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Believe Belong Achieve

Friday 17th January – Spring Term Issue 2

I would like to say an enormous thank you to the church team who have this week donated £90 to the school following the carol singing at the Queens Head before Christmas. Thank you to all who organised or supported the event. We will be purchasing a new sound system for the school to support Collective Worship, productions and learning across the curriculum. Thank you for all your generosity and support.

Congratulations to Class 2 for presenting their learning so confidently during their Class assembly on Wednesday. I can see you have a lot of fun in your class and would like to thank all the team for their continued hard work.

Thank you for all your support around whole school attendance. We have seen considerable improvement over the last few years and I will continue to work with you to ensure this remains. Next week I will be working with Mrs Fowler and the class teachers to review individual attendance and identify areas of support.

Please join me in congratulating Jasmine in Class 3 who has been invited to attend an Irish Dancing competition in Milan. In order to raise funds towards her transport, Jasmine will be holding a **cake sale** on **Wednesday 29th January** after school. Good luck Jasmine!

This half term we are focussing on our Christian value of Perseverance. I will be making a display in The Hive around this theme. Please can you send pictures into school of something your child is persevering with e.g. learning to ride a bike, learning to knit etc. I look forward to encouraging and celebrating with the children. Pictures can be sent to office@darcyschool.co.uk. Many thanks

A reminder that next Wednesday is the Class 1 maths workshop. This will begin at 9 am and last approximately 30 minutes. We look forward to seeing you then.

Wishing you all a wonderful weekend

L. Eastbrook

Headteacher

PTFA Update

The PTFA held a committee planning meeting today.

The next event will be the Valentine's Disco on Wednesday 12th February.

Full details to follow in the monthly PTFA newsletter coming shortly.

If anyone has any spare time and can offer to help at events, please speak to a member of the committee, Miss Loman, Mrs Woollard and/or Mrs King.

Many thanks!



Jesus said "Let the children come to me." (Matthew 19:14)
Courageous Creative Friendly Persevering Responsible Truthful



Certificate of Achievement Winners

Class 1	Freddie Jack
Class 2	Alex Eli
Class 3	Jorge Jasmine
Class 4	Emilia Rory
Playleaders	
Award	Lillie-Grace



Attendance

Class 1 92%
Class 2 98%
Class 3 95%
Class 4 93%
Whole School 95%
Whole School Academic Year: 94%
(Target 97%)

House points

This term's winners are:



Allingham

Diary dates

- 22nd January 9-9:30 Class 1 Maths workshop
- 14th February : Inset Day
- 17th – 21st February : Half Term
- 4th March 3:30-5:00 Learning Conferences
- 5th March 3:30-7:00 Learning Conferences

Inset Days

- 14th February 2020
- 1st June 2020
- 3rd July 2020

Dear God

Thank you for all our talents. Help us to always try our best in all that we do. Help us to share out skills and teach others.

Amen

Christian Value: Persevering

