

Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been wonderful welcoming all the children back after the half term break; I have thoroughly enjoyed hearing about all the 'trick or treating' plans and pumpkins children have made.

In **Year R**, the children have enjoyed learning about how and why we celebrate Halloween. In provision time children explored the inside of a pumpkin and have created Halloween cards

In **Year 2**, their new text is called 'Pumpkin Soup' so they have been slicing and cooking pumpkin in class this week, which will support their instructional writing.



Each class has launched into their new learning in each of their subjects; curriculum newsletters will be out at the start of next week so please take a look at what your children will be learning about this term.

Voting for Charity



Save the Children

Thank you to all the parents who voted for their preferred charity 'dress up day'. It was extremely close between 2 charities but the winning charity is **Save the Children Christmas Jumper Day.**

**CHRISTMAS JUMPER
DAY 2023**
Thursday 7 December

New Resources on the Playground

We have bought lots of new equipment for different areas of the playground and the children have loved playing with them. Our Year 5 and 6 children will be starting as 'Young Leaders' in the coming weeks and will have the opportunity to run games and activities for the younger children.



Parking

When parking, please be mindful of entrances to houses in our local area, ensuring they still have full access to get on and off their drive. Thank you.





Dates for your Diary

Date	Year Group	Event
Wednesday 8th November	Whole School	Photographs (individual and siblings)
Wednesday 8th November	Years 4, 5 and 6	Cross Country competition
Thursday 9th November 9am	Year 6 parents	Year 6 remembrance service to the school. Year 6 parents welcome to join us.
Thursday 9th November and Tuesday 14th November (from 3:15pm)	Whole School	Book Fair held in the school library. Please come along. 
Tuesday 5th December	Year 5	Space Centre Trip Leaving school 8:30am

Messages from Mrs Llewelyn (our Family Support Worker and DSL)



- Young Carers coffee afternoon next Friday—come and see me or book in at the office for more information.
- If you need help with setting up Arbor or school communications, please come and see me.



Mrs. Turner—Deputy Headteacher

Mrs. Williams—Executive Headteacher

Friday 3rd November 2023

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