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Dear Everyone..
Yet another very short but very busy half-term with lots happening in school to engage and excite the children... So far this term EYFS have celebrated Chinese New Year with Welford families and it was fabulous to see so many of you in classrooms working with children and Nursery have been to Birmingham on the bus with their families as part of their curriculum focus for this half-term- again it was a very positive experience for everyone involved.
Year 5 treated us to a truly wonderful assembly this week...Everyone played their part perfectly to ensure 'Welford's Lost Happy Endings' were found...Huge thanks to families who came to support and to the staff involved for ensuring that ALL children were given the chance to shine...It was fabulous. Congratulations to the boys and girls 5-a-side football teams for representing the school so well and giving their all. The boys won the Aston Primary tournament and we are so happy to have won another trophy to add to our growing collection...Mr Hegarty, Miss growing collection...Mr Hegarty, Miss Gibbs and Ken were thrilled Last week it was lovely to meet so many Year 4 children to look at the work they had done at home related to,' The Rhine and the Mediterranean project. Thanks to all families who got involved with this...
Year 6 staff presented a special SAT's meeting to inform parents/carers about expectations and preparation re. statutory tests and assessments at the end of KS2. Again the event was well attended and the feedback very positive.
positive.
Team Boccia 23/24 repreented the school well, the children loved the opportunity to compete against other schools and they look forward to the next scheduled event.

Congratulations to those classes who have successfully achieved our whole school target of $96 \%$

Weeks Beginning:
29th Jan - $9^{\text {th }}$ Feb 2024

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| CLASS | \% | \% |
| NUR AM | 73.3 | 78.7 |
| NUR FT | 91.4 | 84.3 |
| NUR PM | 88.4 | 83.2 |
| RG | 89.5 | 89.5 |
| RW | 97.1 | 96.8 |
| 1 A | 86.4 | 91.3 |
| 1K | 94.2 | 95.8 |
| 2F | 95.2 | 87.4 |
| 2G | 91.3 | 93.1 |
| 3D | 91.3 | 93.3 |
| 3WP | 93.7 | 91.7 |
| 4M | 94.3 | 94.7 |
| 4W | 89 | 89.3 |
| 5JH | 95.7 | 94.7 |
| 5MH | 96 | 93 |
| 6C | 90 | 98 |
| 6G | 91 | 90.6 |

Some of the children in Year 3 have enjoyed an overnight experience at the Brighouse with mud, glorious, mud experiences that will provide lasting memories of their stay
Yet again I thank the staff for giving up their own time to make the trip possible

Please note important diary dates for World Book Day, Comic Relief and Parent/ Carer consultations. Letters and separate information will be shared for these events. If you have not already signed up for ClassDojo and you are unsure how to please let us know and we will be happy to assist you.

As always I thank you for your goodwill, good cheer and your support of the school.

MrsC. Foster (Head Teacher)

## WELFORD＇S WORLD BOOK DAY 2024

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a celebrate World Book Day 2024，children at Welford will be taking part in activities that are all about books and reading and will be doing so all day on Thursday 7th March 2024！

It＇s never too early to encourage a love of reading and we hope you enjoy sharing stories together as a family not just on World Book Day but every day of the year！


Cometoschool
dressed as your favourite book character for the day


WORLD BOOK DAY DECORATE A SPOON COMPETITION：
Over the weekend，have a go at making a book character using a spoon－children have been given a small wooden spoon to take home－or you can use your own！Use recyclable materials，paint，paper and pens to make it into your favourite book character！

Here are some examples you can find online THERE WILL BE PRIZES FOR ENTRIES IN EACH CLASS！


## GIVE A BOOK ．．．GET A BOOK IN OUR

 WEIFORD BOOK SWAPWe are also asking for children to bring in a book of their own（in good condition）that they would like to swap with someone else－it could be：g board book．
a chapter book，an information book or a picture book
This is an inexpensive way for children to exchange books，find out about new books and find a new book to read without having to pay for a new one．
Books can be brought into school from Monday 4th March 2024


## Dinner Money

Dinner Money is $£ 2.45$ per day－$£ 12.25$ per week．Enclose the correct amount in an envelope with your child＇s name and class written on the front．
On Fridays we have Pizza \＆Chips or Fish \＆Chips；if your child has sandwiches and would like to join their friends in having either meal， either put $£ 2.45$ in an envelope with the child＇s name and class on
there or come and see Mrs Marva in the School Office．Please ensure you notify the office of any changes in your circumstances．
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Snack forms are available from the Snack Y1－Y6 every Monday，with the correct amount enclosed in an envelope．Snack forms can be collected from the School Office．Please remember to bring in the correct change－Many thanks ©

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| Item | Price |
| Toast | $20 p$ |
| Milk | $25 p$ |
| Fruit Juice－apple or orange | $50 p$ |
| Flavoured Water | $50 p$ |
| Flapjack | $25 p$ |
| Fresh Fruit | $25 p$ |
| Pack of Biscuits | $25 p$ |

## CHILDREN SHOUD BRING A HEALTHY SNACK TO EAT IN SCHOOL．NOT CRISPS OR Chocolate．

Does your child need regular medication？If your child needs regular medication please ensure that the school is fully informed and that any appropriate prescribed medication is also kept at school．
It is very important that you inform the school if you know that your child has an allergy．We keep this information on file in case of an emergency．
Children do not need to be absent from school for allergies if they are properly managed．


## SUE＇S COMMUNITY CORNER

Coffee Mornings－Every Thursday，9am－10．30am in the Community
Room．Come and join Sue Thompson \＆Nagina，for a coffee and a －chat．Come and make new friends，and catch up with the old ones！

