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Friday Note
17th December 2021

Dear Parents

I am writing to you to thank you all so much for the support you have given the school this term. I am sure you will agree, this has been an extremely challenging year for us all.

Normally at the end of the autumn term, we reflect on the year that has passed and celebrate what we have achieved. Personally, I have to say that throughout 2021, we have all continued to be amazed by the hard work, determination and resilience that the children have shown despite all of the unprecedented challenges they have experienced. Their attitude has been truly inspirational to us all.

The children have been a true credit to all parents, carers and the community. I am extremely proud of Westfield School and how we have continued to work together to get through the ups and downs and challenges of the past twelve months!

I would like to wish you all a merry Christmas and Happy New year and I hope you all have a relaxing time over the festive season. We are looking forward to returning in January to a New Year and new term with refreshed enthusiasm and hope for the future.

Christmas Dinner

A big thank you to our kitchen staff who made us all a delicious Christmas dinner this week – they deserve a well-earned rest!

Flu Vacs

Reminder that our flu vaccinations are happening in school on January 17th. If you haven't yet signed up and you'd like your child to have it please follow the link that was sent on WEDUC.

Club News

Art club is starting for Year 3 in term 3 on a Wednesday with Mrs Potts. 3-4pm. Bookings will go live during first week back and club will start on Wed 12th.

Christmas Design Competition

Here are the deserving winners of the 'Design a bed for an elf' Competition. It was incredibly hard to choose a winner for each year group, but I'm sure you'll agree the winning designs are all brilliant!

Thank you to everyone who joined in.

Merry Christmas,
From
Frosty Tinsel-Bottom



Dinners

Please make sure all dinners are ordered by December 30th for next term.

Reading Raffle



Well done to Georgina Nettley and Harry Parsons who won the reading raffle prizes.

Key Stage 1

Winners 89% Panda

Key Stage 2

Winners 89% Monkey

As a school we have made some changes to our phonics and guided reading practice. We will be inviting all parents of children in Reception and Year 1 into school in the New Year to share these updates with you all.

Help your child with home reading

Please can you make sure that you hear your child read their school reading book at least 4 days each week. This needs to be recorded in their reading record book. At KS1 we ask parents and carers to fill out the comments, whereas in KS2, the children should be recording what they have read and writing a comment. Both reading books and reading record books need to be in school EVERY DAY!



Diary Dates

January

Tues 4	Inset Day
Wed 5	Inset Day
Thurs 6	Pupils return to school
Mon 17	Flu Vaccinations

February

Mon 21 – Fri 25	Half Term
Mon 28	Pupils return to school

March

Mon 7	Parents Evening
Thurs 10	Parents Evening

April

Tues 5	Easter Service
Fri 8	Break up fro Easter
Mon 25	Pupils return to school

May

Wed 4 – Fri 6	Year 4 Camp
Mon 9 – Fri 13	SATS week

Mon 30 – Fri 3	Half Term
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June

Mon 6	Pupils return to school
Thurs 30	Sports Day
Fri 1	Sports Day

July

Fri 1	Westfield School is 100 years old
Thur 21	Schools out for Summer

