleko Pantry Gordon	Lawson Oldham	Roman McDonald	
6LP	Oliver Morritt	Thomas Dunn	Amelia Clews	

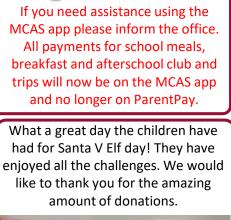
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5SJ took part in a virtual author event on Monday. We listened to Tim Herbert, the editor of National Geographic Kids. He gave us some tips on how to write nonfiction pieces of writing. We asked lots of questions and found it very interesting! His favourite animal was a cheetah. At National Geographic they get to travel around the world and learn about different animals so they can inform the readers!









Christmas Jumper Day & Christmas Dinner Day Friday 9th December



Attendance Week Ending 2.12.2022			
R	92.6%		
Year 1	88.3%		
Year 2	92.2%		
Year 3	96.0%		
Year 4	93.5%		
Year 5	86.1%		
Year 6	85.4%		
Whole School (weekly)	90.5%		
Whole School (Sept to date)	90.8%		
Target 97%			

ATTENDANCE WINNERS

KS2 WINNERS – 3CT KS2 RUNNERS UP - 3SI, 5AF, 6CB & 4CW KS1 WINNERS – 2HW & 1KT

KS1 RUNNERS UP - 1EN & 2GJ

EYFS WINNERS - NAM

EYFS RUNNERS UP - REC



Message from: Parent Council Santa tickets will be available to buy on Monday 5th December before and after school at the front gate, they are £1.50 per ticket. Santa will be in his grotto at the school Christmas fair on 15th December. There are limited tickets available, please have the correct change if possible.

The Nativity

On Monday 12th December at 9.30am in the auditorium, the Nursery and Reception children will be performing The Nativity. Please come and join us

for some festive fun.

Dates for your diary

Thursday 8th December – Y1 Trip Norton Priory Friday 9th December – Christmas Jumper Day & Christmas Dinner Day Monday 12th December – EYFS Nativity Tuesday 13th December – Christmas Pantomime Whole School (Sleeping Beauty) Wednesday 14th December – KS1 Performance 9:15am/2:30pm Thursday 15th December – Christmas Fair 3:15pm – 4:45pm Friday 16th December – KS2 Carol Concert 9.30am Friday 16th December FINISH AT 1:30PM

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