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This term's school value is respect

Celebrations

Well done to the following children for their certificates this week: Reading: Charlie, Phoebe, Scarlet, Toby, Verity & Jensen Dojos: Riley, Oliver, Theo, Kayden Miri, Elena, Jolene & Georgio Achievement: All of Dormice class, Brody, Lucy, Lexi, Lucas, Freya, Charlie & Niamh

Pro-Stars of the week: Millie & Amelia

What a lot of different events and activities that have gone on this week. We've had trips to the pantomime, play performances, Christmas jumper days, parties, a visit from Harold the giraffe and we're not even at the holidays yet! There's still lots planned for next week, keep following the APP and the website for up to date information. A special thank you to Mrs A Davis and Mrs Matthews for their help in arranging and donating to the Little Dormice Christmas party—the food was delicious!

<u>Christmas raffle</u>

Thank you so much for your kind donations of raffle prizes. If you have anything else you are able to donate we would be very grateful. Children will all be given a Christmas dinner on the 14th December free of charge.





Term Dates:

Term 2

31st Oct to 16th Dec

Term 3

3rd Jan to 17th Feb

Term 4

27th Feb to 31st March

Term 5

17th April to 26th May

Term 6

5th June to 25th July

Inset Days:

3rd Jan

24th and 25th July

Music Assembly

Children in Woodpecker class will be performing their trumpet skills to parents on Friday 9th December at 2.15pm. We will be sharing our new found skills and musical expertise!

Parents are welcome to join



100 Club

For all children wishing to take part in our school's fundraising 100 Club **payment is now due please £3.50.** A weekly number will be drawn out with the winner receiving £5.00.

CONGRATULATIONS to Ella who is this week's winner!













West Gloucestershire

Scarlet fever and Invasive Group A Strep advice

Scarlet fever is a contagious infection that mostly affects young children. It's easily treated with antibiotics. The first signs of scarlet fever can be flu-like symptoms, including a high temperature, a sore throat and swollen neck glands (a large lump on the side of the neck).

A rash appears 12 to 48 hours later. It looks like small, raised bumps and starts on the chest and tummy, then spreads. The rash makes skin feel rough, like sandpaper. On white skin the rash looks pink or red. It may be harder to see on brown and black skin, but you can still feel it. A white coating also appears on the tongue. This peels, leaving the tongue red, swollen and covered in little bumps (called "strawberry tongue"). The rash does not appear on the face, but the cheeks can look red. The redness may be harder to see on brown and black skin. The symptoms are the same for children and adults, although scarlet fever is less common in adults.

Contact a GP if your child:

- has scarlet fever symptoms
- does not get better in a week (after seeing a GP)
- has scarlet fever and chickenpox at the same time
- is ill again, weeks after scarlet fever got better this can be a sign of a complication, such as rheumatic fever
- is feeling unwell and have been in contact with someone who has scarlet fever

Scarlet fever is very easily spread. Check with a GP before you go in. They may suggest a phone consultation.

As a parent, if you feel your child seems seriously unwell, you should trust your own judgement. You can also contact NHS 111 for advice.

Other Dates:

8th December
Visitor: Harold the Giraffe

– Life Education

9th December: Trumpet assembly 2.15pm
Woodpecker class.

9th December: Drama Club performance to parents 3.30pm

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12th December: KS2 Christmas craft morning

12th December: Fallow Deer Christmas Play

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14th December: Christmas dinner and Christmas Raffle

16th December: KS1 Christmas party

23rd January: PTFA meeting 2pm. All welcome

25th January 2023– Young Voices Concert, Birmingham.