



## Newsletter 4th February 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

Over this week children across school have been working hard on one of our key curriculum drivers, 'Be creative' Children have produced some wonderful art and design technology work using a range of materials. Please take a look on Twitter to see what the classes have been learning this week.

### **Enterprise Days**

Over the past couple of weeks our children in Years 2 and 5 have been part of the Primary Schools Enterprise Challenge. During this day children all worked together in small teams to design a new product based around Crazy Soap. They showed brilliant resilience and creativity and the judging panel had such a tricky task! We cannot wait for the finals day at the Metrodome in June where our winning teams will represent the school. Well done to both classes and special thank you's to Paul at Enterprise and our judges for their time too.

### **School Council**

On Wednesday school council went out litter picking with volunteers from the Worsborough Alliance board. Children did an incredible job of tidying up our local area and filled ten bags of rubbish. Well done to all.

### **Parent Pay**

There are a number of events where payments are required please:

The Year 4 Trip to Delitalia

The Year 3 Trip to York Chocolate Factory

The Punctuation Show

Please can you ensure that payments are made in order for these events to be able to go ahead. Thank you.

### **Headlice**

Could we please ask all parents and carers check their children's hair as we have had quite a lot of cases identified this week.

Chemical treatments can be bought from the pharmacy or an alternative is to use conditioner and a comb to comb through the hair every 2 days. You need to do this for a 2-week period as 1 chemical treatment does not always clear all the lice and nits. The same for the conditioner and comb method as eggs can be missed and hatch to start a new infestation.

### **Illness reminder**

Just a reminder that if your child is off school with either diarrhoea or sickness, they have to remain off school for 24 hours after the last symptoms. This has been changed from 48 hours to 24 hours so long as they do not have any other symptoms like tummy ache, still feeling sick or generally unwell from the sickness or diarrhoea. Thank you.

### **School crossing patrol**

Unfortunately, on Friday 11<sup>th</sup> February at 3.30pm we will not have Mrs Dawson on the school crossing patrol. Am as normal. If you usually use this, please find a safe alternative.

### **New System KS2**

This week we have worked on the new start and end to the school day for KS2. We are so pleased to hear the positive feedback as we return to some 'norm' again. Thank you for your support as we adjusted to this new routine at the start of the week.

### **Weekly Attendance**

This week we have had a large number of children arriving late, please can we ask that children arrive to school on time to ensure no lost learning at the start of the day. Gates continue to be open at 8:45 for a 8:55 start.

Am Nursery	90.1
Pm Nursery	95.4
Reception	95.6
Year 1	95.4
Year 2	95.6
Year 3	93.1
Year 4	90.8
Year 5	94.4
Year 6	92.4

A reminder that next Friday, 11th February it is non uniform day to celebrate Children's Mental Health week, with the theme being 'Dress to Express'. The £1 contributions will support with resources for our PHSE curriculum in school.

Wishing you all a wonderful weekend.

Kind regards,

Mrs Chambers

Headteacher.