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## Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> January 2019 Excellence with Compassion

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back to a new term and a new year! I would like to take this opportunity to say a big thank you for the many presents and Christmas cards. I hope you all had a lovely Christmas, a peaceful, restful holiday and have an excellent 2019!

### **Save the Children: Non Uniform and wear a Christmas Jumper Day**



**Save the Children**  
CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY

Thank you to everyone who donated money on the last day of term. We raised £111 for this really valuable cause. And, thank you to the school council for arranging this event!

### **Attendance**

On the last day of term, we celebrated excellent attendance, with a total of 37 children receiving bronze attendance certificates for 100% attendance! Well done all of those children. It would be fantastic to be handing out even more certificates at the end of this term. Let's see if we can keep on trying to beat that 96% attendance goal!

### **School uniform**

Our motto is Excellence with Compassion and we are striving for excellence in all areas of school life: in our learning and presentation in our books, in our behaviour, in how we treat each other, in our attendance, but also in how we present ourselves. I would like to encourage all children to try really hard with their uniform. Children should be wearing black school shoes at all times in the classroom and should only be coming to school in their PE kit if they have PE in the morning. Jumpers are meant to be grey v necks or cardigans. Ties, blazers, PE t-shirts and St Gabriel's fleeces are all available from the office.



## Clubs and afterschool care

After school care will be starting on Monday 14<sup>th</sup> January 3.30 – 5pm and clubs will be starting on Monday 21<sup>st</sup> January.

## Dates for Your Diary.....

Please do refer to these regularly as dates may change and new events will be added.

<b>Events for Parents</b> <b>Every Thursday:</b> Family assembly – all parents/carers are welcome (No Family Assembly this week) <b>Every Tuesday afternoon this term</b> <b>2.20 – 3.20:</b> MEND for Reception Parents <b>Monday 18<sup>th</sup> March and Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> March :</b> Parents evening <b>Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> April:</b> Open afternoon (opportunity to view your child's work in their classroom)	<b>Trips January :</b> <i>thank you in advance to all parents and carers who have and continue to offer to accompany the classes on trips – without your continued support trips would not be possible!</i> <b>Every Wednesday afternoon:</b> Class 3 swimming <b>Thursday 17<sup>th</sup>:</b> Reception to library, Class 3 to the Tate <b>Friday 19<sup>th</sup>:</b> yr 6 and yr 5 going to St Gabriel's Hall for opera <b>Monday 21<sup>st</sup> :</b> Yr 1 to the library <b>Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> :</b> Yr 2 to the library	<b>Trips February:</b> <b>Every Wednesday afternoon:</b> Class 3 swimming <b>Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup>:</b> Yr 3 to the library <b>Friday 8<sup>th</sup>:</b> Yr 6 to the library <b>Monday 11<sup>th</sup> :</b> Yr 4 to the library
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**Please do note the holiday dates below.** Any term time leave requests require parents/carers to fill in a term time leave request from available in the office and also require a meeting with myself. Holidays in term time, **will not be authorised** and may result in the local authority issuing a penalty notice.

<b>ACADEMIC YEAR 2018-19</b> <b>TERM 3</b> Monday 7 <sup>th</sup> January – school closed for staff <b>INSET</b> Tuesday 8 <sup>th</sup> January – children return Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> February – school finishes at 3.30pm ----- <b>TERM 4</b> Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> February – children return Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> April – school finishes at 2.30pm	<b>TERM 5</b> Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> April – children return Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> May – school closed for May Bank Holiday Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> June – school finishes at 3.30pm ----- <b>TERM 6</b> Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> June – Children return Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup> June – school closed for INSET Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> July – school finishes at 2.30pm
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Best wishes,  
Rebecca Anson  
Headteacher



I have read and noted the contents of this newsletter. Date: 8<sup>th</sup> January 2019  
(As there is no family assembly this week, the slips will be entered into the prize draw next week).

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Child's name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_