

4th January 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back and a Happy New Year.

I know that the weather was dreary for most of the holiday but I do hope that you all managed to get out and about and enjoy the time celebrating the birth of Our Lord at Christmas and the beginning of a New Year too!

Parents/Carers' Evening will be on **Wednesday 6th March** other dates for your diary will be sent out next week.

After school club sign ups were sent out yesterday to the relevant classes so thank you for signing up yesterday.

Many children have received phones and other technology for Christmas. Please make sure that you have the appropriate locks and blocks on their devices. **It is, very sadly, incredibly easy for the children to access inappropriate material. Please check what they are on** and make sure that they are being kept safe. **If in doubt, block it. Please make sure that you have blocked chats and communication pathways as the children are not old enough to access them yet.** Check what they are sharing and posting as this does have an impact in school on friendships as conversations online become the topic of conversation in school. ***We all need to work together to ensure that our children are safe and happy. Thank you for your support.***

We look forward to the New Year and new term and encourage you to ensure good attendance and punctuality.

Many thanks for your continued support,
Sarah Yates Head Teacher