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Dear Parents/Carers

January 2026 Newsletter

Thank you for your kind wishes and festive greetings, and for the generous support you gave us throughout our Christmas events. All of the staff would like to express their heartfelt thanks for the lovely Christmas presents and cards, which were greatly appreciated.

Beginning of the Day

This is a polite reminder that the school gates are opened at 8.50am when school begins. Please can you ensure your child arrive at 8.50am as the first part of the morning is improvement time where the children have the opportunity to revisit any misconceptions or review any work.

School Disco – Friday 6th February 5.00pm-6.30pm

Once again, the School Council have organised a school disco in the village hall on Friday 6th February 5.00pm – 6.30pm. It will cost £2.00 per child and tickets will be available to buy from Monday 26th January on the gate at the beginning and end of the school day. Towards the end of the disco, we will be serving some snacks for the children. Squash and water will be available throughout the disco.

Reading Books

We are encouraging the children to read at least four or five times during the week at home and record their reading in their reading record books. Your child should be bringing home a targeted reading book and a reading for pleasure book each day. We have an extensive choice of beautiful and exciting books for the children to choose and read at home. If you have any unwanted school reading or library books lurking at home, please return them to school.

Spring Parents Evening- week commencing Monday 9th February

Parents meetings will be held week commencing Monday 9th February. Letters will be sent out next week. Please fill in the slip on the parent evening letters to request a time slot with your child's teacher.

PE Kits

Please can we remind you that if your child is wearing tights, please can you ensure they have a spare pair of socks in their PE bag. Also, we ask that the PE kits contain PE shoes/ trainers. Although we do have a supply of spare trainers, we cannot accommodate every child due to the wide range of different sized feet.

If anyone has any spare tights, trousers, shorts and/or skirts which your children have grown out of, we will be very grateful if you can donate them to school. Thank you



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Forthcoming Events:

Visiting author in school all day– Friday 6th February

School Disco in the village hall – Friday 6th February 5.00pm – 6.30pm

Spring Parents Evening – Years 3 and 4 – Monday 9th February 2.30pm – 5.30pm

Spring Parents Evening –Red Group – Wednesday 11th February 3.30pm – 5.00pm

Spring Parents Evening – Years 1 and 2, Years 5 and 6 – Thursday 12th February 2.30pm – 6.00pm

School finishes for the Half-Term Holidays – Friday 13th February at 3.20pm

School begins – Monday 23rd February 2025 at 8.50am

Inset Dates:

Friday 26th June 2026

Thursday 23rd July 2026

Inset Dates for 2026-2027:

Friday 4th September 2026

Monday 5th October 2026

Friday 18th December 2026

Friday 25th June 2027

Monday 26th July 2027

Yours sincerely

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