



Dear Parents,

**News from Classrooms**

**Class 1:**

The children started their Read Write Inc activities and have already learnt how to read, say and write their new speed sounds! The class have talked about individuality and how personalities grow with each new experience shared with others.

**Class 2:**

This week Class 2 have been writing their own prayers in RE. In science they looked at the properties of materials. The children also learnt about Thailand and their new friends there. The children from Thailand sent a video clip all about themselves.

**Maths next week:** Place value

**Request for next week:** Please send in any small to medium sized recyclable cardboard boxes.

**Class 3:**

This week Class 3 participated in saving the school from the evil Robotrons during maths day! They have also been continuing to learn about the adventures of Chilly Billy. In maths they have continued learning about place value.

**Maths next week:** Place Value

**Class 4:**

The children have been working on classification of nouns and in science explored the properties of materials. They have also been studying recruitment and propaganda from WWI.

**Maths next week:** Decimal place value

**VIKING CHALLENGE – SUN 1<sup>ST</sup> OCTOBER**

We need 150 volunteers on Viking Challenge day, Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> October, to make the event happen. With only 56 families in our school, everyone's help is really needed.

Every single child in our school benefits from the funds raised – last year we received £15,000. Please help us with our one and only school fundraiser each year. Please contact Lisa Shores if you are able to help and haven't already signed up (01949 843022).



**Needed Please!**

Hedge trimming for the Viking Challenge will take place on Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> September at 10am. We are short of helpers and many hands make light work! If you can volunteer a couple of hours (4 ideally) and/or have hedge trimmers you could bring (battery or petrol) we would really appreciate it. Please speak to Nicky Murray ([nicky.m.murray@gmail.com](mailto:nicky.m.murray@gmail.com) 07525434957).

**Mini Viking Challenge**

This will take place on Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> September at 1.30pm at school. Parents welcome.



**Get Baking!**

The Viking Challenge recipe booklet will be in book bags today. Cake drop off will be all day Friday 29<sup>th</sup> September and 2.00-3.00pm Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> September.

**Magic Maths**

The magic maths assembly will take place on Monday 25<sup>th</sup> September at 2.45pm for parents of children in Y1-6 who may be interested in their child attending the forthcoming club.

**Auditions – Palace Theatre**

Auditions are being held at the Palace Theatre, Newark on Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> September, for Beauty and the Beast and are open to all 9-16 year olds in Y4-Y11. They will start at 10am with registration at 9.30am. For more information please check [www.imaginetheatre.co.uk](http://www.imaginetheatre.co.uk) under 2017/18 panto season.

**Head Lice**

**We have again had cases of head lice reported. Please check and treat your child's hair accordingly. Thank you.**

**Midday Supervisor**

As we are still struggling to recruit, we wondered if anyone would be interested if this was a job share position, i.e. doing 1 or more lunchtime per week. Please communicate this to anyone you think may be interested. Thank you.

**Letters sent home this week:**

Y5/6 girl's football competition

Yours sincerely,

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Executive Head teacher

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